

Unit 17 – Set 5 – Chunks

Exercise A

Match the words to their meanings:

	Words			Meanings
1	to a great extent	.....	a.	במידה מסוימת
2	to be precise	.....	b.	במידה רבה
3	to make matters worse	.....	c.	להחמיר את המצב
4	to my mind	.....	d.	להיות מדויק
5	to some extent	.....	e.	למיטב ידיעתי
6	to the best of my knowledge	.....	f.	לפי דעתי

Exercise B

Circle the correct answer:

- Her dress was red with green flowers, which **to a great extent / to my mind** looks all wrong.
- It is better to stay silent not **to make matters worse / to the best of my knowledge**.
- There was a good attendance at the conference – five hundred people – **to some extent / to be precise**.
- To a great extent / To make matters worse** parents are always responsible for their children's deeds.
- To some extent / To be precise**, he was responsible for the incident.
- To the best of my knowledge / To make matters worse**, the facts they provided were not satisfying.

Exercise C

Complete the definitions with the words below:

To a great extent, To be precise, To make matters worse, To my mind, To some extent, To the best of my knowledge

- " _____ " means exactly or sharply defined or stated.
- " _____ " means from what I know and understand from the information that I have.
- " _____ " means in my opinion.
- " _____ " means partly.
- " _____ " means to a large or significant degree; greatly; a lot.
- " _____ " means to make the situation even more unpleasant or difficult.

*Definitions are taken from:

<https://dictionary.cambridge.org/dictionary/english/>

<https://www.merriam-webster.com/>