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ACT/SAT Words List 24

WhichWord? Definitions

Pick the correct word that belongs to the definition.

1) so small as to be worthless and insulting

- A. stalwart
- B. anomalous
- C. caustic
- D. paltry

6) strong, valiant and brave

- A. clandestine
- B. stalwart
- C. tirade
- D. scrutinize

2) refusing to let go or give up

- A. chicanery
- B. persistent
- C. charlatan
- D. scrutinize

7) having a harmful effect

- A. innuendo
- B. persistent
- C. deleterious
- D. tirade

3) an angry outburst against something

- A. tirade
- B. chicanery
- C. connoisseur
- D. perplex

8) capable of burning living tissue, sarcastic

- A. caustic
- B. paltry
- C. anomalous
- D. clandestine

4) deception and trickery

- A. anomalous
- B. lucrative
- C. stalwart
- D. chicanery

9) done in secret, often for deceptive purposes

- A. perplex
- B. garish
- C. deleterious
- D. clandestine

5) a swindler who pretends to have special knowledge

- A. perplex
- B. neophyte
- C. caustic
- D. charlatan

10) a new participant in an activity

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- B. perplex
- C. neophyte
- D. paltry

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11) excessively bright or ornate; gaudy or tacky

- A. deleterious
- B. chicanery
- C. garish
- D. caustic

16) a source of educated opinion; critic

- A. pundit
- B. suppress
- C. innuendo
- D. paltry

12) profitable or something that makes money

- A. suppress
- B. lucrative
- C. clandestine
- D. neophyte

17) deviating from what is normal or expected

- A. neophyte
- B. pundit
- C. charlatan
- D. anomalous

13) to subdue or inhibit something, hold back

- A. garish
- B. persistent
- C. suppress
- D. paltry

18) serving to discourage the use of or restrain

- A. neophyte
- B. chicanery
- C. tirade
- D. prohibitive

14) to confuse or baffle

- A. perplex
- B. stalwart
- C. scrutinize
- D. anomalous

19) an expert judge of something

- A. clandestine
- B. caustic
- C. charlatan
- D. connoisseur

15) inspect carefully

- A. chicanery
- B. scrutinize
- C. suppress
- D. anomalous

20) phrase that has a double meaning

- A. innuendo
- B. tirade
- C. stalwart
- D. connoisseur