

## Unit 9

	Term	Possible meaning	Example
<b>A</b>			
1	<b>amazed</b>	נדהם, מתפלא	The children were <b>amazed</b> when they saw the shooting stars.
2	<b>ambitious</b>	שאפתן	In the religious cult trial, the <b>ambitious</b> lawyer will represent the cult leader.
3	<b>amulet</b>	קמע	David always wears an <b>amulet</b> around his neck.
4	<b>anchor</b>	עוגן	The beach slopes gently down and ships <b>anchor</b> about 2 meters.
5	<b>ancient</b>	עתיק	After the <b>ancient</b> era, advances in medicine came more quickly.
6	<b>angle</b>	זווית	From that <b>angle</b> , she could see the place on the mountain.
7	<b>annual</b>	שנתון	The <b>annual</b> rainfall for the whole of France averages about 32 in. 5665
<b>B</b>			
8	<b>blame</b>	להאשים	Tom wants to <b>blame</b> us.
9	<b>bland</b>	תפל, אדיש	Some food is pretty <b>bland</b> without salt.
10	<b>bleak</b>	קודר, עגום	The economic situation is very <b>bleak</b> .
11	<b>bleed</b>	לדמם	She'd <b>bleed</b> out in this cave.
12	<b>blind</b>	עיוור	Tom's great grandfather was born <b>blind</b> .
13	<b>bloom</b>	פורח, מלבלב	Some flowers <b>bloom</b> in spring and others in autumn.
14	<b>blot</b>	כתם	I got an ink <b>blot</b> on this form.
<b>C</b>			
15	<b>collate</b>	השווה, ערך, ארגן (נתונים או מסמכים)	They are still <b>collating</b> the data.
16	<b>collide</b>	להתנגש ב-	His car <b>collided</b> with a train.



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17	<b>colony</b>	מושבה קולוניאלית, קהילה	Brazil was a <b>colony</b> of Portugal.
18	<b>colossal</b>	ענקי, עצום, כביר	That was a <b>colossal</b> waste of time.
19	<b>column</b>	עמוד, טור	I always read his <b>columns</b> with interest.
20	<b>combine</b>	להתאחד, להתחבר, לצרף, לשלב	We should consider a <b>combined</b> effort.
21	<b>comfort</b>	נוחות, רווחה	His salary enables him to live in <b>comfort</b> .
22	<b>command</b>	פקודה	That was a recommendation, not a <b>command</b> .
23	<b>commend</b>	לציין לשבח, להמליץ על	The returning soldiers were <b>commended</b> for their bravery in battle.
24	<b>comment</b>	להעיר, להגיב	We have no <b>comment</b> currently.
25	<b>commercial</b>	מסחרי, תשדיר פרסומת	We'll be back after this <b>commercial</b> .
26	<b>commitment</b>	מחויבות	You've got to carry out your <b>commitment</b> at all costs.
27	<b>common</b>	נפוץ, שכיח	English is like a word-wide <b>common</b> language.
28	<b>compare</b>	להשוות, בהשוואה ל-	They <b>compared</b> the new car with the old one.
29	<b>compensate</b>	לחפות, לכפר על-	I worked hard to <b>compensate</b> for the loss.
30	<b>complain</b>	להתלונן	It won't do any good to <b>complain</b> .
31	<b>complete</b>	מלא, שלם, להשלים	I have a mission to <b>complete</b> .
32	<b>compliment</b>	להחמיא	I'm not sure if it's a <b>compliment</b> or an insult.
33	<b>component</b>	רכיב	The interview is a key <b>component</b> in the hiring process.
34	<b>compose</b>	להרכיב, לחבר, להלחין	He <b>composes</b> beautiful poems.
<b>D</b>			
35	<b>dictate</b>	להכתיב	He <b>dictated</b> several letters to his secretary.



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36	<b>differ</b>	להיות שונה מ-, לחלוק על	British English <b>differs</b> from American English in many ways.
37	<b>dig</b>	לחפור	It shouldn't be hard to <b>dig</b> in this sand.
38	<b>dim</b>	להתעמעם, לעמעם	We saw a <b>dim</b> light in the distance.
39	<b>diminish</b>	לקטון, להקטין, להפחית, להצטמצם	The population of this country is <b>diminishing</b> .
40	<b>dine</b>	לסעוד, לאכול	Let's <b>dine</b> out tonight I'm too tired to cook.
41	<b>dip</b>	לטבול, לשקוע, לרדת, להנמיך	I <b>dipped</b> my finger into the honey.
42	<b>direct</b>	ישיר, גלוי לב	Few men have <b>direct</b> access to the president.
43	<b>disability</b>	נכות, מגבלות	The army rejected Tom because of a physical <b>disability</b> .
44	<b>disadvantage</b>	חסרון	She had the <b>disadvantage</b> of growing up in a poor community.
45	<b>disagree</b>	לא להסכים, לחלוק על	I <b>disagree</b> with your argument on every point.
<b>E</b>			
46	<b>entreat</b>	להפציר ב	I <b>entreat</b> you to please carefully drive this weekend.
47	<b>envelope</b>	מעטפה	I forgot to put a stamp on the <b>envelope</b> .
48	<b>envious</b>	מקנא ב-	I am <b>envious</b> of her gold medal.
49	<b>environment</b>	סביבה	Mankind has a great capacity to adapt to <b>environmental</b> changes.
50	<b>envisage</b>	לצפות, לתאר לעצמו, לראות בחזונו	Dealing with long term problems was not <b>envisaged</b> .
51	<b>epidemic</b>	מגיפה	A serious <b>epidemic</b> has broken out in Beijing.
52	<b>episode</b>	פרשה, פרק	Each <b>episode</b> of that TV drama ends with somebody delivering a profound line.
53	<b>equal</b>	שווה	All men have <b>equal</b> rights.
54	<b>equation</b>	משוואה	If you calculate the electric field using this <b>equation</b> , the result comes out like the following.



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55	<b>equipment</b>	ציוד	Doctors use medical <b>equipment</b> .
56	<b>equitable</b>	הוגן, צודק	The couple drafted a settlement to their divorce, but the judge didn't think it was <b>equitable</b> .
<b>F</b>			
57	<b>firm</b>	קשה, מוצק, חברה, פירמה	I'm working for a trading <b>firm</b> .
58	<b>fixation</b>	קיבעון, שיגעון	She has an abnormal <b>fixation</b> for cleanliness.
59	<b>fizz</b>	גזים, קול תסיסה, לתסוס	This cola has lost its <b>fizz</b> and doesn't taste any good.
60	<b>flag</b>	דגל, להתעייף, לדעוך	I see someone waving a white <b>flag</b> .
61	<b>flair</b>	כשרון, חוש	She had a natural <b>flair</b> for that sort of thing.
<b>G</b>			
62	<b>glide</b>	לדאות, לרחף, להחליק	Some people think that hang <b>gliding</b> is a dangerous sport.
63	<b>glint</b>	נצנוץ, ברק	The waves <b>glinted</b> in the sunlight.
64	<b>glisten</b>	לנצוץ, להבהיק	The spider web <b>glistened</b> in the morning dew.
<b>H</b>			
65	<b>heredity</b>	תורשה	We are influenced both by environment and by <b>heredity</b> .
66	<b>heritage</b>	מורשת	You should be proud of your <b>heritage</b> .
67	<b>hero</b>	גיבור	Who's your favorite super <b>hero</b> ?
<b>I</b>			
68	<b>insane</b>	משוגע, מטורף	It was an <b>insane</b> trip.
69	<b>insect</b>	חרק	I got a lot of <b>insect</b> bites in the woods.
70	<b>insist</b>	להתעקש, לטעון בתוקף	My father <b>insisted</b> that we should go.
71	<b>insolent</b>	חצוף	Because Ronen was <b>insolent</b> to the principal, he got suspended from school for three days.
<b>J</b>			



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72	<b>join</b>	לחבר, להצטרף, לפגוש	Come on in and <b>join</b> us, we are going to the mall.
<b>K</b>			
73	<b>kid</b>	ילד/ילדה	Yossi is a very nice <b>kid</b> ; he always helps everyone.
74	<b>kidnap</b>	לחטוף	What if someone decided to <b>kidnap</b> her?
<b>L</b>			
75	<b>lexicon</b>	לקסיקון, אוצר מילים	It is hard to understand what teenagers say because their <b>lexicon</b> is constantly changing.
76	<b>liability</b>	אחריות, נטל	I incurred a huge <b>liability</b> when I financed my car.
77	<b>liar</b>	שקרן	She called him a <b>liar</b> .
78	<b>libel</b>	הוצאת לשון הרע, דיבה, עלילה	The singer claims he was <b>libeled</b> in the magazine article.
79	<b>liberal</b>	ליברלי, סובלני	The publishers of that newspaper are very <b>liberal</b> .
80	<b>liberation</b>	שחרור	Women's <b>Liberation</b> is a broad-based but informal popular movement.
<b>M</b>			
81	<b>merchandise</b>	סחורה	I saw somebody steal the <b>merchandise</b> .
82	<b>mercy</b>	רחמים	He didn't have an ounce of <b>mercy</b> or humanity in him.
83	<b>mere</b>	רק, בטה"כ	You are no longer a <b>mere</b> child.
84	<b>merge</b>	להתמזג	The two companies were obliged to <b>merge</b> in order to survive.
85	<b>merry</b>	שמח, עליו	He was very thoughtful and very <b>merry</b> .
86	<b>mesh</b>	רשת, מלכודת, הסתבך	Use a <b>mesh</b> to keep the mosquitoes away.
87	<b>mess</b>	לכלוך, בלאגן	Help me clean up this <b>mess</b> .
88	<b>message</b>	הודעה	She typed a <b>message</b> to him.
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89	<b>nostalgia</b>	נוסטלגיה	She has <b>nostalgia</b> .
90	<b>nosy</b>	חטטן	Talia gave her husband a don't-be- <b>nosy</b> look.
91	<b>notable</b>	ראי לציון, בולט, ניכר במיוחד	The red wine is <b>notable</b> for its fresh, fruity taste.
<b>O</b>			
92	<b>option</b>	אפשרות בחירה, ברירה, אופציה	I have three <b>options</b> for you.
93	<b>oracle</b>	נביא, נבואה	They consulted the <b>oracle</b> at Delphi.
<b>P</b>			
94	<b>porter</b>	שוער	Please have the <b>porter</b> take the baggage to our room.
95	<b>portfolio</b>	תיק עבודות	I prepared a <b>portfolio</b> of my certificates.
96	<b>portion</b>	חלק, מנה	What <b>portion</b> of your salary goes on tax?
97	<b>portray</b>	להראות, לתאר, לשרטט דיוקן	He <b>portrayed</b> him as a miser.
98	<b>pose</b>	לעורר, להציב, להתייצב לצילום	After the wedding we all <b>posed</b> for photographs.
99	<b>position</b>	מקום, מיקום	All the dancers were in <b>position</b> waiting for the music to begin.
100	<b>positive</b>	חיובי, אופטימי	She had to adopt a <b>positive</b> attitude.
101	<b>possess</b>	יש, היה לו, להחזיק ברשותו	He thinks it should be legal for citizens to <b>possess</b> a gun.
102	<b>possible</b>	אפשרי	Do it as soon as <b>possible</b> .
103	<b>post</b>	דואר, לשלוח בדואר, להעביר, להציב, אחרי	There wasn't any <b>post</b> for you today.
<b>Q</b>			
104	<b>queue</b>	תור	The children were told to form a <b>queue</b> outside the doors.
<b>R</b>			
105	<b>restrain</b>	לרסן, לעצור בעד-	I had to <b>restrain</b> myself from saying something rude.



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106	<b>restrict</b>	להגביל	The mayor plans to <b>restrict</b> the use of cars in the city center.
107	<b>result</b>	תוצאה, כתוצאה מכך	The traffic was very heavy and as a <b>result</b> I arrived late.
108	<b>resume</b>	להמשיך ב-, להתחיל שוב,	City services will <b>resume</b> as soon as possible.
<b>S</b>			
109	<b>sense</b>	שכל, תבונה, היגיון	I think there is a lot of <b>sense</b> in what he is saying.
110	<b>sense</b>	לחוש, להרגיש	I <b>sensed</b> that something was wrong as soon as I went in.
111	<b>sensible</b>	נבון, הגיוני, שקול	I think it would be <b>sensible</b> to leave early.
112	<b>sensitive</b>	רגיש, פגיע	My teeth are very <b>sensitive</b> to cold or hot food.
113	<b>sentiment</b>	עמדה, דעה, רגשות	There is no room for <b>sentiment</b> in business.
114	<b>separate</b>	נפרד, לחוד, להיפרד, להתפצל	The friends <b>separated</b> at the airport.
115	<b>sequence</b>	השתלשלות אירועים	The photographs are in <b>sequence</b> .
116	<b>serious</b>	חמור, רציני	Pollution is a very <b>serious</b> problem.
117	<b>service</b>	שירות, טפל ב-, לתת שירות	We take our car for a <b>service</b> every six month.
118	<b>session</b>	מפגש, שיעור	She has a <b>session</b> at the gym every week.
<b>T</b>			
119	<b>threat</b>	איום, סכנה	Disease is a <b>threat</b> to human beings.
<b>U</b>			
120	<b>unearth</b>	לחשוף, לגלות	Archeologists have <b>unearthed</b> a Roman tomb.
121	<b>unequal</b>	לא שווה, לא אחיד	They split the pie <b>unequally</b> .
<b>V</b>			
122	<b>vaporize</b>	לאדות, להתאדות	Heat is used to <b>vaporize</b> the liquid.



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## Y

123	<b>yacht</b>	יאכטה, מפרשית מרוץ	They usually use an anchor to hold a <b>yacht</b> in place.
124	<b>yawn</b>	לפהק	Cover your mouth when you cough, sneeze, or <b>yawn</b> .



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**Unit 9 – practice****A. Sentence completion basic level**

1. He died in 1354, and his \_\_\_\_\_ was divided between three members of his house.

- (1) denial
  - (2) detect
  - (3) failure
  - (4) heritage
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2. She was \_\_\_\_\_, driven by her need for power.

- (1) portfolio
  - (2) ambitious
  - (3) navy
  - (4) income
- 

3. The feeling of failure settled into her \_\_\_\_\_ thoughts.

- (1) bleak
  - (2) incapable
  - (3) jam
  - (4) fatal
- 

4. The \_\_\_\_\_ of ants were very efficient when they all worked together.

- (1) chance
  - (2) whereby
  - (3) colony
  - (4) germ
- 

5. It is said that in \_\_\_\_\_ China, doctors were paid when their patients were well.

- (1) lecture
- (2) omelet
- (3) aircraft
- (4) ancient



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6. This \_\_\_\_\_ does not give us the value of the unknown factor but gives us a ratio between two unknowns

- (1) chant
- (2) equation
- (3) harm
- (4) evasion

7. The \_\_\_\_ to get in here is longer than you'd guess.

- (1) moan
- (2) massage
- (3) queue
- (4) wedge

8. The \_\_\_\_\_ in the Arctic Circle is very hostile.

- (1) none
- (2) mend
- (3) wave
- (4) environment

### B. Find the word that means the same or closest in meaning

1. flair

- (1) permissible
- (2) delicate
- (3) talent
- (4) lack

2. sequence

- (1) stoppage
- (2) series
- (3) leather
- (4) immigrant



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**3. glisten**

- (1) sanitary
  - (2) shimmer
  - (3) bay
  - (4) nest
- 

**4. envisage**

- (1) network
  - (2) clarify
  - (3) imagine
  - (4) oneself
- 

**5. mesh**

- (1) entanglement
  - (2) order
  - (3) plagiarism
  - (4) net
- 

**6. envious**

- (1) confident
  - (2) jealous
  - (3) design
  - (4) heal
- 

**7. collide**

- (1) possess
  - (2) accomplish
  - (3) clash
  - (4) manufacture
- 

**8. equitable**

- (1) intolerable
- (2) decent
- (3) amusing
- (4) enchanted



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**C. Find the opposite**

1. unearth  
 (1) ferret  
 (2) enrich  
 (3) hide  
 (4) geography
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2. Colossal  
 (1) pastry  
 (2) tiny  
 (3) deliver  
 (4) gigantic
- 

3. restrict  
 (1) allow  
 (2) east  
 (3) impede  
 (4) discrimination
- 

4. bland  
 (1) flat  
 (2) exciting  
 (3) diagnose  
 (4) library
- 

5. insolent  
 (1) profess  
 (2) mimic  
 (3) pause  
 (4) polite



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6. differ  
 (1) coincide  
 (2) chorus  
 (3) contrast  
 (4) office

7. entreat  
 (1) highway  
 (2) blandish  
 (3) rare  
 (4) demand

8. disadvantage  
 (1) perspective  
 (2) prejudice  
 (3) benefit  
 (4) plant

#### D. Find what doesn't belong

1. fast, abstain, dine, diet
2. compliment, libel, praise, glorify
3. liberation, slavery, restriction, subordination
4. increased, raised, enlarge, diminish
5. attentive, yawn, excited, roused
6. notable, common, vague, obscure
7. distribute, scatter, collate, spread
8. honor, cleanliness, perfection, blot



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**E. Find the correct translation****1. merchandise**

- (1) סיווג
  - (2) סחורה
  - (3) פלח
  - (4) הגיון
- 

**2. oracle**

- (1) נבואה
  - (2) מרקם
  - (3) מטבל
  - (4) סערה
- 

**3. amulet**

- (1) שפתון
  - (2) בקשה
  - (3) צעידה
  - (4) קמע
- 

**4. portray**

- (1) אפשרי
  - (2) לשרטט
  - (3) לחטוף
  - (4) לחבר
- 

**5. column**

- (1) מסחרי
- (2) כישלון
- (3) פרדס
- (4) טור



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## 6. Fizz

- (1) תסיסה
  - (2) סילוף
  - (3) חוש
  - (4) מחסה
- 

## 7. mere

- (1) ענק
  - (2) אפילו
  - (3) במשך
  - (4) רק
- 

## 8. angle

- (1) עמודה
- (2) פס
- (3) זווית
- (4) זריקה



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**Answer key – Unit 9****A**

Question	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Answer	4	2	1	3	4	2	3	4

**B**

Question	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Answer	3	2	2	3	1	2	3	2

**C**

Question	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Answer	3	2	1	2	4	1	4	3

**D**

1. dine
2. libel
3. liberation
4. Diminish
5. Yawn
6. Notable
7. Collate
8. blot

**E**

Question	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Answer	2	1	4	2	4	1	4	3



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