400 MUST HAVE WORDS FOR THE TOEFL

400 Must Have Words for the TOEFL LESSON 3 – Evolution and Migration Vocabulary Test

12 questions · Choose the correct answer. Online test and answer key with explanations:
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1. Choose the word or phrase that is closest in meaning to the opposite of the word below.

physical

A) not an integral part **B)** stay the same
C) die **D)** staying in one place
E) mental

2. **migration**

A) not an integral part **B)** stay the same
C) die **D)** staying in one place
E) mental

3. **adapt**

A) not an integral part **B)** stay the same
C) die **D)** staying in one place
E) mental

4. **inherent**

A) not an integral part **B)** stay the same
C) die **D)** staying in one place
E) mental

5. **survive**

A) not an integral part **B)** stay the same
C) die **D)** staying in one place
E) mental

6. **Choose the word that is closest in meaning to the underlined part of each sentence.**

Various languages are spoken on the Indian subcontinent.

A) diverse **B)** evolved
C) generation **D)** process
E) survive

7. Making bread involves a sequence of steps that takes about three hours.

A) diverse **B)** evolved
C) generation **D)** process
E) survive

8. Few sea turtles manage to live through their first year of life.

A) diverse **B)** evolved
C) generation **D)** process
E) survive

9. This age group tends to support current educational policies.

A) diverse **B)** evolved
C) generation **D)** process
E) survive

10. Her thinking about economics has changed slowly in the last several months.

A) diverse **B)** evolved
C) generation **D)** process
E) survive

Read the passage to review the vocabulary you have learned. Answer the questions that follow.

The **migration** from Asia to North America across the Bering Strait (perhaps by land bridge) was a monumental event in human history. The **process** of overspreading the Americas took more than 1,000 years or 30 **generations**. This might seem to confirm common sense—that slow travel was **inherent** in any great migration without wheeled vehicles across unknown terrain. Further thought shows that this process was remarkably fast—about 10 north-south miles per year, on average. The Americas were populated at an astounding pace when one considers the **physical** limits of the human body and the physical **features** of the American continents. The legs of humans can move only so fast under the best of circumstances, and they work even slower over mountain passes or deserts. Populations spread through the **diverse** regions of the Americas (grasslands, eastern forests, coastal swamps) and needed to **adapt** to their new environments. The migrants' lifestyle had **evolved** over the years to that of professional nomads ensuring that they would find the resources needed to **survive**.

Bonus Structure— Further thought means "looking deeper; thinking more."

11. **Which sentence best expresses the essential information in this passage?**

A) Human migration across the Bering Strait was remarkably slow.
B) Physical limitations made migration across the Bering Strait almost impossible.
C) Humans readily adapted to life in the Bering Strait.
D) The migration through the Americas was surprisingly fast.

12. In this passage, the word monumental is closest in meaning to _____.

A) disastrous **B)** evolving
C) important **D)** physical