

# Reading Level 1 Vocabulary Workbook

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# EC1 Reading: Daily Life

## Vocabulary Instruction

Key: Noun (n) Verb (v) Adjective (adj) Adverb (adv)

Words & Word Families	Definitions & Synonyms	Examples
<b>application (noun)</b>	a written, formal request for a job, school, money, etc.	<i>They are looking at John's <u>application</u> to decide if he is the best person for the job. (n)</i>
<b>applicable (adj)</b>	something that is applicable affects a group of people or a situation	<i>I do not like studying history because I think it is not <u>applicable</u> to my life. (adj)</i>
<b>apply (v)</b>	to put a thin layer of something on a surface	<i>Every morning, I <u>apply</u> sunscreen to my face to protect it from the sun. (adj)</i>
<b>culture (noun)</b>	the habits, beliefs and way of life of a group of people	<i>In my <u>culture</u> we take our shoes off before we enter the house. (n)</i>
<b>cultural (adj)</b>	relating to music, literature, painting and acting	<i>Mary enjoys going to different <u>cultural</u> events. (adj)</i>
<b>cultured (adj)</b>	having good manners, education and style	<i>He is a <u>cultured</u> man because he reads a lot of books. (adj)</i>
<b>flu (noun)</b>	a common sickness that makes people feel hot, tired and weak	<i>Tom cannot go to school because he has the <u>flu</u>. (n)</i>
<b>goal (noun)</b>	something that you are trying to do or get	<i>My <u>goal</u> for this month is to eat more vegetables and fruit. (n)</i>
<b>guest (noun)</b>	a person who is invited to someone's home or to an event	<i>There are 500 <u>guests</u> at the party. (n)</i>
<b>heater (noun)</b>	a machine that makes air or water hot	<i>I turn on the <u>heater</u> when I feel cold at home. (n)</i>
<b>heated (adj)</b>	excited, angry	<i>They are having a <u>heated</u> conversation about what type of music is the best. (adj)</i>
<b>heat (v)</b>	to make something warmer or hot	<i>Can you <u>heat</u> up the pizza, please? (v)</i>
<b>holiday (noun)</b>	a time when people do not have to go to work or school; a special time to celebrate	<i>Christmas is my favorite <u>holiday</u> because I love receiving presents. (n)</i>

<b>improve (v)</b>	to make or become better	<i>You can <u>improve</u> your English by watching movies in English. (v)</i>
<b>improvement (n)</b>	the process or state of getting better	<i>Sam's mother noticed much <u>improvement</u> in her son's behavior. (n)</i>
<b>ingredient (noun)</b>	one of the things that is used to make a food or a product	<i>The <u>ingredients</u> in this cookie are eggs, sugar, flour, and salt. (n)</i>
<b>pattern (noun)</b>	the way something happens regularly and repeatedly	<i>Every morning, I follow a <u>pattern</u> of waking up, doing homework, eating breakfast and getting dressed. (n)</i>

## Daily Life: Vocabulary Practice

### Questions

- Match one vocabulary word from the left column with each definition on the right.

Vocabulary	Definitions
Application	One of the things that is used to make a food or a product
Culture	A person who is invited to someone's home or an event
Flu	A written, formal request for a job, school, money, etc.
Goal	A machine that makes air or water hot
Guest	A time when people do not have to go to work or school; a special time to celebrate
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Holiday	
Improve	
Ingredient	
Pattern	

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Vocabulary	Synonyms
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Culture	We have a <u>visitor</u> right now. Can you come back tomorrow?
Flu	She hates her job because she is tired of the same <u>routine</u> every day.
Goal	I'm trying to <u>increase</u> my reading speed.
Guest	The <u>objective</u> of this cooking class is to help students prepare healthy meals.
Heater	
Holiday	
Improve	
Ingredient	
Pattern	

3. Use these words to fill in the blanks in the paragraphs below. Write each word in the correct blank. You can use each word only one time.

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heater	holiday	improve	ingredient	pattern

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States. They celebrate Christmas each year. However, in Middle Eastern countries Christmas is not very important. This is because every country has different customs and traditions. These customs and traditions are part of each country's \_\_\_\_\_.

I really enjoy Christmas time. In my family, we have some special traditions. My mother always invites

friends to our home on Christmas day. She tries to make our \_\_\_\_\_ feel welcome in our home. I like to

watch her cook before people come. I usually sit by the \_\_\_\_\_ where it is nice and warm. I watch her prepare the turkey. She has a secret recipe with special \_\_\_\_\_. My mother's turkey is so delicious!

The only thing I don't like about Christmas time is that I usually get sick. Every year I get the \_\_\_\_\_. I usually have to stay in bed for a few days.

Every year is a new beginning. I like to make \_\_\_\_\_ before each new year begins. I want to \_\_\_\_\_

myself and become a better person every year. I try to think of people who are good examples. Then I try to be like those people.

## Daily Life: Vocabulary Key

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Heater	[Heater] A machine that makes air or water hot
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The only thing I don't like about Christmas time is that I usually get sick. Every year I get the **flu**. I usually have to stay in bed for a few days.

Every year is a new beginning. I like to make **goals** before each new year begins. I want to **improve** myself and become a better person every year. I try to think of people who are good examples. Then I try to be like those people.

# EC1 Reading: Social Communication

## Vocabulary Instruction

Key: Noun (n) Verb (v) Adjective (adj) Adverb (adv)

Words & Word Families	Definitions & Synonyms	Examples
<b>article (n)</b>	a piece of writing about a subject; it is normally found in newspapers, magazines, etc.	<i>This morning, I read a few magazine <u>articles</u> about technology. (n)</i>
<b>belief (n)</b>	a strong feeling that someone or something exists, is true, good, or right	<i>It is my religious <u>belief</u> that Sunday is a day of worship. (n)</i>
<b>believe (v)</b>	to accept that something is true, or that someone is telling the truth	<i>You should not <u>believe</u> everything you watch on TV. (v)</i>
<b>unbelievable (adj)</b>	something extremely good or bad that makes you feel surprised	<i>My trip to China was <u>unbelievable</u>! You should also visit China if you have time. (adj)</i>
<b>classical (adj)</b>	art forms that have been respected for a very long time	<i>I love watching <u>classical</u> dance, but I don't enjoy modern dance very much. (adj)</i>
<b>classic (adj)</b>	typical; having qualities that you would expect to find	<i>She is a <u>classic</u> example of a loving mother. (adj)</i>
<b>classy (adj)</b>	expensive, stylish, fashionable, high-quality	<i>My boyfriend took me to a <u>classy</u> Italian restaurant yesterday because it was my birthday. (adj)</i>
<b>club (n)</b>	a group of people who meet together often to participate in an activity, e.g. sports, hobby	<i>My friends and I belong to a fitness <u>club</u>. Every Wednesday, we go to the gym. (n)</i>
<b>connect (v)</b>	to join something together	<i>People can <u>connect</u> their phones to the Internet for free in some restaurants. (v)</i>



<b>connected (adj)</b>	having important or rich friends; having useful social and professional relationships	<i>Josh has many powerful and important friends. He is a well-<u>connected</u> lawyer. (adj)</i>
<b>connection (n)</b>	a link or relationship between people or things e.g. cause and effect	<i>There are <u>connections</u> between smoking and heart problems. (n)</i>
<b>dessert (n)</b>	sweet food item that is usually eaten at the end of a meal	<i>My favorite <u>dessert</u> is chocolate cheesecake. (n)</i>
<b>interest (n)</b>	something that you enjoy doing or studying in your spare time	<i>I have many <u>interests</u>. I enjoy reading, hiking, singing, and painting in my free time. (n)</i>
<b>interested (adj)</b>	showing curiosity in something	<i>I am <u>interested</u> in hearing about your trip to Thailand! Did you do anything fun? (adj)</i>
<b>interesting (adj)</b>	catching your attention because it is exciting and unusual	<i>This is a very <u>interesting</u> book about animals. (adj)</i>
<b>picnic (n)</b>	a meal that is eaten outdoors, especially in the countryside or at the beach	<i>My family is going to have a <u>picnic</u> in the park this Saturday. (n)</i>
<b>picnic (v)</b>	to eat a meal outdoors	<i>We <u>picnicked</u> on sandwiches and potato chips. (v)</i>
<b>similar (adj)</b>	almost the same as someone or something	<i>Our t-shirts have <u>similar</u> patterns. (adj)</i>
<b>similarity (n)</b>	a quality that makes someone or something almost the same as another	<i>These two movies share a number of <u>similarities</u>. (n)</i>
<b>dissimilar (adj)</b>	not the same as someone or something	<i>Indian food and Greek food are very <u>dissimilar</u>. (adj)</i>
<b>survey (n)</b>	an activity where people answer one or many questions so as to find out their thoughts, feelings, and behaviors	<i>I am going to carry out a <u>survey</u> to find out how people study for their exams. (n)</i>
<b>survey (v)</b>	to look at all parts of something carefully	<i>The teacher <u>surveyed</u> the room to make sure that all the students</i>

		<i>were doing their homework. (v)</i>
<b>surveillance (n)</b>	watching someone or something carefully, especially to stop a crime from happening	<i>The police believe that she has stolen the money. That is why they kept her under <u>surveillance</u>. (n)</i>

## Social Communication: Vocabulary Practice

### Questions

1. Match one vocabulary word from the left column with each definition on the right.

Vocabulary	Definitions
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<b>club</b>	almost the same as someone or something
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There will be music at the activity as well. The leaders already know the types of music the students enjoy. Many students have a \_\_\_\_\_ taste in music. Most of them like pop and country music. Most of them don't like \_\_\_\_\_ music. They think it is boring. They also think rock music is annoying.

# Social Communication: Vocabulary Answers

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# EC1 Reading: Education

## Vocabulary Instruction

Key: Noun (n) Verb (v) Adjective (adj) Adverb (adv)

Words & Word Families	Definitions & Synonyms	Examples
<b>apply (v)</b>	to ask for something usually in writing (such as a job or school admission)	<i>I will <u>apply</u> for the job. (v)</i>
<b>apply (v)</b>	having to do with something; related to something	<i>Choose all answers that <u>apply</u> to the question. (v)</i>
<b>attend (v)</b>	to go to a class, meeting, or event	<i>I <u>attend</u> church every Sunday. (v)</i>
<b>attendance (n)</b>	to be present at a place; a record of how many times someone has gone to a class	<i>Kelly has perfect <u>attendance</u> because she has never missed a class at school. (n)</i>
<b>error (n)</b>	something that is not correct; a mistake	<i>He failed the test because he had too many <u>errors</u>. (n)</i>
<b>erroneous (adj)</b>	incorrect	<i>Your description is <u>erroneous</u>. (adj)</i>
<b>fact (n)</b>	something that is true; not an opinion	<i>The police looked at the <u>facts</u> of the case. (n)</i>
<b>factual (adj)</b>	based on facts, not on opinion	<i><u>Factual</u> information is reported in the news. (adj)</i>
<b>flat (adj)</b>	having a level, smooth surface with little thickness	<i>My piece of paper is <u>flat</u>. (adj)</i>
<b>flatten (v)</b>	to make something smooth or flat	<i>He <u>flattened</u> the wrinkled paper. (v)</i>
<b>form (n)</b>	a paper or website with spaces to enter information	<i>She entered information in the job application <u>form</u>. (n)</i>
<b>hypothesis (n)</b>	an educated guess about how something works or why something happens	<i>My <u>hypothesis</u> about how to fix the problem was correct. (n)</i>
<b>hypothesize (v)</b>	to make an educated guess	<i>I <u>hypothesize</u> that if we spend less money, we will be happier. (v)</i>
<b>intensive (adj)</b>	concentrated on one subject or in a short amount of time	<i>The <u>intensive</u> math course is three weeks long. (adj)</i>
<b>intense (adj)</b>	very focused, serious, or strong	<i>The doctor needed <u>intense</u> concentration to perform surgery. (adj)</i>
<b>intensely (adv)</b>	Very focused, serious, or strong	<i>He was up all night studying <u>intensely</u> for the exam. (adv)</i>

<b>lesson (n)</b>	one part of a course or a subject that is taught	<i>I learned a lot from today's <u>lesson</u> about baking bread. (n)</i>
<b>period (n)</b>	a length of time in which something happens	<i>I was sick for a <u>period</u> last winter. (n)</i>
<b>periodically (adv)</b>	happening at certain consistent times; happening occasionally	<i>I go on vacation <u>periodically</u>. (v)</i>

Words & Word Families	Definitions & Synonyms	Examples
<b>presenter (n)</b>	a person who gives information to a group of people	The <u>presenter</u> was very prepared and interesting. (n)
<b>presentation (n)</b>	information given to a group of people	The <u>presentation</u> on English verbs was really helpful. (n)
<b>present (v)</b>	to give information to a group of people	I will <u>present</u> my idea to my co-workers at the meeting tomorrow. (v)
<b>puzzle (n)</b>	a problem or a question that needs to be solved	The homework assignment was a <u>puzzle</u> . (n)
<b>puzzle (n)</b>	a game where you try to fit pieces together correctly	The little children played with a <u>puzzle</u> at school.
<b>region (n)</b>	a certain area of a country or the world that is different from other parts	She is from the cold <u>region</u> of the country. (n)
<b>regional (adj)</b>	of a certain area of a country or the world that is different from other parts	Her <u>regional</u> clothing is beautiful. (adj)
<b>Regionally (adv)</b>	doing something related to a certain area of a country or the world	He works for a <u>regionally</u> based company. (adv)
<b>science (n)</b>	the study of nature and the world around us by observing facts and doing experiments	<u>Science</u> helps people understand the world around them. (n)
<b>scientist (n)</b>	A person who studies nature and the world around us by observing facts and doing experiments	The <u>scientist</u> was famous for developing television. (n)
<b>scientific (adj)</b>	related to science	She was part of a <u>scientific</u> research project. (adj)
<b>semester (n)</b>	an amount of time that courses last, usually in high school or university	At the end of the <u>semester</u> , there are many tests. (n)
<b>sequence (n)</b>	the order in which things or events happen	She put her assignments in <u>sequence</u> starting from the beginning of the year. (n)
<b>sequential (adj)</b>	describing something in order	The training had <u>sequential</u> events. (adj)
<b>sequentially (adv)</b>	doing something in order	She organized the photos <u>sequentially</u> . (adv)
<b>slide (n)</b>	one set of images and/or text shown in a presentation, usually using a computer and a projector	She made a <u>slide</u> show of her trip to London to show all her friends.
<b>trial (n)</b>	a test of something	A <u>trial</u> of the new medicine shows that it is safe to use. (n)
<b>trial (n)</b>	a difficult event or situation in life	His mother's death was a great <u>trial</u> in his life. (n)



<b>united (adj)</b>	related to people or groups of people coming together for a purpose	<i>The <u>united</u> family supported each other. (n)</i>
<b>unite (v)</b>	to bring people or groups of people together for a purpose	<i>The countries will <u>unite</u> to protect the environment. (v)</i>
<b>university (n)</b>	a type of school that teaches courses that lead to a degree (such as a bachelor's or master's degree)	<i>I learn so much in my <u>university</u> classes. (n)</i>

# Education: Vocabulary Practice

## Questions

1. **PART A:** Match one vocabulary word from the left column with each definition on the right.

Vocabulary	Definitions
<b>apply</b>	concentrated on one subject or in a short amount of time
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<b>error</b>	having a level, smooth surface with little thickness
<b>fact</b>	something that is not correct
<b>flat</b>	to go to a class, meeting, or event; to be present at a place
<b>form</b>	
<b>hypothesis</b>	
<b>intensive</b>	
<b>lesson</b>	
<b>period</b>	

- PART B:** Match one vocabulary word from the left column with each definition on the right.

Vocabulary	Definitions
<b>presenter</b>	the order in which things or events happen
<b>puzzle</b>	a certain area of a country or the world that is different from other parts
<b>region</b>	related to people or groups of people coming together for a purpose
<b>science</b>	a test of something; a difficult event or situation in life
<b>semester</b>	
<b>sequence</b>	an amount of time that courses last, usually in high school or university
<b>slide</b>	

<b>trial</b>	
<b>united</b>	
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2. **PART A:** Each underlined word in the sentences on the right is a synonym for one of the words on the left. Match each synonym with the appropriate word in the left column.

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## Education: Vocabulary Answers

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<b>puzzle</b>	

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# EC1 Reading: Ethics and Values

## Vocabulary Instruction

Key: Noun (n) Verb (v) Adjective (adj) Adverb (adv)

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<b>adopt (v)</b>	to take another person's child or a new pet legally as your own	<i>We <u>adopted</u> a dog from the animal shelter. (v)</i>
<b>adoption (n)</b>	the process of taking another person's child or a new pet legally as your own	<i>It took a long time to complete the <u>adoption</u> for our daughter. (n)</i>
<b>arrange (v)</b>	to plan something by organizing the details before it happens	<i>I need to <u>arrange</u> dinner for our guests. (v)</i>
<b>arrangement (n)</b>	something that is done to plan something before it happens	<i>I finished the <u>arrangements</u> for when our guests will be here. (n)</i>
<b>attachment (n)</b>	a file, document, or image that is sent with something, usually an email	<i>The email from Melissa has an <u>attachment</u>. (n)</i>
<b>attach (v)</b>	to connect something with something else	<i>Jorge <u>attached</u> his essay to his email. (v)</i>
<b>attached (adj)</b>	connected to something	<i>Did you read the <u>attached</u> flyer? (adj)</i>
<b>attention (n)</b>	a person's focus; the act of carefully listening to, looking at, or thinking about something	<i>Jordana always pays <u>attention</u> to the needs of other people. (n)</i>
<b>attention span (n)</b>	the length of time that a person is able to listen to, look at, or carefully think about something	<i>Young children have shorter <u>attention spans</u> than adults. (n)</i>
<b>attentive (adj)</b>	listening to, looking at, or thinking about something carefully	<i>The students are very <u>attentive</u> when the teacher reads books. (adj)</i>
<b>Christianity (n)</b>	a religion in which followers believe in Jesus Christ and follow his teaching	<i><u>Christianity</u> is one of the major world religions. (n)</i>
<b>Christian (n)</b>	a person who believes in Jesus Christ	<i>There are more than 2.4 billion <u>Christians</u> in the world today. (n)</i>

<b>Christian (adj)</b>	used to describe a belief or action related to Christianity	<i>Argentina is considered a <u>Christian</u> country. (adj)</i>
<b>commitment (n)</b>	a promise to do something	<i>Joseph has a very important <u>commitment</u> at work this week. (n)</i>
<b>commit (v)</b>	to promise to do something	<i>Can you <u>commit</u> to attend the conference next month? (v)</i>
<b>committed (adj)</b>	willing to give your effort to something; loyal	<i>We are very <u>committed</u> to this project. (adj)</i>
<b>conflict (n)</b>	a struggle, fight, or war over power or property	<i>There is a lot of <u>conflict</u> between countries in the world. (n)</i>
<b>conflict (v)</b>	not agreeing or being consistent with something else	<i>Her story <u>conflicts</u> with his story. (v)</i>
<b>conflicted (adj)</b>	having feelings that do not agree	<i>Mary feels <u>conflicted</u> about starting her new job; she wants a job, but she does not like this one. (adj)</i>
<b>dependent (adj)</b>	needing help or support from someone or something else	<i>Young children are completely <u>dependent</u> on their parents. (adj)</i>
<b>depend on (v)</b>	to need help or support from someone or something else	<i>Jeffrey has a job and does not <u>depend on</u> his parents for money. (v)</i>
<b>dependable (adj)</b>	able to be trusted to do something	<i>Maggie is a very <u>dependable</u> employee. She is always on time for work. (adj)</i>
<b>discuss (v)</b>	to talk about something with someone	<i>Julie <u>discussed</u> her college plans with her parents. (v)</i>
<b>discussion (n)</b>	a conversation or talk about something with someone	<i>We had a good <u>discussion</u> about our relationship. (n)</i>
<b>event (n)</b>	a planned activity at which people gather together to do something	<i>All of the citizens are invited to the city <u>event</u> tomorrow. (n)</i>
<b>eventful (adj)</b>	full of important or interesting things happening	<i>It was an <u>eventful</u> vacation! We visited three museums, the beach, and a park. (adj)</i>

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<b>fault (v)</b>	to blame someone for a problem or mistake	<i>I can't <u>fault</u> him for taking a different job. (v)</i>
<b>faulty (adj)</b>	having a problem, mistake or weakness	<i>You should not believe the <u>faulty</u> results from the research. (adj)</i>
<b>independent (adj)</b>	not needing help or support from someone or something else	<i>Rick is very <u>independent</u>; he likes to do everything himself. (adj)</i>
<b>independence (n)</b>	the ability and freedom to make your own decisions without outside control	<i>Many teenagers want more <u>independence</u> from their parents as they get older. (n)</i>
<b>Islam (n)</b>	a major world religion in which followers believe in only one God and the prophet Mohammed; the religion of Muslims	<i><u>Islam</u> is the second largest religion in the world. (n)</i>
<b>Islamic (adj)</b>	describing something related to Islam	<i>There is an <u>Islamic</u> cultural center in the city. (adj)</i>
<b>mosque (n)</b>	an important building in the religion of Islam; a place for Muslims to pray to God or Allah.	<i>Some Muslims go to a <u>mosque</u> to pray to Allah; some pray at home. (n)</i>
<b>religious (adj)</b>	relating to beliefs in God or gods	<i>Henry attends church every week. He is very <u>religious</u>. (adj)</i>
<b>religion (n)</b>	beliefs in God or gods	<i>Islam is a major world <u>religion</u>. (n)</i>
<b>religiously (adv)</b>	faithfully; consistently	<i>Joshua watches basketball <u>religiously</u>. (adv)</i>
<b>respect (noun)</b>	an understanding that something should be treated as important by being serious, thoughtful, and nice	<i>It is important to show <u>respect</u> for beliefs that are different than your own. (n)</i>
<b>respect (v)</b>	to act in a way to show that something is important	<i>We <u>respect</u> the environment by cleaning up our garbage.</i>
<b>respectful (adj)</b>	treating something as important by being serious, thoughtful, and nice	<i>Evan isn't Muslim, but he is <u>respectful</u> of his Muslim friends and is kind about what they believe. (adj)</i>
<b>shelter (n)</b>	a place where people or animals can stay safe or get help	<i>Ben helped at the <u>shelter</u> for animals by volunteering. (n)</i>

<b>shelter (v)</b>	to give a person or animal a safe place from danger	<i>The building <u>sheltered</u> the family during the storm. (v)</i>
<b>sheltered (adj)</b>	giving help or safety from danger	<i>Here is a <u>sheltered</u> area near the rocks we can rest in. (adj)</i>
<b>tradition (n)</b>	something that has been done by a group (like a community, family, or the people of a country) for a long time	<i>Rebecca's family has a <u>tradition</u> of making cookies during the holidays. (n)</i>
<b>traditional (adj)</b>	based on a way of doing something that has been used by a group of people for a long time	<i>Don's parents always make good <u>traditional</u> Korean meals. (n)</i>
<b>traditionally (adv)</b>	according to the way something has been done for a long time	<i>Women <u>traditionally</u> take care of children. (adv)</i>
<b>typical (adj)</b>	usual or normal for a person or thing	<i>It was a <u>typical</u> day before the big storm started. (adj)</i>
<b>typically (adv)</b>	describes what normally or usually happens	<i>Jeffrey <u>typically</u> goes to work at 8:00 in the morning. (adv)</i>
<b>volunteer (n)</b>	a person who does work or gives help willingly and who does not earn money for their work	<i>The <u>volunteers</u> cleaned up the garbage in the park on Saturday. (n)</i>
<b>volunteer (v)</b>	to give help willingly without earning money	<i>I <u>volunteer</u> to teach English classes each week. (v)</i>
<b>voluntarily (adv)</b>	describes something that is done by choice because you want to	<i>We give money <u>voluntarily</u> to our church; no one makes us do it. (adv)</i>

## Ethics and Values: Vocabulary Practice

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There are many children around the world who need a home. My sister, Becca, decided to try to help some of these children. She traveled to Ukraine to be a \_\_\_\_\_. She helped in an orphanage. An orphanage is a home for children who do not have parents. It is like a \_\_\_\_\_ where children can stay and be safe. She made a \_\_\_\_\_ to help for six months. On a \_\_\_\_\_ day, she served meals and played with the children. The children are very \_\_\_\_\_ on the helpers at the orphanage.

While Becca was there, a German family came to \_\_\_\_\_ one of the children. Becca \_\_\_\_\_ a party for the children to celebrate. She asked some local businesses for help. She emailed them to tell them about the party. She made a flyer to explain the details. In her emails, she sent the flyer as an \_\_\_\_\_. One local business decided to help by providing food for the party. All of the children had a wonderful time.

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I am interested in learning about different beliefs in the world. I mostly know about \_\_\_\_\_. My family always goes to church, and we believe in Jesus Christ. However, I don't know much about other beliefs. I know you are Muslim. Can you help me understand \_\_\_\_\_? I have some questions for you.

Do you go to church every week?

What are some important holidays you have?

Your friend,

Tanya

Dear Tanya,

Yes, I am Muslim. I think it is important to show \_\_\_\_\_ for other religions. One way to do that is to learn about them. So, thank you for asking questions. It shows that you are a good person.

I will answer your questions. Most Muslims pray five times each day. On Fridays, we go to a \_\_\_\_\_ to pray together. One interesting \_\_\_\_\_ we have is a holiday called Ramadan. During Ramadan, we only eat food early in the morning or late at night. We do not eat food or drink anything during the day. We do this every day for a month.

The Muslim Student Group is holding an \_\_\_\_\_ about Islam tomorrow. Will you come? We will \_\_\_\_\_ different beliefs and traditions.

Your friend,

Mohammad

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<b>volunteer</b>	

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<b>adopt</b>	<b>arrange</b>	<b>attachment</b>	<b>commitment</b>	<b>dependent</b>
<b>fault</b>	<b>independent</b>	<b>shelter</b>	<b>typical</b>	<b>volunteer</b>

There are many children around the world who need a home. My sister, Becca, decided to try to help some of these children. She traveled to Ukraine to be a **volunteer**. She helped in an orphanage. An orphanage is a home for children who do not have parents. It is like a **shelter** where children can stay and be safe. She made a **commitment** to help for six months. On a **typical** day, she served meals and played with the children. The children are very **dependent** on the helpers at the orphanage.

While Becca was there, a German family came to **adopt** one of the children. Becca **arranged** a party for the children to celebrate. She asked some local businesses for help. She emailed them to tell them about the party. She made a flyer to explain the details. In her emails, she sent the flyer as an **attachment**. One local business decided to help by providing food for the party. All of the children had a wonderful time.

- PART B:** Choose the correct words from the list to fill in the blanks in the paragraphs below. Drag each word to the correct blank You can use each word only one time.

<b>attention</b>	<b>Christianity</b>	<b>conflict</b>	<b>discuss</b>	<b>event</b>
<b>Islam</b>	<b>mosque</b>	<b>religious</b>	<b>respect</b>	<b>tradition</b>

Dear Mohammad,

I am interested in learning about different **religious** beliefs in the world. I mostly know about **Christianity**. My family always goes to church, and we believe in Jesus Christ. However, I don't know much about other beliefs. I know you are Muslim. Can you help me understand **Islam**? I have some questions for you.

Do you go to church every week?

What are some important holidays you have?

Your friend,

Tanya

Dear Tanya,

Yes, I am Muslim. I think it is important to show **respect** for other religions. One way to do that is to learn about them. So, thank you for asking questions. It shows that you are a good person.

I will answer your questions. Most Muslims pray five times each day. On Fridays, we go to a **mosque** to pray together. One interesting **tradition** we have is a holiday called Ramadan. During Ramadan, we only eat food early in the morning or late at night. We do not eat food or drink anything during the day. We do this every day for a month.

The Muslim Student Group is holding an **event** about Islam tomorrow. Will you come? We will **discuss** different beliefs and traditions.

Your friend,

Mohammad