

1. Free university education for all helps _____ as even those born into poorer families will have the opportunity to become professionals and earn a high wage.
2. My neighbours are so _____ they have a cleaner and a nanny to look after their children.
3. The exploitation of the working class by the ruling class, for example by paying them low wages or sending them off to fight in wars, is the main source of _____.
4. Despite all Conservatives promising a _____ when they come to power, they don't make sufficient investments in education so that people from lower socio-economic backgrounds have the opportunities necessary to move up in society.
5. The Prime Minister was _____; he has no idea how the lives of normal people are.
6. When artisanal coffee shops and vegan restaurants pop up on the high street, you know the area is being _____.



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Multiple choice

1. How does American society feel talking about class?
a) relaxed b) uneasy c) eager
2. Dream hoarders rig markets to benefit whom?
a) their families b) their communities c) all of society
3. How many Americans think they're middle class?
a) 70% b) 80% c) 90%
4. Who helps the upper-middle class buy expensive houses?
a) their families b) their employers c) the government



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Sentence completion

5. School admissions policies can be organised in a way that mean even _____ can be predominantly attended by wealthier students.
6. 40% of the upper-middle class live near public schools with the best _____.
7. It is deeply troubling that a child should get preferential _____ when applying to a college just because their parents attended the same college.
8. Many employers place a lot of value on someone who has done an _____.

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Short answer

9. Why are many internships automatically biased towards people from wealthier backgrounds?
10. Many internships are handed out on the basis of what?
11. For someone to move up in society, where does another person have to move?
12. Downward mobility is unpopular on what level?