BARRON'S 1100 WORDS YOU NEED TO KNOW

Barron's 1100 Words You Need to Know (MCQ Test + PDF) Week 32 – Day 3

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

THE FUTURE IS HERE

We have ardently taken to the cell phone as a replacement for the **venerable** dial-up model. The most striking feature of the cell phone is the variety of uses to which it can be put. The dial-up phone is restricted to the **menial** task of mere conversation. For the garrulous person who isn't restricted to one place, the mobile cell phone has a myriad of uses. Should one be in an area that requires silence, there is an ability to utilize the **succinct** text messaging feature. Should one come upon an **ambiguous** event that one wishes to keep, one may photograph it or make it into a film for further study. Do not preclude from the list of uses the access to your computer, music, and weather reports. One can hardly imagine an **extraneous** technical marvel that will not embellish the cell phone in the future.

Sample Sentences: Complete the sentences with the new words.

The prodigy revered the _____ master.

A) ambiguous **B)** menial
C) venerable **D)** succinct
E) extraneous

2. To those who could understand every nuance of the cryptic message, there was nothing _____ about it.

A) ambiguous **B)** menial
C) venerable **D)** succinct
E) extraneous

3. He could say the most vitriolic things in a _____ way.

A) ambiguous **B)** menial
C) venerable **D)** succinct
E) extraneous

4. Although she did not find it congenial, we cajoled our daughter into doing some of the _____ tasks around the house.

A) ambiguous **B)** menial
C) venerable **D)** succinct
E) extraneous

5. The astute voter is not susceptible to the many _____ shibboleths that saturate a politician's speech.

A) ambiguous **B)** menial
C) venerable **D)** succinct
E) extraneous

6. Definitions: Match the new words with their definitions.

menial
A) vague, undefined, not specific
B) humble, degrading
C) respected, worshiped
D) foreign, not belonging
E) brief, concise

7. venerable
A) vague, undefined, not specific
B) humble, degrading
C) respected, worshiped
D) foreign, not belonging
E) brief, concise

8. extraneous
A) vague, undefined, not specific
B) humble, degrading
C) respected, worshiped
D) foreign, not belonging
E) brief, concise

9. ambiguous
A) vague, undefined, not specific
B) humble, degrading
C) respected, worshiped
D) foreign, not belonging
E) brief, concise

10. succinct
A) vague, undefined, not specific
B) humble, degrading
C) respected, worshiped
D) foreign, not belonging
E) brief, concise