

Exercises

I. *Directions:* Match each definition to the word part it defines.

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| _____ 1. -phobia | a. all |
| _____ 2. -fid- | b. together, with |
| _____ 3. equ- | c. equal |
| _____ 4. pan- | d. fear |
| _____ 5. sym-, syn- | e. faith |




II. *Directions:* Selecting from *-phobia*, *-fid-*, *equ-*, *pan-*, *sym-*, and *syn-*, write the proper word part in each blank so that the appropriate word is formed.

- The student responded that the earth is divided into two hemispheres at the _____ator.
- It is important to have con_____ence in your doctor.
- Since Tim conquered his acro_____, he no longer is afraid to climb ladders.
- Mr. Nickerson formed a _____dicate with some businessmen to buy the trucking firm.
- The police were fearful that the large crowd would break into _____demonium when the concert was canceled.

III. *Directions:* Write X before the sentence if the word part retains the meaning it had in the previous exercises, O if it does not.

- _____ 1. When we were kids, my sister and I suffered from *arachnidophobia*; we screamed whenever we saw a spider.

throw/through

-  To get to the dean's office, walk _____ this door, then turn right.
-  The campers _____ a bucket of water on their campfire.
-  Brad is _____ painting the garage.

- _____ 2. Sitting next to someone who is *fidgety* during a concert can be annoying.
- _____ 3. Phil's motorcycle is *equipped* with all the gadgets you can imagine.
- _____ 4. The old dog was *panting* after chasing the squirrel across the lawn.
- _____ 5. The *symposium* was concerned with computers, and experts from many occupations were present.

IV. *Directions:* Using the word parts that you have learned, think of five words that were not used in this lesson. Then, write that word and its definition in a complete sentence.

Example: **phobia-** Agoraphobia is an abnormal fear of being in an open space.



1. **-phobia** _____

2. **-fid-** _____

3. **equ-** _____

4. **pan-** _____

5. Select **sym-** or **syn-**.

-  1. *Through* means: (1) from one side to the other; (3) completed.
-  2. *Threw* is the past tense of throw.