Text 1	Words to transform
Crisis in the Red Zone	
The 2013–2014 Ebola epidemic was the _____ ever—but the outbreaks continue. Now comes a gripping account of the doctors and scientists fighting to protect us, an urgent wake-up call about the future of emerging viruses.	DEATH
In this taut and _____ medical drama, Richard Preston deeply chronicles the outbreak, in which we saw for the first time the specter of Ebola jumping continents, crossing the Atlantic, and infecting people in America. Rich in characters and conflict—physical, emotional, and ethical—Crisis in the Red Zone is a(n) _____ in one of the great public health calamities of our time.	SUSPEND IMMERSE
Preston writes of doctors and nurses in the field putting their own lives on the line, of government bureaucrats and NGO administrators moving, often fitfully, to try to contain the outbreak, and of _____ companies racing to develop drugs to combat the virus. He also explores the charged ethical dilemma over who should and did receive the rare doses of an experimental _____ when they became available at the peak of the disaster.	PHARMACY TREAT
Crisis in the Red Zone makes clear that the outbreak of 2013–2014 is a harbinger of further, more severe outbreaks, and of emerging viruses heretofore _____ — in any country, on any continent. In our ever more _____ world, with roads and towns cut deep into the jungles of equatorial Africa, viruses both familiar and undiscovered are being _____ into more densely populated areas than ever before. The more we discover about the virosphere, the more we realize its deadly potential. Crisis in the Red Zone is an exquisitely timely book, a stark warning of viral outbreaks to come.	IMAGINE CONNECT LEASH

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The Power of Habit	
In The Power of Habit, award-winning New York Times business reporter Charles Duhigg takes us to the _____ edge of scientific discoveries that explain why habits exist and how they can be changed. With penetrating intelligence and an ability to distill vast amounts of information into _____ narratives, Duhigg brings to life a whole new understanding of human nature and its potential for _____.	THRILL ENGROSS TRANSFORM
Along the way we learn why some people and companies struggle to change, despite years of trying, while others seem to _____ themselves overnight. We visit laboratories where neuroscientists explore how habits work and where, exactly, they reside in our brains. We discover how the right habits were crucial to the success of Olympic swimmer Michael Phelps, Starbucks CEO Howard Schultz, and civil-rights hero Martin Luther King, Jr. We go inside Procter & Gamble, Target superstores, Rick Warren's Saddleback Church, NFL locker rooms, and the nation's largest hospitals and see how _____ so-called keystone habits can earn billions and mean the difference between _____ and success, life and death.	MAKE IMPLEMENT FAIL
At its core, The Power of Habit contains an _____ argument: The key to exercising regularly, losing weight, raising _____ children, becoming more productive, building _____ companies and social movements, and achieving success is understanding how habits work.	EXHILARATE EXCEPT REVOLUTION

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What if? The world's most entertaining and useless self-help guide, from the brilliant mind behind the wildly popular webcomic xkcd and the #1 New York Times _____ What If? and Thing Explainer For any task you might want to do, there's a right way, a wrong way, and a way so _____ complex, excessive, and _____ that no one would ever try it. How To is a guide to the third kind of approach. It's full of highly _____ advice for everything from landing a plane to digging a hole. Bestselling author and _____ Randall Munroe explains how to predict the weather by analyzing the pixels of your Facebook photos. He teaches you how to tell if you're a baby boomer or a 90's kid by measuring the radioactivity of your teeth. He offers tips for taking a selfie with a telescope, crossing a river by boiling it, and powering your house by destroying the fabric of space-time. And if you want to get rid of the book once you're done with it, he walks you through your options for proper disposal, including _____ it in the ocean, converting it to a vapor, using tectonic plates to subduct it into the Earth's mantle, or launching it into the Sun. By exploring the most complicated ways to do simple tasks, Munroe doesn't just make things difficult for himself and his readers. As he did so brilliantly in What If?, Munroe invites us to explore the most absurd reaches of the possible. Full of clever _____ and amusing illustrations, How To is a delightfully mind-bending way to better understand the science and technology _____ the things we do every day.	SELL MONUMENT ADVICE PRACTICE CARTOON SOLVE GRAPHIC LIE

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Because Internet	
A _____ informed look at how our digital world is transforming the English language. Language is humanity's most _____ open-source project, and the internet is making our language change faster and in more interesting ways than ever before. Internet conversations are structured by the shape of our apps and platforms, from the grammar of status _____ to the protocols of comments and @replies.	LINGUISTICS SPECTACLE DATE
Linguistically _____ online communities spread new slang and jargon with _____ speed. What's more, social media is a vast laboratory of unedited, _____ words where we can watch language _____ in real time. Even the most absurd-looking slang has genuine patterns behind it.	INVENT DIZZY FILTER EVOLUTION
Internet linguist Gretchen McCulloch explores the deep forces that shape human language and influence the way we communicate with one another. She explains how your first social internet experience influences whether you prefer "LOL" or "lol," why ~sparkly tildes~ succeeded where centuries of proposals for irony punctuation had failed, what emoji have in common with physical gestures, and how the _____ disarrayed language of animal memes like lolcats and doggo made them more likely to spread.	ART
Because Internet is essential reading for anyone who's ever puzzled over how to punctuate a text message or wondered where memes come from. It's the perfect book for understanding how the internet is changing the English language, why that's a good thing, and what our online _____ reveal about who we are.	INTERACT

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Text 5	Word to transform
Becoming In a life filled with meaning and accomplishment, Michelle Obama has emerged as one of the most iconic and _____ women of our era. As First Lady of the United States of America—the first African American to serve in that role—she helped create the most welcoming and _____ White House in history, while also establishing herself as a powerful advocate for women and girls in the U.S. and around the world, dramatically changing the ways that families pursue healthier and more active lives, and standing with her husband as he led America through some of its most harrowing moments. Along the way, she showed us a few dance moves, crushed Carpool Karaoke, and raised _____ daughters under a(n) _____ media glare. In her memoir, a work of deep reflection and _____ storytelling, Michelle Obama invites readers into her world, chronicling the experiences that have shaped her—from her childhood on the South Side of Chicago to her years as an executive balancing the demands of _____ and work, to her time spent at the world's most famous address. With unerring honesty and lively wit, she describes her triumphs and her disappointments, both public and private, telling her full story as she has lived it—in her own words and on her own terms. Warm, wise, and revelatory, Becoming is the deeply personal _____ of a woman of soul and substance who has steadily defied _____ —and whose story inspires us to do the same.	COMPEL INCLUDE EARTH FORGIVE MESMERIZE MOTHER RECKON EXPECT

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