BARRON'S 1100 WORDS YOU NEED TO KNOW

Barron's 1100 Words You Need to Know (MCQ Test + PDF) Week 10 – Day 2

10 questions · Choose the correct answer. Online test and answer key with explanations:
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1.

CRISIS!

As soon as Jerry Hart could get the **pertinent** facts from his wife, he dashed out of the office on his way home. He jostled people in the hallway, implored the elevator operator to hurry, and with flagrant disregard for an elderly gentleman jumped into the cab he had hailed. The twenty-minute taxi ride seemed interminable and all the while horrible thoughts occurred to Jerry. Visions of an ugly **mastiff** with foaming jaws **obsessed** him. A crowd of people had gathered in front of his house so that Jerry had to force his way through them. Little Bobby was on his bed, surrounded by a doctor, a policeman, Jerry's **doleful** wife, his two daughters, and a half-dozen **wan** neighbors.

Sample Sentences: Use the new words in the following sentences.

The stockbroker was _____ with the idea of becoming a painter.

A) mastiff **B)** obsessed
C) wan **D)** doleful
E) pertinent

2. **My nervous neighbor bought a pugnacious _____ to frighten burglars.**

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E) pertinent

3. **_____ expressions abounded throughout headquarters on the night of the election.**

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E) pertinent

4. **During the trial the astute lawyer was able to elicit the _____ information from the key witness.**

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5. **After the tension, his normally ruddy face was _____ and tired.**

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C) wan **D)** doleful
E) pertinent

6. **Definitions:** Match the new words with their meanings.

pertinent

A) sad, melancholy **B)** to the point
C) sickly pale **D)** to haunt, preoccupy
E) large dog

7. **mastiff**

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8. **obsess**

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9. **doleful**

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10. **wan**

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