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Words & Phrases
Second Edition

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PARTRIDGE

1. LAZY

Meaning:

A Lazy person is someone who does not like to work hard or does not like to be active.

Examples:

1. She won't work, she's too *lazy*.
2. I've never seen such a *lazy* person before. He lies in bed all day and does nothing.

To understand more look it up in a dictionary. Then make your own sentences below.

1. _____.
2. _____.
3. _____.

2. ILL

Meaning:

To be ill means having a disease or feeling as if your body or mind has been harmed by not being able to work as it should. Not well or unhealthy

Examples:

1. I'm not going to work tomorrow. I'm *ill* and the doctor told me to stay in bed.
2. You're *ill* several times a year. It's time to go to the doctor.

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1. _____.
2. _____.
3. _____.

3. FEVER

Meanings:

- a. It is a body temperature that is higher than normal
- b. It may also mean a state of excited emotion or activity

Examples:

- 1. Doctor, I am having a headache, *fever* and cough. Am I having flu?
- 2. The whole city seems to be in the football *fever* of EURO 2012.

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- 1. _____.
- 2. _____.
- 3. _____.

4. TO CROSS

Meaning:

To cross means to go from one side of (something) to the other.

Examples:

- 1. He was the first runner to *cross* the finish line.
- 2. The hunters took 5 days to *cross* the forest.

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- 1. _____.
- 2. _____.
- 3. _____.

5. BRIDGE

Meanings:

- a. A structure built over something (such as a river) so that people or vehicles can get across (b) something that joins or connects different people or things

Examples :

1. Let's cross the river here. I think it's the only *bridge* in the village.
2. Her work serves as a *bridge* between the past and the present.

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1. _____.
2. _____.
3. _____.

6. TO BURN

Meanings:

To destroy or damage something by fire or heat.

Examples:

1. The fire started at 6 p.m. and the whole city was *burning* after only 4 hours.
2. If you play with the matches, you will *burn* yourself!

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1. _____.
2. _____.
3. _____.

7. ECONOMY

Meaning:

The process or system by which goods and services are produced, sold, and bought in a country or region.

Examples:

1. The government should improve the state of the *economy*.
2. The high unemployment resulted from the *economy* crisis of 2008-09.

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1. _____.
2. _____.
3. _____.

8. TECHNIQUE

Meaning:

A way of doing something by using special knowledge or skill.

Examples:

1. I want to practice some new photographic *technique*.
2. Psychologists develop new learning *techniques*.

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1. _____.
2. _____.
3. _____.

9. COMPLIMENT

Meaning:

A remark that says something good about someone or something

Examples:

1. What a lovely dress! Oh, thanks for the *compliment*.
2. He couldn't take his eyes off her and was telling her many *compliments* at the party.

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1. _____.
2. _____.
3. _____.

10. SMOKE

Meaning:

The cloud of black, gray, or white gases and dust that is produced by burning something

Examples:

1. There was a lot of *smoke* coming from the bonfire made by our neighbors.
2. Do you mind if I *smoke* here? No, I'd rather you go out, I can't stand the cigarette smoke.

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