ESSENTIA VORDS



ANSWER KEY

UNIT

EXERCISES

A

- 1. rapid / rate
- 2. contemporary / vary
- 3. humid / toxic
- 4. texture / aroma
- 5. cluster / combined
- 6. subtle / soothing
- 7. cultivated / odor
- 8. palate / beverage
- 9. condensed / divine
- 10. paradise / plantations

В

1. i	2. e	3. c	4. g	5. b
6. a	7. f	8. h	9. d	10. j
C 1. g 6. e	2. i 7. f	3. h 8. c	4. a 9. d	5. j 10. b

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. T
- 3. F / The Aztecs cultivated chocolate trees on plantations.
- 4. T
- 5. F / The first chocolate beverages were made by the Mayans and Aztecs.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. a
- 2. The chocolate stays on the palate long after you finish it.
- 3. The Mayans and Aztecs believed chocolate trees were brought from paradise by gods.



EXERCISES

A 1. a 2. d 3. d 4. b 5. b

В

1. c	2. b	3. a	4. b	5. d
C 1. admir 4. conso 7. fiery 10. hoo	cience	2. soui 5. grap 8. strir	pefruits	3. Kerosene 6. steward 9. hay

D

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1. stake2. flesh3. wreck4. arc5. character
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READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. T
- 3. F / The admiral put branches with sharp thorns in the monkey's cages.
- 4. F / The steward had a good conscience.
- 5. F / The steward was horrified because the monkeys were thin and weak.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. b
- 2. The admiral planned to take the monkeys to England.
- 3. The monkeys ate grapefruit while they were in the cages.

UNIT 3

EXERCISES

A

- 1. option / idiot
- 2. torment / admonished
- 3. pinpoint / echoed
- 4. brag / perfect
- 5. switch / beware
- 6. eventual / pastime
- 7. awesome / disagreed
- 8. audible /conscious
- 9. immense / indirect
- 10. hint / thorough

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1. b 6. e	2. j 7. d	3. f 8. g	4. a 9. h	5. i 10. c
С				
1. e	2. j	3. h	4. i	5. a
6. c	7. d	8. g	9. b	10. f

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. T
- 3. T
- 4. F / When the young man had an option of two trails, he always chose the more difficult of the two.
- 5. T
- 6. F / When the young man arrived home, he knew that he had acted like an idiot.

Part B

1. a

- 2. The young man bragged that he had perfect knowledge of the trails.
- 3. He was not conscious of where he went.

UNIT 4

EXERCISES

A

1. consensus / conspiracy2. meoldy / agony3. abrupt / cynical4. beard / beast5. con / harass

В

1. dome	2. forum	3. cynical
4. harass	5. exclaimed	

С

1. a, b 2. a, c 3. a, d 4. b, c 5. a, b

D

1. coup	2. assassin	glamour
4. inflamed	5. abrupt	

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. F / Nero is thought by many to be one of the worst rulers of Rome.
- 2. F / Nero killed many members of his family.
- 3. T
- 4. T
- 5. F / Nero killed himself after soldiers made a coup against him.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. d
- 2. They loved his glamorous lifestyle.
- 3. He was sad that a talented builder and singer was dying.

UNIT 5

EXERCISES

A

- 1. operate / cyberspace
- 2. recent / global
- 3. ignorant / weird
- 4. essays / edit
- 5. semester / index
- 6. fainted / lecture
- 7. typewritten / highlighted
- 8. resolution / gymnasium
- 9. moral / awhile
- 10. evaluated / private

В

1. g 6. b	2. e 7. j	3. a 8. h	4. i 9. f	5. c 10. d
С				
1. e	2. g	3. c	4. j	5. i
6. b	7. f	8. h	9. d	10. a

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

1. T

- 2. F / The private study rooms were downstairs.
- 3. F / The computers in the private study rooms were operating correctly.

4. T

- 5. F / The geography test was worth seventy percent of the final grade.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. c
- 2. It was about global warming.
- 3. The student spent their free time in the library.

UNIT 6

EXERCISES

Α				
1. d	2. a	3. a	4. d	5. c
В				
1. a	2. a	3. а	4. b	5. a
С				
1. a	2. a	3. a	4. b	5. b
6. a	7. a	8. a	9. b	10. a

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. F / Gorillas are very closely related to human beings.
- 2. F / Dian Fossey left her friends and family to live in the jungle.
- 3. F / Dian Fossey studied gorillas for many years in Rwanda and the Congo.
- 4. T
- 5. T
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. d
- 2. They moved away from her.
- 3. There are still wild gorillas in Africa thanks to her work and the money she raised.



EXERCISES

A 1.b 2.a 3.c 4.b 5.d

B 1. c	2. d	3. b	4. a	5. c
C 1. a	2. c	3. b	4. d	5. d
D				

D

1. resources	2. rally	3. memorable
4. offense	5. account	6. obliged
7. proclaimed	8. volunteered	9. habitat
10. gratitude		

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. F / The architect wanted to build a new office building.
- 2. T
- 3. T
- 4. T
- 5. F / The people could not conceal their gratitude, so they cheered.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. b
- 2. The group asked a judge to intervene.
- 3. He was not given a sentence.

UNIT 8

EXERCISES

Α

- 1. replace / conduct
- 2. influenced / laws
- 3. gripped / snapped
- 4. enclosed / whatsoever
- 5. impending / constantly
- 6. cracks / tends
- 7. device / mode
- 8. halted / access
- 9. valid / version
- 10. perspired / sly

В

1. f	2. a	3. e	4. b	5. j
6. d	7. g	8. c	9. h	10. i

С

1. h	2. i	3. e	4. f	5. b
6. a	7. d	8. c	9. j	10. g

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. F / Janie thought constantly about a device that played music.
- 2. T
- 3. F / Janie found the player when she reached into the bag.
- 4. T
- 5. F / When Linda put the player to "on" mode, it didn't work.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. d
- 2. Janie lied to her teacher about taking Linda's music player.
- 3. Janie found a music player.

UNIT 9

EXERCISES

Α				
1. a	2. c	3. b	4. a	5.
в				

3. a

2. a

1. b **c**

2. assist	3. successful
5. smashed	6. feeble
8. relationship	9. outraged
	5. smashed

4. a

d

5. d

D

1. b 2. c 3. b 4. a 5. b

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. T
- 3. F / George was a strong boy with a large appetite.

4. T

- 5. F / George was a lazy student who didn't like any subjects.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. a
- 2. He was a very efficient hitter.
- 3. They died in a car accident.

UNIT 10

EXERCISES

Α 1. a	2. d	3. c	4. b	5. c
В				

3. c

4. a

5. d

С

1. a

1. particle / animate

2. b

- 2. numerous / handy
- 3. classify / upright
- 4. longing / plea
- 5. worthwhile / sophisticated
- 6. concept / review
- 7. isolate / diagram
- 8. constructed / decades
- 9. ferry / concede
- 10. refrain / surrender

READING COMPREHENSION

- Part A
- 1. T
- 2. F / Anton had a longing to become famous.
- 3. T
- 4. T
- 5. F / Anton drew diagrams of the bacteria.
- 6. F / The scientists took a ferry to Holland.

Part B

- 1. b
- 2. It held him look at cloth.
- 3. He didn't want to surrender his secret.

UNIT 11

EXERCISES

Α 1. c	2. b	3. d	4. a	5. b
B 1. bravery 4. vain 7. ceremony 10. exception		 2. enchanted 5. diverse 8. defense 		3. applause 6. genre 9. obstacles
C 1. e 6. d	2. h 7. b	3. i 8. c	4. a 9. j	5. f 10. g
D 1. e 6. d	2. h 7. i	3. a 8. c	4. j 9. f	5. b 10. g

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- F / Baker's first job was to carry messages written in code to and from Resistance members.
- 2. T
- 3. T
- 4. F / In 1940, armed soldiers entered Paris.
- 5. T
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. a
- 2. She was famous for jazz music.
- 3. The army had a special ceremony.

UNIT 12

EXERCISES

A

- 1. muscles / violence
- 2. bid / belly
- 3. timid / disrespect
- 4. enthusiasm / continent
- 5. meantime / lean
- 6. avenue / alternative

rescue / conflict
 terrain / harsh
 mischief / succession
 blow / current

В

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1. continent	2. terrain	3. succession
4. avenue	5. lean	6. alternative
7. current	8. meantime	9. harsh
10. violence		

С

1.a 2.a 3.c 4.a 5.c

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. F / The North Wind did not blow the jacket off of the man.
- 3. T
- 4. F / The man was the target for the North Wind.
- 5. F / The Sun was usually timid but did teach the North Wind a lesson.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. d
- 2. He thought he was all-powerful.
- 3. The man began walking along an avenue.

UNIT 13

EXERCISES

A 1. b	2. a	3. a	4. a	5. a
B 1. auto 4. van 7. horn 10. nut		2. nigh 5. worl 8. lag	tmares kout	3. equipment 6. irritable 9. warns
C 1. c 6. b	2. b 7. a	3. a 8. a	4. a 9. d	5. a 10. c

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. F / Alex has a nightmare that he fell during the race.
- 2. T
- 3. F / Alex wanted to eat something nutritious for breakfast.
- 4. T
- 5. T
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. c
- 2. Alex's father offered to help him pack his stuff.
- 3. The boy at the track asked Alex's autograph.

UNIT 14

EXERCISES

Α 1. a	2. b	3. a	4. c	5. b
B 1. d	2. a	3. b	4. b	5. d

С

1. lump / brick	2. uttering / reconciled
3. shutters /sparkled	4. stale / flushed
5. crumbled / dough	6. sift / shattered
7. fist / flexible	8. mixture / sprinkle
9. expressed / slight	10. ruined / injured

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. T
- 3. F / The dough needed to be soft and flexible.
- 4. F / The younger brother uttered a sigh.
- 5. T
- 6. F / A slight mistake now became a major problem.

Part B

- 1. b
- 2. When the older brother hit the dough with his fist, a glass shattered.
- 3. The kitchen was ruined.

UNIT 15

EXERCISES

Α

1. await / research 2. beloved / misery 3. variety / complained 4. confused / due 5. establish / climate 6. Although / prior 7. furnace / powerless 8. midst / mature 9. leash / measured 10. spaceship / apply В

	2. d 7. j		4. c 9. e	5. i 10. g
С				
1. a	2. b	3. c	4. e	5. d

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. F / Wires were applied to Laika's skin so that scientists could know how she felt.
- 3. F / Although Laika could not be buried, a memorial was established in her honor.
- 4. T
- 5. F / In a prior launch scientists sent a man-made object into space.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. a
- 2. The ship became as hot as a furnace.
- 3. Scientists applied wires to Laika's skin to measure her body's reactions.

UNIT 16

EXERCISES

Δ

- 1. misfortune / negative
- 2. bruise / altogether
- 3. sake / per
- 4. pleaded / disobedient
- 5. source / glimpsed
- 6. hoop / stitched
- 7. bound / custom
- 8. stern / ripped

9. thump / scraped

10. foresee / vehement

В

1. i 6. j	2. c 7. a	3. f 8. e	4. b 9. d	5. h 10. g
С				
1. d	2. i	3. h	4. j	5. g
6. c	7. b	8. f	9. a	10. e

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. T
- 3. F / There were six girls per team.
- 4. T
- 5. F / Stephanie asked Gwen to try her best for the sake of the team.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. d
- 2. They had an English class together.
- 3. Her teammate said it was awesome.



EXERCISES

A

1.b 2.a 3.a 4.a 5.a

В

1. c, d 2. a, d 3. a, b 4. c, d 5. a, c

С

1. herb	2. miracle	3. militant
4. helmet	5. appall	6. gut
7. fever	8. dip	9. alike
10. demography		

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. F / Most people were afraid to help the sick.
- 3. T

- 4. F / The Black Plague spread around the world.5. T
- 6. F / In the 1300s few people kept themselves clean.

Part B

- 1. a
- 2. They wore helmets that looked like birds and harmed people of different religions.

5. d

5. b

3. Fleas carried by rats spread the illness.

UNIT 18

EXERCISES A 1. b 2. c 3. a 4. c B 1. a 2. b 3. d 4. b

C				
1. e	2. j	3. d	4. a	5. g
6. b	7. c	8. h	9. i	10. f
D				
1. i	2. b	3. e	4. g	5. a
6. f	7. c	8. j	9. d	10. h

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

1. F / The title of the script was *The Lost Glove*. 2. T

- 3. F / Peter declined Robby's offer to practice together.
- 4. T
- 5. T
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. c
- 2. He thought the teacher would give him the role.
- 3. It was a comic play.

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UNIT 19

EXERCISES

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Α				
1. b	2. a	3. b	4. b	5. a
B 1. atmos 4. notifie 7. etc. 10. autho	d	2. stated 5. tray 8. aisle	3	 3. chapters 6. afflicted 9. breakdown
C 1. f 6. e	2. c 7. b	3. g 8. j	4. i 9. a	5. d 10. h
D 1. e 6. b	2. g 7. d	3. c 8. i	4. h 9. a	5. j 10. f

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. F / Isaac listened to music and read a book by his favorite author.
- 3. T
- 4. F / Isaac was still scared after the shaking stopped.
- 5. F / The pilot stated that the conditions in the atmosphere were bad.
- 6. T

Part B

1. c

- 2. They would bring him his dinner.
- 3. He was in an unfortunate place.



EXERCISES

Α				
1. ambition		2. dea	dline	3. nutrition
4. impatient		5. con	stantly	
в				
1. a	2. a	3. a	4. b	5. a

С

1. a	2. d	3. f	4. b	5. e
6. g	7. h	8. c		

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. F / Mt. Kilimanjaro is the tallest mountain in Africa.
- 2. F / Anyone in good health can climb Mt. Kilimanjaro.
- 3. T
- 4. T
- 5. F / Guides constantly tell climbers to go slowly.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. a
- 2. Climbers should exercise, eat well, and try to stay in good health.
- 3. They are afraid that the ice on the summit will melt.

UNIT 21

EXERCISES

EVENCE	525				
Α					
1. sum			2. vein		
3. relat	е		4. chro	onicles	
5. copp	ber		6. mille	ennium	
7. back	ground		8. veno	om	
9. trust	worthy		10. up	date	
	-				
В					
1. c	2. d	3. a	4. a	5. a	
С					
1. f	2. i	3. j	4. e	5. b	
6. a	7. h	8. c	9. d	10. g	
D					
1. e	2. d	3. b	4. f	5. i	
6. a	7. h	8. c	9. j	10. g	

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

1. F / A teller at a bank thought her fellow employees were stealing.

- 2. T
- 3. F / The venom was taken from a poisonous snake.
- 4. T
- 5. F / Three of her coworkers were scratching their hands and arms.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. d
- 2. The teller used a sum of money as a bait to catch her fellow employees.
- 3. It might hurt someone.



EXERCISES

A

- 1. mocking / temper
- 2. scribes / unity
- 3. hitchhiked / cozy
- 4. charity / goods
- 5. heeded / neutral
- 6. empire / commerce
- 7. victor / throne
- 8. reduced / pity
- 9. persecuted / economy
- 10. depleted / condemned

В

1. goods	2. depleted	charity
4. persecuted	5. victors	6. hitchhiked
7. mock	8. reduced	9. unity
10. empire		

5. c

С

1.c 2.b 3.d 4.a

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. F / The trees were important to the western areas' economy.
- 3. T
- 4. F / The emperor sat upon his throne, and the scribe stood in front of him.

- 5. F / The emperor condemned the citizens of the western areas to starve.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. a
- 2. They couldn't buy goods.
- 3. He showed his temper.

UNIT 23

EXERCISES

Α				
1. b	2. d	3. a	4. a	5. d
6. c	7. d	8. d	9. c	10. a
в				
1. g	2. d	3. f	4. h	5. j
6. e	7. b	8. i	9. a	10. c
С				
1. b	2. e	3. j	4. f	5. c
6. i	7. d	8. g	9. a	10. h

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. F / A tiny insect may have been the biggest factor in the death of these huge creatures.
- 3. T
- 4. F / A vast majority of dinosaurs, from the vegetarians to the meat eaters, died.
- 5. F / In addition, scientists have found the genetic material of mosquitoes in fossils.
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. b
- 2. We use pesticides.
- 3. They bit many dinosaurs.

UNIT 24

EXERCISES

Δ

1.a 2.b 3.c 4.c 5.a

В

1. hostile	2. dominate
3. incorrect	4. cooking
5. medication	6. prescription
7. bowl	8. peel
9. shortage	10. intake

С

1. c 2. d 3. c 4. a

D

- 1. hostile / shortage
- 2. obscured / dominated
- 3. skillful / bowl
- 4. dense / peel
- 5. incorrect / Likeweise
- 6. prescription / oppressed
- 7. cooking / dignity

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

1. T

- 2. F / The hostile army wanted to dominate and oppress the people.
- 3. T
- 4. F / The doctor showed the woman a dense patch of edible plants.
- 5. F / The doctor prescribed some pain medicine for the boy.
- 6. F / The woman gave the doctor a ceramic bowl to show her thanks.

Part B

- 1. a
- 2. They had traveled a long distance on foot.
- 3. The doctor wanted to help the woman's son because he wished to test a medicine.



EXERCISES

A 1. c	2. a	3. d	4. c	5. d
B 1. c	2. c	3. b	4. b	5. b

С

1. b 2. b 3. b 4. b 5. d

D

5. c

- 1. hardy / traverse
- 3. migrate / aircraft
- 5. extinct / swamp
- 7. zoology / nurture

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. F / The journey on the aircraft to Australia took twenty hours.
- 2. F / Gilbert was a professor of zoology.
- 3. F / Gilbert was hardier than Eliza.
- 4. T
- 5. T
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. d
- 2. Gilbert thought that the find would make him a celebrity.
- 3. Gilbert wanted to take the red lizard to the Zoology Institute.

UNIT 26

EXERCISES

Α

1. b 2. c 3. d 4. a 5. a

В

- 1. tactic / energy
- 2. knowledge / frequent
- 3. docks / anchor
- 4. omit / offset
- 5. genuine / secondhand

С

D 1. a

1. a, c 2. a, d 3. a, b 5. c, d 4. a, b

5. b

2. b 3. b 4. a

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- 2. celebrity / institute

4. jealousy / esteemed

6. species / secluded

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. F / Jane thought she would precipitate a disaster if she made her frequent mistakes.
- 2. T
- 3. F / Jane put grease on the intricate motor's gears.
- 4. T
- 5. T
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. d
- 2. Because she had to sail the boat without help.
- 3. Mike lied about being trapped under the deck.

UNIT 27

EXERCISES

A 1. b	2. c	3. а	4. c	5. b
В 1. а	2. b	3. a	4. b	5. a
C 1. wood 3. feder 5. exoti 7. comp	ral	/e	2. distr 4. obje 6. oxyg 8. equ	ective gen
9. comparative			10. beneficial	

D

1. d 2. a 3. b 4. d 5. a

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. F / Rainforests provide much of the world's oxygen supply.
- 2. T
- 3. T
- 4. F / These humid, wooded mountaintops are mainly in African and Central and South American countries.
- 5. T
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. a
- 2. They pull it in from clouds.
- 3. Some people want to get federal money to protect the forests.

UNIT 28

EXERCISES

A

В

1. d	2. d	3. а	4. a	5. c

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1. c	2. a	3. c	4. b	5. d

С

- 1. riot / shrine
- 2. paraphrased / defined
- 3. presently / expand
- 4. avail / solitude
- 5. fundamental / worsen
- 6. scribble / linger
- 7. horrifying / dreaded
- 8. incredulous / stark
- 9. summon / organism
- 10. random / plague

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. F / In 430 BCE, a horrifying plague broke out in Athens.
- 2. T
- 3. T
- 4. F / Thucydides was incredulous that the plague was caused by the gods.
- 5. T
- 6. T

Part B

- 1. c
- 2. Because people were hiding from the army.
- 3. The plague was spread between people.

UNIT 29

EXERCISES

A

- 2. era / solar
- 3. pollute / incorporate
- 4. corporate / confidential
- 5. phenomenon / mobile
- 6. automobile / parallel
- 7. transportation / ridiculed
- 8. guidelines / intervals
- 9. modify / territories
- 10. tournament / interact

В

1. pollute	2. tournament
3. parallel	4. modify
5. ridiculed	6. era
7. interact	8. incorporate
9. automobiles	10. candidate

С

1. d	2. c	3. b	4. b	5. a

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. T
- 2. T
- 3. F / The cars incorporate solar panels onto the outside that lie parallel to each other.
- 4. F / These cars drive over 3,000 kilometers across the Australian territories.
- 5. T
- 6. F / They must stop at certain intervals to charge their batteries.

Part B

- 1. a
- 2. The most important feature of the race cars is the solar panels.
- 3. The race is competitive.

UNIT 30

EXERCISES

Α				
1. a	2. a	3. d	4. b	5. d
6. d	7. a	8. c	9. b	10. d
В				
1. i	2. d	3. b	4. j	5. g
6. e	7. f	8. a	9. c	10. h
С				
1. j	2. h	3. e	4. a	5. f
6. b	7. i	8. c	9. g	10. d

READING COMPREHENSION

Part A

- 1. F / Martin was a farmer who grew organic ginseng and poultry.
- 2. T
- 3. T
- 4. F / Tom's stance on discipline was too strong.
- 5. T
- 6. F / The brothers could not see the land's boundary.

Part B

- 1. b
- 2. The brothers were consistent about bad business and arguing.
- 3. He was greedy and took home clothes.