

Vocabulary 1

Synonyms

1 Match the words from the text with similar meanings.

1 inspire	a technique
2 fire	b terror
3 fear	c motivate
4 defeat	d employee
5 upset	e sack
6 subordinate	f failure
7 tactic	g hurt



2 Complete the sentences with the words below.

manager subordinates coach chief executive (CEO)

workers staff directors employee

- 1 The new manager improved morale in the department.
- 2 The _____ praised his team upon reaching the Cup Final.
- 3 Our board of _____ meets every three months to discuss strategy.
- 4 The factory _____ went on strike because of low pay.
- 5 The share price went up when the new _____ was appointed.
- 6 I have to do the appraisals for the six _____ who report to me.
- 7 An aggressive management style led to an increase in _____ turnover.
- 8 Every _____ in the company gets health and safety training.

2 Collocations

Match each of the following verbs with one set of nouns.

set meet make take

1	a chance an opportunity a position a point	3	a mistake a judgement a profit/loss a call
2	a deadline a need the cost expectations	4	a precedent an example an objective a limit