

A. Match the word to its definition.

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| 1. Buried | a. A traditional saying or proverb that conveys a piece of wisdom or truth based on long-standing experience. |
| 2. Opportunity | b. To place something underground or cover it completely, often implying hiding or concealing. |
| 3. Harass | c. To repeatedly complain, criticize, or pester someone in an irritating or persistent manner. |
| 4. Hostile | d. To trouble, torment, or annoy persistently through aggressive or abusive behavior. |
| 5. Nag | e. A favorable circumstance or situation that presents the chance for progress, advancement, or success. |
| 6. Psychological | f. Displaying enmity or aggression; characterized by opposition or antagonism. |
| 7. Adage | g. Relating to the mind or mental processes, including emotions, behavior, cognition, and perception. |
| 8. Authority | h. To actively seek, follow, or strive toward a particular goal, objective, or course of action. |
| 9. Economically | i. Pertaining to the production, distribution, and consumption of goods and services within a society or system; relating to economics. |
| 10. Pursue | j. The power or right to give orders, make decisions, or enforce obedience; also, a person or institution possessing such power. |

B. Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

pollute	litter	smog	complain	volunteer
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1. She decided to _____ at the local animal shelter to help care for abandoned pets.
2. He tends to _____ about the noise from his neighbors' parties late into the night.
3. Please don't _____ in the park; use the trash bins provided to keep the area clean.
4. The factory installed advanced filtration systems to ensure it did not _____ the nearby river with harmful chemicals.
5. Thanks to strict emissions regulations, the city's air quality has improved significantly, reducing the occurrence of _____.