

Reading Article: Cross-Cultural training

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1 Focus on adjectives and nouns.

1a Transform the following adjectives into nouns, and vice versa.

	Adjectives	Nouns	
Expensive	_____	Competency	_____
Unregulated	_____	Resource	_____
Failed	_____	Skill	_____
Social	_____	Stress	_____
Sensitive	_____	Training / trainer	_____
Effective	_____	Stereotype	_____

1b Now complete the following sentences choosing with the word from Exercise 1a.

1. Sub-cultures are sometimes marginalized from the rest of _____.
2. Working and bringing up a family at the same time can be very _____.
3. Although he was regarded as a successful businessman, he felt his private life was a complete _____.
4. She's a very _____ worker.
5. Trainers must be careful not to reduce people to a cultural _____.

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1a Focus on vocabulary used in scientific experiments. Find the following words in the article and write an appropriate synonym or definition.

1. interpret (para. 5) _____	6. rate (para. 9) _____
2. measure (para. 5) _____	7. data (para. 10) _____
3. subject (para. 6) _____	8. yielding (para. 12) _____
4. treatment (para. 6) _____	9. control for (para. 13) _____
5. unbiased (para. 9) _____	10. perform (para. 14) _____

1b Complete the sentences below with the correct form of a word from Exercise 1a.

1. Approximately fifty _____ were enrolled in the study.
2. In the experiment on racial attitudes, the researchers _____ income level because they didn't want it to influence the outcome.
3. The experiment didn't _____ the results the researchers were expecting.
4. To everyone's surprise, the older men _____ better on the tests than the younger ones.
5. It's difficult to be _____ if you want an experiment to succeed.

2 Find the words in the article with the following meanings.

1. everyday, ordinary 15 _____	4. possible, not actual _____ 7
2. a graphic puzzle 4 _____	5. comfort, reassurance _____ 15
3. linked 11 _____	6. giving good results _____ 13