



# Extra Training

## Synonyms Task 1619

Choose the variant that is the closest in meaning to the underlined words or the given sentence.

1. He would read a lot of books last summer.

1. was used to read 2. used to read 3. could read. 4. should read

2. You can easily obtain this money from your father.

1. borrow 2. lend 3. claim 4. receive

3. A balanced diet should include fish and fowl as well as red meat.

1. fruit 2. birds 3. vegetables 4. cheese and milk

4. City taxes are based on an estimate of the value of one's property.

1. appraisal 2. forecast 3. diagnosis 4. outline

5. Veterinarians usually give dogs an anaesthetic so that they don't cry out in pain.

1. gulp 2. flip 3. yelp 4. purr

6. A family's photograph album is generally the extended family, and often it is all that remains of it.

1. A photograph is generally an extension of the family, and the family cannot survive the presence of it.  
2. The remains of a family generally contain an extended photograph album.  
3. The photograph albums of most families generally contain photographs of parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins, and children, and the photographs generally remain after the people have died.  
4. The family is the focus of most photograph albums, and these albums can always be found among the extended family's remains.

7. Perhaps we have failed to perceive that earth's biosphere is the brunt of our technological advances because the technological revolution descended upon us so precipitately, and we have been so busy basking luxuriantly in the benefits that we haven't bothered to think about the morning after.

1. We have always realized that our technological advances were occurring at a more rapid rate than our earth could handle, yet we weren't prepared, heretofore, to forego our enjoyment of the benefits.  
2. Because we did not understand that technology was affecting our country's precipitation processes, we have been the brunt of terrible joke.  
3. We have revolutionised technology so rapidly that we have enjoyed a greater prosperity without having to concern ourselves with possible adverse effects on our fellow countrymen.  
4. It is possible that because we so quickly found ourselves in a technological revolution, and were enjoying the benefits to such a degree, we did not realize the possible effects on the earth's biosphere

8. Hal used to play on the country club's racquetball team.

1. Hal plays with the racquetball team at the country club.  
2. Hal doesn't play racquetball any more, but still belongs to the country club.  
3. At one time Hal played racquetball on the country club's team.  
4. Hal used to team up with the country club and play racquetball

9. Peter is attending a private school and is majoring in electronics.

1. Peter is specializing in electronics at a private school  
2. Peter is a major at a private electronics school.  
3. Although Peter is attending a private school, he's majoring in electronics  
4. Peter's private school is letting him major in electronics.

10. It is unlikely that the results of the election will be made public before tomorrow morning.

1. Tomorrow morning is probably the earliest that anyone will know the results of the election.  
2. Before tomorrow morning we will probably know the results of the election  
3. The results of the election will most likely be made known before tomorrow morning.  
4. We will probably not be told the results of the election tomorrow morning.

