

Vocabulary Power Plus for the ACT
Lesson 3 – Quiz Review

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**** Rally Coach! ****

Directions: Take turns completing questions! Partner #1, please go first. Ask Partner #2 to check your work. Fix any mistakes. Then, have Partner #2 complete their question while Partner #1 watches and coaches. Each partner must finish their part of Question 1 before going on to Question 2. Keep taking turns until all questions have been completed.

Word Bank -- Each partner uses each word one time.

pedestrian	bona fide	adventitious	fecund	deviate
obfuscate	impale	extenuate	parochial	glower
edify	ambiguous	cataclysm	optimum	importune

Question	Questions for Partner #1	Questions for Partner #2
1	Which word has this definition? to make (something) more difficult to understand	Complete the sentence. Ralph wanted a [---] diamond ring, so he shopped for one at Jared.
2	Complete the sentence. If you do not wait for [---] ice fishing conditions, you may fall through thin ice and drown.	Which word has this definition? limited to only the things that affect your local area
3	Complete the sentence. The picture of the vase and two faces was [---] because it could be understood in two ways.	Which word has this definition? not interesting or unusual; ordinary
4	Which word has this definition? real or genuine	Complete the sentence. Sheila, covered in food, [---]ed at the waiter after he dumped the lasagna in her lap.
5	Complete the sentence. Hoping to catch “the big one,” Nathan [---]ed an earthworm on a hook before he cast the line into the water.	Which word has this definition? to look at someone or something in an angry way
6	Which word has this definition? to teach (someone) in a way that improves the mind or character	Complete the sentence. Try not to [---] from the subject when you are studying for a quiz.
7	Which word has this definition? able to be understood in more than one way : having more than one possible meaning	Complete the sentence. It was [---] that the basketball star scored a 3-point shot from the other end of the gym.

8	Complete the sentence. The [---] nature of prey animals means that they will be able to keep their population numbers up even if predators attack.	Which word has this definition? happening by chance or because of luck
9	Which word has this definition? producing or able to produce many babies, young animals, or plants	Complete the sentence. The coach tried to [---] his players by helping them keep their grades up as well as become more skilled at their sport.
10	Complete the sentence. The car salesman [---]d the dissatisfied customer so much that the customer wrote to the Better Business Bureau with a complaint.	Which word has this definition? to cause a pointed object to go into or through (someone or something)
11	Complete the sentence. The uninsured woman [---]d the hospital to heal her sick infant.	Which word has this definition? to do something that is different or to be different from what is usual or expected
12	Which word has this definition? to attempt to make something (for example, a crime) less serious by providing excuses for it	Complete the sentence. A [---] caused by a large asteroid striking the earth would probably decimate the earth's population.
13	Which word has this definition? something that causes great destruction, violence, etc.	Complete the sentence. Peanut butter and jelly is a very [---] choice for lunch.
14	Complete the sentence. You cannot [---] your bad habit of belching loudly while at a restaurant with your date.	Which word has this definition? the amount or degree of something that is best or most effective
15	Which word has this definition? to ask (someone) for something or to do something in a repeated or annoying way; beg (childishly)	Complete the sentence. Martin had a [---] fear of travel, so it surprised everyone when he announced that he would be studying abroad in Japan.