

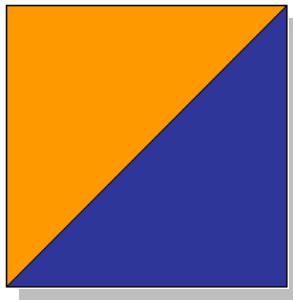
• Intermediate **Synonyms** and **Antonyms** #5

Synonyms: words that have the same (or nearly the same) meanings

Example: large → big

Antonyms: words that have opposite meanings

Example: hot → cold



Directions: Choose the best **synonym** for the following words.

1) steady

- A. fast
- B. certain
- C. complete
- D. mild
- E. consistent

3) shy

- A. cowardly
- B. expressive
- C. massive
- D. bashful
- E. intimidating

5) genuine

- A. phony
- B. personal
- C. generous
- D. authentic
- E. lame

2) slick

- A. new
- B. sour
- C. wet
- D. oily
- E. slippery

4) phony

- A. true
- B. different
- C. fake
- D. similar
- E. alike

6) brave

- A. reckless
- B. long
- C. loose
- D. valiant
- E. ardent

Directions: Choose the best **antonym** for the following words.

1) greedy

- A. secure
- B. new
- C. savage
- D. generous
- E. frugal

3) gentle

- A. hard
- B. difficult
- C. slow
- D. rough
- E. disinterested

5) formal

- A. strict
- B. obtuse
- C. random
- D. exclusive
- E. casual

2) feeble

- A. sick
- B. resistant
- C. late
- D. strong
- E. thick

4) guilty

- A. sorry
- B. dubious
- C. innocent
- D. honest
- E. suspect

6) vertical

- A. straight
- B. horizontal
- C. parallel
- D. perpendicular
- E. real