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English Vocabulary - OWS

English

Q:1 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A place where coins, medals or tokens are made

1. Mint
2. Mill
3. Workshop
4. Casting

Q:2 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A self-governing country or region.

1. Democracy
2. Autonomy
3. Anarchy
4. Monarchy

Q:3 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

One who does not take any alcoholic drink.

1. Perfectionist
2. Teetotaler
3. Vegetarian
4. Astrologer

Q:4 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A person who is trained to travel in a spacecraft

1. Choreographer
2. Chauffeur
3. Anchor
4. Astronaut

Q:5 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A group of three novels or plays, each complete in itself

1. Triplet
2. Trivet
3. Triumvir
4. Trilogy

Q:6 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A herd or flock of animals being driven in a body

1. Drove
2. Crowd
3. Cluster

4. Throng

Q:7 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A large building with an extensive floor area, typically for housing aircraft

1. Airport
2. Shed
3. Hangar
4. Barn

Q:8 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A person who listens to someone's private conversation without them knowing

1. Spy
2. Eavesdropper
3. Secret agent
4. Infiltrator

Q:9 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A group of people, typically with vehicles or animals, traveling together.

1. Troop
2. Gang
3. Circus
4. Caravan

Q:10 Select the option that can be used as a one-word substitute for the given group of words.

A large bedroom for a number of people in a school or institution.

1. Creche
2. Hostel
3. Dormitory
4. Assembly



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Answer Key

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| 1. (1) | 2. (2) | 3. (2) | 4. (4) | 5. (4) |
| 6. (1) | 7. (3) | 8. (2) | 9. (4) | 10. (3) |

Answers and Solutions

Q:1 The correct answer is **option 1** i.e. **Mint**.

Let's see meaning of the given words:

Mint: A place where coins, medals or tokens are made.

Mill: a building equipped with machinery for grinding grain into flour.

Workshop: a room or building in which goods are manufactured or repaired.

Casting: an object made by pouring molten metal or other material into a mould.

Hence, the chosen option is correct.

Q:2 The correct answer is **option 2** i.e. **Autonomy**.

Let's see meaning of the given words:

Democracy: a system of government by the whole population or all the eligible members of a state, typically through elected representatives.

Autonomy: the right or condition of self-government.

Anarchy: a state of disorder due to absence or non-recognition of authority or other controlling systems.

Monarchy: a form of government with a monarch at the head.

Hence, the chosen option is correct.

Q:3 The correct answer is **option 2** i.e. **Teetotaler**.

Let's see the meaning of the given words:

Perfectionist : a person who refuses to accept any standard short of perfection.

Teetotaler: a person who never drinks alcohol.

Vegetarian: a person who does not eat meat or fish, and sometimes other animal products

Astrologer: a person who uses astrology to tell others about their character or to predict their future.

Hence, option 2 is the correct answer.

Q:4 The correct answer is **option 4** i.e. **Astronaut**.

Let's see the meaning of the given words:

Choreographer : a person who composes the sequence of steps and moves for a performance of dance.

Chauffeur: a person employed to drive a private or hired car.

Anchor: a heavy object attached to a cable or chain and used to moor a ship to the sea bottom, typically having a metal shank with a pair of curved, barbed flukes at one end.

Astronaut: a person who is trained to travel in a spacecraft

Hence, option 2 is the correct answer.

Q:5 The correct answer is **Option 4** i.e. **Trilogy**.

The word '**Trilogy**' means '**a group of three novels, plays, etc. that form a set**'.

Let's see the meaning of the other words:

Triplet: one of three children or animals that are born to one mother at the same time.

Trivet: a metal stand that you put on a table to protect its surface from hot dishes or pans.

Triumvir: each of three public officers jointly responsible for overseeing any of the administrative departments.

Hence, correct answer is **Option 4** i.e. **Trilogy**.

Q:6 The correct answer is **Option 1** i.e. **Drove**.

The word '**Drove**' means '**a large group of animals, especially cattle or sheep, moving from one place to another**'.

Let's see the meaning of the other words:

Crowd: a large group of people who have come together.

Cluster: a group of similar things that are close together, sometimes surrounding something.

Throng: a crowd or large group of people.

Hence, the correct answer is **Option 1** i.e. **Drove**.

Q:7 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **Hangar**

Airport: Place where one goes to catch flights.

Shed: a simple roofed structure used for garden storage, to shelter animals, or as a workshop.

Hangar: a large building with an extensive floor area, typically for housing aircraft.

Barn: a large farm building used for storing grain, hay, or straw or for housing livestock.

Clearly, the one-word substitution for the given statement is **Hangar**.



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Q:8 The correct answer is **option**

2 i.e. **Eavesdropper**

Eavesdropper is a secret listener to private conversations.

Spy is a person who secretly collects & reports information on activities, movements & plans of an enemy.

Secret agent is a government employee whose job involves getting secret information about the government's unfriendly foreign countries.

Infiltrator is someone who gains access to an organization in order to acquire secret information to cause damage.

Clearly, one word substitution for the given sentence is **eavesdropper**.

Q:9 The correct answer is **option 4** i.e. **Caravan**

The meaning of the given options is:

Troop: a group of soldiers

Gang: an organized group of criminals.

Circus: a traveling company of acrobats, clowns, and other entertainers

Caravan: A group of people, typically with vehicles or animals, traveling together.

Clearly, out of the given options, **Caravan** is the most appropriate option.

Q:10 The correct answer is **option 3** i.e. **Dormitory**

The meaning of other words is-

Creche: a nursery where babies and young children are cared for during the working day.

Hostel: an establishment that provides inexpensive food & lodging for a specific group of people, such as students, workers, or travelers.

Dormitory: a large bedroom for a number of people in a school or institution.

Assembly: a group of people gathered together in one place for a common purpose.