

# VOCABULARY FOR 5, JUNE 2018

## 1. INVIGORATING (ADJECTIVE): stimulating

Synonyms: bracing, exhilarating

Antonyms: boring, dull

Example Sentence: There is nothing like an invigorating shower after a long day at work.

## 2. EVADE (VERB): avoid

Synonyms: bypass, circumvent

Antonyms: confront, encounter

Example Sentence: You can't evade your duties.

## 3. CONGLOMERATE (ADJECTIVE): composite

Synonyms: amassed, assorted

Antonyms: similar, unvaried

Example Sentence: The conglomerate views its collection of profitable shops.

## 4. CONSOLIDATION (NOUN): combination

Synonyms: merger, unification

Antonyms: dispersal, separation

Example Sentence: The growth of railways has been accompanied by the consolidation of small independent ventures into large groups.

**5. BUFFET (VERB):** hit repeatedly

Synonyms: batter, clobber

Antonyms: pull, surrender

Example Sentence: She was buffeted by her best friend.

**6. VIE (VERB):** compete

Synonyms: contend, strive

Antonyms: assist, support

Example Sentence: The competitive twins often vie for the attention of their parents.

**7. SUPERSEDE (VERB):** annul

Synonyms: overrule, repudiate

Antonyms: keep, retain

Example Sentence: The federal court decision will supersede the decision of the lower court.

**8. IMBUED (VERB):** inculcate

Synonyms: infuse, instill

Antonyms: drain, take out

Example Sentence: By giving out loans, the bank hoped to imbue new homeowners with a sense of hope in the future.

**9. LEEWAY (NOUN):** room to move

Synonyms: extent, headway

Antonyms: constraint, restriction

Example Sentence: The judge has a lot of leeway in deciding matters in court.

**10. PUNITORY (NOUN):** disciplinary

Synonyms: penal, punishing

Antonyms: beneficial, rewarding

Example Sentence: I will have to take punitory actions against him now.

