Vocabulary Lesson 48

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Practice Problems with Solution

ONE WORD SUBSTITUTION

1. Able to use both the hands equally well - **Ambidextrous**

2. Any animal that can live both on land and in water // a cold-blooded vertebrate typically living on land but breeding in water - **Amphibians**

3. A person who believes that laws and governments are not necessary - **Anarchist**

4. The feeling of not being interested in or enthusiastic - **Apathy**

5. A large body of water with many islands- **Archipelago**

6. That can be heard clearly - **Audible**

7. Made or done in the tradition - **Authentic**

8. Behaviour/ language that insults/shows a lack of respect for god/ religion - **Blasphemy**

9. Eats the flesh of other animals (animal) - **Carnivore**

10. A complete list of items, for example, of things that people can look at/buy- **Catalogue**

IDIOMS AND PHRASES

1. **Pore over –** Go through

2. **Make both ends meet –** To live a lavish life

3. **Run down -** Criticize

4. **Grease anybody's palm –** To give bribe

5. **Leave in the lurch –** Abandon in the midway/difficult situation

6. **Caught red handed –** At the time of committing crime

7. **On the brink of –** On the point of

8. **Face the music –** Face the unpleasant consequences

9. **Gift of the gab –** Ability to speak impressively

10. **Go down the drain –** Lose forever

ANTONYMS

1. **CURTAIL –** RESUME

2. **AFFIRMATION –** DENIAL

3. **CONCISE –** LENGTHY

4. **PRUDENT –** UNWISE

5. **DESPISE –** ADMIRE

6. **GRUESOME –** GRACIOUS

7. **CHARMING –** REPULSIVE

8. **HARASS –** RELIEVE

9. **ABUNDANT –** MEAGRE

10. **ENIGMATIC –** SIMPLE

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