

KISI PAGES 40 AND 41

Prefixes *in-*, *im-*, *ir-*, *il-*

■ Add a prefix (*in-*, *im-*, *ir-*, or *il-*) to the base words from the Word Bank. Write the word that best completes the sentence on the line provided.

legal	passable	relevant	resistible
possible	convenience	frequent	experienced

1. When I saw the adorable kitten, I had a(n) _____ urge to pet it.

2. The hiker was clearly _____, as he did not pack enough water and food for the hike.

3. Traffic came to a standstill after a landslide made the road _____.

4. Snowfall is strange and _____ near the Texas Gulf Coast.

5. It is _____ to drive a motorcycle on a sidewalk.

6. People living on Saturn? That's _____!

7. Our teacher reminded us to leave out _____ information in our summaries.

8. The doctor was running late with his appointments, and the receptionist apologized for the _____.

Critical Vocabulary

■ Read each sentence. Underline the sentence that best fits the meaning of the word in dark print.

1. descend

I watched the city get smaller as the plane soared into the sky.

It's cold this far up the mountain, so let's climb down a bit.

2. practicable

That bike costs at least a year's worth of babysitting money.

She has supplies and he has tools, so together they can build a treehouse.

3. undertaking

I don't mind reviewing your work, as checking numbers goes pretty quickly for me.

I put off cleaning my room for so long that it was a huge chore.

4. expedition

The explorers gathered the supplies they would need for the journey to study the new land.

The scientists were pleased with the result of their experiment.

5. civilized

The archaeologist found proof that ancient peoples had complex systems of transportation and government.

After a year in the city, it was a relief to spend a day hiking in the quiet countryside.

☒ Choose two of the Critical Vocabulary words and use them in one sentence.
