

Synonyms for **mistake** and **error**.

1. It is a(n) _____ to argue with your friends.
a. error b. mistake c. fault d. slip.
2. The new assistant made a _____ , and as a result all the accounts were messed up.
a. blunder b. slip c. misunderstanding d. fault.
3. Don't blame yourself; it's not your _____ .
a. slip b. error c. misunderstanding d. fault.
4. The engineer was quick to point out the technical _____ in the drawing.
a. blunders b. blips c. errors d. slips
5. I can understand your Spanish in spite of the grammar _____ you make.
a. misunderstandings b. slips c. mistakes d. defects.
6. Sorry, I didn't mean to say that; it was a(n) _____ of the tongue.
a. fault b. error c. slip d. mistake.
7. Whose _____ is that the pizza delivery's late? Hour's I am afraid.
a. fault b. error c. blunder d. slip.
8. Your composition is full of _____ .
a. faults b. slips c. mistakes d. defects.
9. You will make a terrible _____ in introducing her to your parents.
a. defect b. error c. slip d. blunder.
10. The child broke the expensive vase, but it was his mother's _____ for letting play him close to it.
a. fault b. blunder c. defect d. error.

Synonyms for **robbers** and **thieves**.

1. The _____ attacked the owner of the house and disappeared with the expensive painting.
a. thieves b. robbers c. stealers d. lifters
2. Two masked _____ got out of the black car, rushed into the bank pointing their guns and carried away more than \$ 50 000.
a. burglars b. thieves c. robbers d. stealers

3. Robert was attacked by _____ in the dark street, and they took his wallet.

- a. thieves b. pickpockets c. burglars d. bandits.

4. A _____ had broken the back door and stolen my golden necklace.

- a. bandit b. criminal c. robber d. burglar.

5. The ship was attacked by _____ near a deserted island.

- a. thieves b. gangsters c. robbers d. pirates.

6. Look! The attic window is broken; the _____ probably got inside this way.

- a. bandit b. thief c. criminal d. burglar.

7. I think this woman is a _____. I saw her put the souvenir into her bag without paying for it.

- a. thief b. shoplifter c. burglar d. robber.

8. The _____ stopped the car, pointed the gun at the driver and took all his money and documents.

- a. thieves b. burglars c. pirates d. bandits

9. There is a _____ in the office. Small things from my desk disappear very often.

- a. robber b. criminal c. gangster d. thief.

10. A _____ took Jane's suitcase while he was sleeping in the train.

- a. thief b. burglar c. robber d. bandit.

Synonyms for **mistake** and **blunder**.

1 There must be some _____; I think we have come to the wrong house.

- a. slip b. fault c. mistake d. miscue.

2. The train crash was due to a _____ of the engine-driver, and many people died because of his carelessness.

- a. inaccuracy b. blunder c. misunderstanding d. slip.

3. You shouldn't worry about this; it was only a _____ of the tongue and no one really noticed.

- a. slip b. mistake c. misunderstanding d. blunder.

4. I am telling you from personal experience - don't go there on holiday. It will be a(n) _____!

- a. error b. misunderstanding c. mistake d. blunder.

5. All the information was lost because of an _____ in the computers.

- a. inaccuracy b. incorrectness c. error d. inexactness.

6. He paid a lot of money for the high quality machinery, but lot of technical _____ started to appear in the long run.

- a. blunders b. slips c. errors d. gaffes.

7. It is the first time Jason has written a love letter, so no wonder he made a few _____ of the pen out of excitement.

- a. errors b. slips c. mistakes d. blunders.

8. Julia married a wealthy old man when she was only eighteen because all she wanted was to be rich. Years later she realized it was a big _____.

- a. inaccuracy b. mistake c. blunder d. error.

9. At the beginning of our marriage we had some _____, but little by little we smoothed them away.

- a. faults b. gaffes c. mistakes d. misunderstandings

10. What he did was inappropriate to his social status; as the president of the country, he didn't realize what a(n) _____ he had made.

- a. misunderstanding b. error c. mistake d. gaffe.

Synonyms for **threat** and **danger**.

1.The operation on his heart was successful, and the patient is now out of _____

- a.danger b. crisis b. threat d. peril.

2.This was Brian's first voyage as a sailor, and he was not sure if he was ready to face the _____ of the ocean.

- a. perils b. insecurities c. adventures d. crisis.

3. Since you live in a region of tornadoes and hurricanes, think about insuring your property against all _____.

- a. risks b. uncertainties c. dangers d. threats

4. Going into the jungle all alone at night seems like a real _____ to me.

- a. chance b. harm c. threats adventure.

5. The football fan stopped throwing stones because of the policeman's _____ to arrest him.

- a. danger b. threat c. peril d. risk

6. I hope you realize that as a climber you will be exposed to the severe _____ of the mountain.

- a. harms b. adventures c. injuries d. perils.

7. Your life is in constant _____ if you always drive as fast as this.

- a. danger b. insecurity c. crisis d. adventure.

8. This military operation is a _____ to national security.

- a. threat b. harm c. chance d. peril.

9. A lot of countries from the third world live under the constant _____ of famine.

- a. threat b. peril c. harm d. venture.

10. These are the usual _____ of the desert – scorpions, snakes, heat, lack of water, etc.

- a. uncertainties b. harms c. crises d. risks.