

Negative prefixes and word formation

short test

1. Put the negative prefixes and then put the words in the context:

secure

familiar

mature

literate

expensive

1. We have a very young and _____ team. They often get silly and start acting up.
2. One in four high school graduates is rated as functionally _____.
3. Murders, robberies and gangster violence have made public life _____.
4. They bought the property when it was really, really _____.
5. On the Internet, avoid downloading suspicious files from _____ sites.

2. Word formation

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| They did nothing to develop it and little to _____ it. | POPULAR |
| Many _____ individuals place self-interest above getting along with others. | AGREE |
| These were simple-minded fictions about an _____ family. | IDEAL |
| Nearly all the houses are damaged and many of them are _____. | INHABIT |
| I need _____, which is why I like the theater. | EXCITE |
| That is not stated as any judgment, simply as an _____. | OBSERVE |
| This tragedy _____ our need for improved safety measures. | HIGH |

3. Describe one of the most expensive commercials ever made (homework). What made it so expensive?
