

SYN/ANT LECTURE – 19

Damp	Slightly wet
Negligent	Characterized by lack of concern
Discordant	Harsh or unpleasant in sound
Placid	Not easily upset or excited
Leniency	Quality of mercy or forgiveness
Denounce	To criticize harshly and publicly
Asset	A useful or valuable thing or quality
Rejoinder	A clever or sharp response
Apathy	A feeling of having no interest in or enthusiasm about anything
Beneficent	Generous in assistance to the poor
Contempt	The feeling of intense dislike
Hindrance	A person or thing that obstructs
Demolish	To destroy something
Transparent	Able to be seen through with clarity
Abhor	To regard with contempt or disgust
Apex	The greatest or topmost position
Bombastic	High sounding but with little meaning
Inquisitive	Eager for knowledge
Languid	very slow and relaxed
Malice	Desire to cause pain
Authentic	Which is not copied; Genuine
Stingy	Lacking generosity or the capacity to spend money

Ethical	Morally correct or acceptable
Profane	Characterized by vulgarity or cursing
Absolve	To make someone free from guilt
Sluggish	Slow-moving and lacking in energy
Turbulent	Being in a wild or disordered state
Decline	To move downwards
Engulf	To sweep over something
Freight	Goods carried by large vehicle
Redemption	The act of saving or being saved from sin, error; The action of gaining possession of something in exchange for payment
Penchant	A strong liking
Adhere	conform to or follow rules exactly
Site	A place where a specific event has occurred
Justifiable	Well founded; rightful
Haphazard	Marked by great carelessness
Dreadful	Extremely terrible or awful
Access	The act of approaching or entering
Congestion	Excessive crowding
Disclose	Make known to public information
Unequivocal	Clearly defined or formulated
Spontaneous	said or done without having been planned
Evolve	Undergo development