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English Language

Topic: Antonyms and Synonyms

Antonyms are two words that **mean the opposite** or **nearly the opposite of each other.**

For examples: **wet – dry**
success – failure
tough - tender
vacant - occupied
bright- dull
victory - defeat

Synonyms are two words that mean the same or nearly the same as each other.

For examples: **question – inquire**
define – clarify
tranquil – peaceful
wreck – crash
funny – humorous
slothful - idle

Instructions: Read the following pair of words below and identify them as either antonym or synonym.

1. correct / accurate ( )
2. ugly / monstrous ( )
3. strong / weak ( )
4. sow / reap ( )
5. predicament / dilemma ( )
6. smart / stupid ( )
7. shout / whisper ( )
8. dreadful / terrible ( )
9. wreck / crash ( )
10. servant / master ( )