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Synonyms and Antonyms Exercise

Part A: Synonyms

For each word below, choose the word that is a synonym (means the same or nearly the same) from the list provided.

1. Happy

- a) Sad
- b) Joyful
- c) Angry
- d) Excited

4. Large

- a) Tiny
- b) Huge
- c) Little
- d) Light

2. Beautiful

1. a) Ugly
2. b) Pretty
3. c) Plain
4. d) Small

5. Smart

- a) Dumb
- b) Intelligent
- c) Ignorant
- d) Boring

3. Quick

- a) Slow
- b) Fast
- c) Long
- d) Early

Part B: Antonyms

For each word below, choose the word that is an antonym (means the opposite) from the list provided.

6. Brave

1. a) Cowardly
2. b) Bold
3. c) Fearless
4. d) Courageous

9. Warm

- a) Hot
- b) Lukewarm
- c) Cold
- d) Mild

7. Appear

1. a) Vanish
2. b) Emerge
3. c) Arrive
4. d) Show

10. Honest

- a) Truthful
- b) Deceitful
- c) Sincere
- d) Trustworthy

8. Expensive

- a) Priceless
- b) Cheap
- c) Valuable
- d) Costly

Part C: Mixed Synonyms and Antonyms

Determine whether the second word is a synonym or an antonym of the first word.

11. Old - Ancient

- a) Synonym
- b) Antonym

14. Begin - Commence

- a) Synonym
- b) Antonym

12. Easy - Difficult

- a) Synonym
- b) Antonym

15. Healthy - Sick

- a) Synonym
- b) Antonym

13. Joy - Sorrow

- a) Synonym
- b) Antonym