BARRON'S 1100 WORDS YOU NEED TO KNOW

Barron's 1100 Words You Need to Know (MCQ Test + PDF) Week 24 – Day 2

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

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An outgrowth of the idea of a fetish is the closely related practice of **taboo**. Whereas the gods or supernatural powers merely inhabit an object that is a fetish and lend it magic, they will punish the **imprudent** native who violates their **prohibition** of an act or use of an object or word that has become **taboo**. If a **taboo** has been broken, it becomes **imperative** for the offender to be punished. In many cases, however, the **taint** on the community may be removed after the priests have performed a special ceremony. Often, the violator of the **taboo** will be punished or die merely through his own fears of the terrible thing he has done.

Sample Sentences: Has the context in which your new words appear given you clues to their meaning? Try now to use them in these sample sentences.

Unsanitary conditions in the bottling factory caused hundreds of cases of soda to be _____ by dirt and foreign objects. The health department refused to allow the soda to be sold.

A) imperative **B)** taboo
C) imprudent **D)** tainted
E) prohibition

2. Although a New Jersey high school principal placed a _____ on boys wearing their hair long, one student fought in the courts and won his case.

A) imperative **B)** taboo
C) imprudent **D)** tainted
E) prohibition

3. It is considered _____ to give your computer code word to anyone not fully known to you.

A) imperative **B)** taboo
C) imprudent **D)** tainted
E) prohibition

4. It is _____ for certain South Seas islanders to eat some foods before they marry.

A) imperative **B)** taboo
C) imprudent **D)** tainted
E) prohibition

5. In the nuclear age it has become _____ for the nations of the world to learn to live in peace.

A) imperative **B)** taboo
C) imprudent **D)** tainted
E) prohibition

6. Definitions: Now is your chance to test your knowledge of your new words by matching them with their definitions.

imperative

A) contamination, undesirable substance that spoils something
B) the act of forbidding certain behavior
C) urgent, necessary, compulsory
D) forbidden by custom or religious practice
E) unwise, not careful

7. imprudent

A) contamination, undesirable substance that spoils something
B) the act of forbidding certain behavior
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D) forbidden by custom or religious practice
E) unwise, not careful

8. prohibition

A) contamination, undesirable substance that spoils something
B) the act of forbidding certain behavior
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D) forbidden by custom or religious practice
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9. taboo

A) contamination, undesirable substance that spoils something
B) the act of forbidding certain behavior
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D) forbidden by custom or religious practice
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10. taint (n.)

A) contamination, undesirable substance that spoils something
B) the act of forbidding certain behavior
C) urgent, necessary, compulsory
D) forbidden by custom or religious practice
E) unwise, not careful