

Eclipse

by Stephenie Meyer

Pre-Reading Vocabulary Practice

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About the Pre-Reading Activity

Open-dictionary; ungraded or completion grade. Students preview 20 words from the upcoming reading, each in a sentence that supports understanding. They choose the best meaning from 3 choices.

About the Optional Post-Reading Quiz

Use after reading, or skip. The same words appear in excerpts from the text.

Practice words: agony, chagrin, charade, consternation, deliberate (2), disgruntled, faint, focus (2), glower, however (2), mock (2), petulant, resolve (2), subtle (2)



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ANSWER KEY

Vocabulary Preview

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Vocabulary Preview

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Name _____ Date _____ Period _____

Read each prompt. Then choose the best meaning for the bold word.

1. She cried out in **agony**.
 - A. sudden surprise
 - B. intense anger
 - C. intense suffering
2. The state cut education funding, much to the **chagrin** of our school board.
 - A. ignorance
 - B. surprise
 - C. disappointment
3. Their participation in negotiations is a **charade** to buy time.
 - A. false display
 - B. stalling tactic
 - C. distraction
4. She is a natural athlete, but to the coach's **consternation**, she tends to forget the play in the heat of the moment.
 - A. prediction
 - B. dismay
 - C. blame
5. She **deliberately** added false information to the Wikipedia page.
 - A. intentionally
 - B. carelessly
 - C. accidentally
6. We need to **deliberate** on this further before making a decision.
 - A. wait
 - B. delay
 - C. talk
7. Since the change, many **disgruntled** employees complain of worsening working conditions.
 - A. veteran
 - B. loyal
 - C. unhappy
8. He **fainted** left and then charged from the right.
 - A. faked
 - B. attacked strongly
 - C. moved sideways
9. This week, I'm **focusing** on finishing my research paper.
 - A. concentrating
 - B. depending
 - C. getting help
10. The **focus** of this class is classic American Literature.
 - A. hardest part
 - B. area where attention is concentrated
 - C. prerequisite (understanding required to enroll)
11. She **glowered** at the ref, but she held her tongue.
 - A. winked happily
 - B. stared angrily
 - C. smiled briefly

12. I hope to take the ACT just once. However, I will take it early, so there is time to study and take it again if my scores aren't high enough.
- A. but
 - B. also
 - C. and
13. However safe we make it, there will always be risk.
- A. on-the-other-hand
 - B. in addition
 - C. no matter how
14. American's have a hard time understanding that to mock Islam is to invite violence.
- A. discriminate against
 - B. not believe in
 - C. make fun of
15. It is an exercise where the two divisions take part in a mock battle.
- A. low-casualty
 - B. not real
 - C. high-casualty
16. The **petulant** child threw his toys whenever he didn't get his way.
- A. cheerful
 - B. cranky
 - C. hungry
17. She is testing my **resolve** to keep a good attitude.
- A. determination
 - B. ability
 - C. optimism
18. This feud will never be **resolved** with violence.
- A. properly considered
 - B. settled or solved
 - C. reduced or understood
19. She likes dramatic statements, but he prefers to be **subtle**.
- A. quiet and action-oriented
 - B. understated so as not to draw excess attention
 - C. a careful listener
20. She has a good eye for **subtle** differences in color.
- A. contrasting
 - B. complementary
 - C. minor

Vocabulary in Context

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Name _____ Date _____ Period _____ Score _____ / 20

Read each prompt. Then choose the best meaning for the bold word.

- 1 While they discussed things to do in Port Angeles or maybe Hoquiam, I began to feel **disgruntled**.
 - A. not made different; or shown to be different
 - B. not changed directly from a solid to a vapor
 - C. dissatisfied – typically unhappy and annoyed
- 2 Edward scrutinized my face while I **deliberated**.
 - A. gradually added or removed
 - B. limited or with boundaries
 - C. thought with great care
- 3 "Don't worry about me," he insisted, smiling with **deliberate** cheer, too brightly.
 - A. intentional
 - B. serving to help explain or demonstrate something
 - C. most important; or person that is most important
- 4 The blood rushed into my face, fueled by irritation and **chagrin**.
 - A. recognize the value or importance of; and/or to be grateful for
 - B. degrade (decrease) the purity, quality, or status of something
 - C. bad feeling such as embarrassment, disappointment, or annoyance
- 5 She would keep repeating the same pattern – **feint** and run, feint and run – until she found a hole through my defenders.
 - A. any distracting or deceptive maneuver; or the act of making the maneuver
 - B. design based on alphabetic letters; or adding such a design to something
 - C. characterized by narrower parallel folds when closed and wider when open
- 6 He grinned a **mocking** grin.
 - A. concentrating
 - B. bouncing back
 - C. making fun
- 7 Because Embry was clearly the thinner gray wolf with the dark spots on his back, who sat so patiently watching, while Quil – deep chocolate brown, lighter over his face – twitched constantly, looking like he was dying to join in the **mock** fight.
 - A. not real
 - B. pretend (not real)
 - C. allowing
- 8 Absentmindedly, I twisted my right hand to the side, and watched the sunlight glitter **subtly** off the scar James had left there.
 - A. in a manner related to a mental illness most commonly associated with undeveloped social abilities, language, and other communication skills
 - B. in a manner like a virus (often used to indicate that something spread quickly from person-to-person in a natural, unplanned manner)
 - C. in a slightly noticeable manner
- 9 Charlie, in an obvious maneuver that he meant to be **subtle**, shrugged in between us and put his arm around my shoulders.
 - A. mental activity of which one is not self-aware
 - B. understated so as not to draw attention
 - C. the state or degree of being greater than zero
- 10 She **focused** on her pile for a minute.
 - A. concentrated
 - B. thought carefully and made a judgment about
 - C. began speaking with someone about something

- 11 *She was so close to what she wanted – the **focus** of her whole existence for more than a year now was justso close.*
- A. calculating or judging too high
 - B. where attention is concentrated
 - C. the ability to take on or adopt
- 12 *My voice was **petulant**.*
- A. the degree to which something is able to change or is different
 - B. unreasonably annoyed or upset
 - C. not trustworthy, or improper, or attracting unwelcome attention
- 13 *Alice dropped me off in the morning, in keeping with the slumber party **charade**.*
- A. a situation in which people act as though something is true that is not
 - B. the act of finding fault and telling others; or a description of faults
 - C. the process of thinking carefully and making a judgment about something
- 14 *I was shocked to see that he was **glowering** at Alice, his hands fisted in anger.*
- A. making possible
 - B. staring angrily
 - C. moving downward
- 15 *Perhaps if we can talk to these young ones, explain the rules, it can be **resolved** peacefully.*
- A. helped make clear
 - B. settled
 - C. thought carefully
- 16 *I labored to put some **resolve** into my tone.*
- A. firmness of purpose
 - B. wrongly translating
 - C. difficult situation
- 17 *It wasn't until I pulled the truck in and got out that I realized the **consternation** might not be entirely about my safety this time.*
- A. related to the smallest part of any material that cannot be broken up by chemical means
 - B. dismay (unhappiness, worry, and often confusion) -- typically over something unexpected
 - C. a type of vocal music that originated in African-American churches in the United States
- 18 *With another shock, I realized that the circle was made up of Taha Aki's great – to **however** many degrees – grandsons.*
- A. people who are good at or spend much time studying, thinking, and reasoning
 - B. aka analysis -- psychiatric treatment; or a theory of psychiatric treatment
 - C. whatever amount of
- 19 *Alice, **however**, found the question very interesting.*
- A. a word used to connect contrasting ideas as when using *though, in spite of that, in contrast, nevertheless*, etc.
 - B. in keeping with or in agreement with what was just stated
 - C. therefore (for that reason)
- 20 *and Seth, howling in **agony** .*
- A. size or dimension
 - B. circular movement
 - C. intense feelings of suffering (can be from mental or physical pain)

ANSWER KEY

Vocabulary in Context

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#	KEY	WORD	NOTE
1	C	disgruntled	Used 4 times in this book.
2	C	deliberate (<i>as in: need to deliberate</i>)	Used 6 times in this book; 2 meanings in this book.
3	A	deliberate (<i>as in: deliberate insult</i>)	Used 6 times in this book; 2 meanings in this book.
4	C	chagrin	Used 4 times in this book.
5	A	feint	Used 5 times in this book.
6	C	mock (<i>as in: don't mock me</i>)	High-utility academic word; 2 meanings in this book.
7	B	mock (<i>as in: a mock trial</i>)	High-utility academic word; 2 meanings in this book.
8	C	subtle (<i>as in: a subtle difference or thinker</i>)	High-utility academic word; 3 meanings in this book.
9	B	subtle (<i>as in: a subtle shade of blue</i>)	High-utility academic word; 3 meanings in this book.
10	A	focus (<i>as in: Turn your focus to question #2.</i>)	High-utility academic word; 3 meanings in this book.
11	B	focus (<i>as in: The focus of our study is...</i>)	High-utility academic word; 3 meanings in this book.
12	B	petulant	Used 3 times in this book.
13	A	charade	Used 4 times in this book.
14	B	glower	Used 17 times in this book.
15	B	resolve (<i>as in: How was the problem resolved?</i>)	High-utility academic word; 2 meanings in this book.
16	A	resolve (<i>as in: Her resolve weakened.</i>)	High-utility academic word; 2 meanings in this book.
17	B	consternation	Used 3 times in this book.
18	C	however (<i>as in: However much she tried...</i>)	2 meanings in this book.
19	A	however (<i>as in: However, complications may...</i>)	High-utility academic word; 2 meanings in this book.
20	C	agony	Used 18 times in this book.