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Antonym 1-5

1. AUTONOMY

A) Dependence

B) Independent

C) Integration

D) Monotonous

"independent, living by one's own laws,

2. FOREIGNER

A) Alien

B) Native

C) National

D) Stranger

a person born in or coming from a country other than one's own.

3. CONSPICUOUS

A) Harmless

B) Indifferent

C) Insignificant

D) Unknown

"he was very thin, with a conspicuous Adam's apple"

4. FICKLE

A) Constant

B) Irregular

C) Selfish

D) Visible

changing frequently, especially as regards one's loyalties or affections.

5. ABSOLUTE

A) Deficient

B) Faulty

C) Limited

D) Scarce

not qualified or diminished in any way; total.

6. EXPLOIT

A) Expose

B) Pamper

C) Utilise

D) Victimise

make use of (a situation) in a way considered unfair or underhand.

7. EXHIBIT

A) Conceal

B) Concede

C) Prevent

D) Withdraw

manifest clearly (a quality or a type of behaviour).

"he could exhibit a saintlike submissiveness"

8. PODGY

A) Pleasure

B) Short

C) Thin

D) Weak

"he put a podgy arm round Alan's shoulders"

9. WOEFUL

A) Cheerful

B) Depressed

C) Laughing

D) Smiling

recounted the many injustices that the family had endured at the hands of the dictato

10. BOOST

A) Discourage

B) Hinder

C) Obstruct

D) Rebuke

help or encourage (something) to increase or improve.

11. BEGET

A) Confront

B) Destroy

C) Influence

D) Quick

one change in the natural environment will beget others

12. ADULTERATION

B) Adult

A) Indecent

C) Impurity

D) Purification

render (something) poorer in quality by adding another substance.

13. DESIRABLE

A) Detestable

B) Improbable

C) Irrelevant

D) Reliable

wished for as being an attractive, useful, or necessary course of action.

14. COMMEND

A) Admonish

B) Dislike

C) Hate

D) Suspend

praise formally or officially.

"he was commended by the judge for his courageous actions"

15. DISPARITIES

A) Even

B) Identities

C) Odd

D) Similarities

a great difference.

"economic disparities between different regions of the country"

16. STUBBORN

A) Appreciate

B) Happiness

C) Hate

D) Pliable

having or showing dogged determination not to change one's attitude or position on something, especially in spite of good reasons to do so.

17. VENEER

- A) Drunk
- B) Exterior
- C) Interior**
- D) Liberate

a thin layer of wood or plastic that covers something made of a cheap material and improves its appearance

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make use of (a situation) in a way considered unfair or underhand.

19. PRETENTIOUS

- A) Honest**
- B) Miserable
- C) Pretend
- D) Touching

attempting to impress by affecting greater importance or merit than is actually possessed.

20. VIRTUE

- A) Crime
- B) Fraud
- C) Justify
- D) Wickedness**

behaviour showing high moral standards.

21. JUDICIOUS

A) Aggressive

B) Condemn

C) Imprudent

D) Plentiful

having, showing, or done with good judgement or sense.

22. AMELIORATE

A) Aggravate

B) Lessen

C) Recover

D) Stable

he word is eluding me... it sounds like detiliorate .not deteriorate.

23. HOLLOW

A) Dishonest

B) Empty

C) Solid

D) Stubborn

having a hole or empty space inside.

24. STRINGENT

A) General

B) Lenient

C) Magnanimous

D) Vehement

(of regulations, requirements, or conditions) strict, precise, and exacting.

"stringent guidelines on air pollution"

25. SANGUINE

A) Bloodless

B) Diminish

C) Lavish

D) Serious

optimistic or positive, especially in an apparently bad or difficult situation.

26. ADVERSITY

A) Awkward

B) Misfortune

C) Prosperity

D) Reward

a difficult or unpleasant situation.

27. ONEROUS

A) Complex

B) Easy

C) Plain

D) Pleasant

involving a great deal of effort, trouble, or difficulty.

28. SECULAR

A) Fundamental

B) Minority

C) Priest

D) Religious

not connected with religious or spiritual matters.

29. PROFANE

A) Aggressive

B) Establish

C) Sacred

D) Secular

not relating to that which is sacred or religious; secular.

30. TERRIBLE

A) Awesome

B) Delightful

C) Hideous

D) Horrible

extremely bad or serious.

31. SPURIOUS

A) False

B) Genuine

C) Simple

D) Systematic

not being what it purports to be; false or fake.

"separating authentic and spurious claims"

32. APPOSITE

A) Inappropriate

B) Inconsistent

C) Irregular

D) Intemperate

apt in the circumstances or in relation to something.

"an apposite quotation"

33. JUVENILE

A) Blind

B) Control

C) Mature

D) Youthful

childish; immature.

"she's bored with my juvenile conversation"

34. AMORPHOUS

A) Definite

B) Irregular

C) Perfect

D) Weak

without a clearly defined shape or form.

"an amorphous, characterless conurbation"

35. HOLISTIC

A) Atheist

B) Atomistic

C) Diligently

D) Holy

emphasizing the organic or functional relation between parts and the whole. Antonyms: atomistic, atomistical Definition: divided into separate and often disparate elements.

36. FLACCID

A) Cheerful

B) Firm

C) Hostile

D) Refined

soft and hanging loosely or limply, especially so as to look or feel unpleasant.

"she took his flaccid hand in hers"

37. SUCCUMB

A) Collapse

B) Clumsy

C) Defend

D) Expire

fail to resist pressure, temptation, or some other negative force.

"we cannot merely give up and succumb to despair"

38. ANTIPATHY

A) Agreement

B) Fondness

C) Friendliness

D) Obedience

a deep-seated feeling of aversion.

"his fundamental antipathy to capitalism"

39. FICKLE

A) Constant

B) Irregular

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D) Visible

changing frequently, especially as regards one's loyalties or affections.

"celebs trying to appeal to an increasingly fickle public"

40. SORDID

A) Arrogant

B) Frightful

C) Generous

D) Splendid

involving immoral or dishonourable actions and motives; arousing moral distaste and contempt.

41. NEPOTISM

- A) Desire
- B) Favouritism

C) Impartiality

- D) Legitimate

favoritism shown to relatives or close friends by those in power

42. ILLEGIBLE

- A) Clear
- B) Contempt
- C) Ecstasy

D) Readable

not clear enough to be read.

"his handwriting is totally illegible"

43. HAUGHTY

- A) Pitiabile
- B) Scared

C) Humble

- D) Cowardly

arrogantly superior and disdainful.

"a look of haughty disdain"

44. LACONIC

- A) Bucolic
- B) Profligate
- C) Prolific

D) Prolix

"his laconic reply suggested a lack of interest in the topic"

antonyms: verbose, long-winded, loquacious

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46. CORDIAL

A) Cold

B) Frigid

C) Sweet

D) Unfriendly

warm and friendly.

"the atmosphere was cordial and relaxed"

47. SAGE

A) Egoist

B) Fool

C) Rogue

D) Snob

"the sayings of the numerous venerable sages"

antonyms: fool

48. MALIGNANT

A) Benign

B) Prune

C) Swallow

D) Virulent

"in the hands of malignant fate"

antonyms: benevolent

49. MOROSE

A) Boorish

B) Cheerful

C) Diffuse

D) Moody

"she was morose and silent when she got home"

antonyms: cheerful, happy, communicative

50. BRAVE

A) Bold

B) Heroic

C) Strong

D) Timid

ready to face and endure danger or pain; showing courage.

"she was very brave about the whole thing"