

## Success Vocabulary Quiz

Use the words at the top of each section to fill in the blanks in the sentences below them.

### attained, criteria, established, finance, objective, previous

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The state government (4) \_\_\_\_\_ a permanent (5) \_\_\_\_\_ committee to set the (6) \_\_\_\_\_ for government policies on income and expenses.

### benefitted, constraints, energy, expansion, locations, resources

The United States has (7) \_\_\_\_\_ from abundant natural (8) \_\_\_\_\_. In some (9) \_\_\_\_\_ there are good supplies of iron and minerals; in others, water power to produce (10) \_\_\_\_\_. There have been few (11) \_\_\_\_\_ on the (12) \_\_\_\_\_ of industry.

### achieve, eventually, foundation, , job, labor, priority

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A (17) \_\_\_\_\_ working on a farm may involve heavy physical (18) \_\_\_\_\_.

### achieve, attitude, identify, image, resolution, specific, targets

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### Odd One Out

Three of these words mean the same thing. Which one does not?

26. begin, commence, eventually, start

27. certain, criteria, inevitable, unavoidable

28. desired, refused, rejected, unwanted

29. protection, safety, security, sufficiency

## Answers

**attained, criteria, established, finance, objective, previous**

The (1) **previous** accomplishments of the space program were overshadowed when the engineers (2) **attained** their primary (3) **objective** of putting a man on the moon.

The state government (4) **established** a permanent (5) **finance** committee to set the (6) **criteria** for government policies on income and expenses.

**benefitted, constraints, energy, expansion, locations, resources**

The United States has (7) **benefitted** from abundant natural (8) **resources**. In some (9) **locations** there are good supplies of iron and minerals; in others, water power to produce (10) **energy**. There have been few (11) **constraints** on the (12) **expansion** of industry.

**achieve, eventually, foundation, job, labor, priority**

Because education was their (13) **priority**, the settlers of the American Midwest were able to (14) **achieve** nearly universal literacy. Their efforts also (15) **eventually** led to the (16) **foundation** of several excellent colleges.

A (17) **job** working on a farm may involve heavy physical (18) **labor**.

**achieve, attitude, identify, image, resolution, specific, targets**

The women's fitness club passed a (19) **resolution** setting several (20) **specific** weight-loss (21) **targets** for members based on their starting weights. "We know we can (22) **achieve** these goals if we keep a positive (23) **attitude** and don't lose our motivation. We suggest putting an (24) **image** of a slim woman you admire on your refrigerator to look at often. If you (25) **identify** with her, it will help you reach your objective.

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27. criteria

28. desired

29. sufficiency