

Unit 16

	Term	Possible meaning	Example
A			
1	averse	סולד מ-, מתנגד ל-	I'm not averse to broccoli if it's cooked right.
2	awkward	מביך, בעייתי	She is awkward at dancing.
3	axe	גרזן	A moment later, he dropped the axe and ran.
4	azure	תכלת	Jane has a ring with an azure stone that perfectly matches her blue eyes.
B			
5	button	כפתור	He pressed the button and waited.
6	bypass	מעקף	A vigilante bypasses the law and takes matters into his own hands.
C			
7	crowd	להתקהל סביב, המון, קהל רב	The shop was crowded with young people.
8	crown	כתר, להכתיר	The girl in the picture is wearing a crown not of gold but of flowers.
9	crucial	מכריע	Vitamins are crucial for maintaining good health.
10	cruel	אכזרי	I never thought he was capable of doing something so cruel .
11	cuddle	לחבק חזק	I saw a young couple cuddling on a park bench.
12	curb	לרסן, לעצור, להגביל	Please give me some kind of medicine to curb the pain.
13	cure	לרפא	Scientists haven't found a cure for cancer yet.
14	curl	לסלסל, להתפתל, תלתל	My cousin has blonde curly hair.
15	current	נוכחי, עכשווי, שוטף, זרם	I want to quit my current job.
16	curse	קללה, לקלל	The thief curse d the police for finding him.
D			



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17	drone	לזמזם, לנהום, זמזום, מטוס ללא טייס	The voices droned on above him.
18	drool	להזיל ריר	The delicious smelling food was enough to make me drool .
19	droop	להיות שחוח, לצנוח	He habitually walked with drooping head.
20	drop	לשמוט מידו, לצנוח, ליפול, טיפה	I almost dropped my cell phone into the pool.
21	duplicate	לעשות העתק, לשכפל	May I borrow a duplicate key for Room 21?
22	duty	חובה, תפקיד	Now that he is old, it is your duty to look after him.
23	dwarf	גמד, ננס	The dwarf is actually based on a real story.
24	dwel	לגור, לשכון ב	I try not to dwel on the past.
E			
25	elaborate	משוכלל, מפורט, הרחיב, שכלל	I'll be glad to elaborate if you want to hear more.
26	expropriate	להפקיע	Obviously, this system will end when we expropriate the middle class.
27	expulsion	גירוש, סילוק	Since David hated school, the threat of expulsion did not make him behave.
28	extend	להאריך, להרחיב, למתוח	Can we extend the deadline by two weeks?
29	external	חיצוני	It is a hard-plastic case, and its external side adds a layer of soft rubber.
30	extinct	נכחד	Unless whales are protected, they will become extinct .
31	extort	לסחוט	He extorted a large amount of money from her.
32	extract	לעקור, להוציא, לחלץ, תמצית	Oil is extracted from olives.
33	extreme	רב, גדול, חזק ביותר	Dana likes the extreme cold of Alaska.
F			



34	famine	רעב, מחסור חמור	The famine affected half the continent.
35	fancy	גחמה, קפריזה, חיבב, תאר לעצמו	Critics have dismissed his plan as mere fancy .
36	feud	סכסוך, שנאה, איבה, נקמת דם	The feud between the rival dynasties lasted from the beginning of the 15th century to the beginning of the 17th.
37	flare	להבה, התלקחות, בער, התפרץ	When the crew saw flares , they knew the other ship was in trouble.
38	fugitive	נמלט, עריק	The fugitive crossed the river.
39	fulfillment	הגשמה, סיפוק, מימוש	They failed to fulfill the conditions.
40	fund	קרן, כספים, לממן	I have no funds in the bank.
41	furious	כועס מאוד, זועם	Even though he apologized, I'm still furious .
42	further	עוד, יותר, לקדם, רחוק יותר	He could not walk any further .
43	fuzzy	מטושטש, פרוותי	After a hard night of drinking, his brain was fuzzy .
G			
44	guest	אורח, מוזמן	We will have some guests tomorrow.
45	guide	מדריך, ספר הדרכה, להוביל	Please show me the TV guide .
46	guilt	אשמה	Let the law punish him for his guilt .
47	gush	לפרוץ, לזרום, לקלוח בשטף	The blood is gushing out of the wound.
H			
48	however	למרות זאת, אולם, אך	I usually enjoy the ocean; however the water is too cold today for a swim.
49	human	אנושי, הומאני	The human body is composed of billions of small cells.
50	hurry	בחיפזון, במהירות	She was in a hurry to go home.
51	hygiene	היגיינה	Personal hygiene is very important.
52	hypocrisy	צביעות	Frankly speaking, he is more of a hypocrite than a patriot.



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53	illustrate	המחיש, הדגים, אייר, עיטר	He illustrated his lecture with stories of his own experiences in the field.
54	indignant	ממורמר, זועם כתוצאה מאי צדק או מיחס בלתי הוגן	He was very indignant about the changes.
55	inventory	מצאי, רשימת מצאי, מלאי	The dealer keeps a large inventory of used cars and trucks.
56	island	אי	It was a small island , and there was no one living on it.
57	isolate	מבודד, מנותק	My property is isolated and very quiet.
58	issue	בעיה, סוגיה, נושא, עניין	The issue was that Benny hadn't included her in his plans.
59	itch	גירוי, עקצוץ	Sara concentrated on the small itch in her mind that told her John was near.
60	item	פריט, סעיף	She added another item to the growing list.
61	itinerant	נודד, עובר ממקום למקום	The documentary follows the life of an itinerant homeless man who never sleeps in a location more than once.
J			
62	jut	בליטה, בלט	The balcony juts out over the street.
63	juvenile	לנוער, צעיר, קטן	The increase in juvenile delinquency is a serious problem.
64	juxtapose	להנגיד, להעמיד זה לצד זה	Dreams of happiness were often juxtaposed with dreams of sadness.
K			
65	knock	לדפוק, להקיש, להפיל	There was a knock at the door.
66	knot	קשר	I did not make the knot large enough in the next string, and the beads came off as fast as she put them on.
67	know	לדעת	I know you must be tired, so I will let you rest.
68	knowledge	ידע	Human knowledge will always have limits.
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69	lung	ריאה	Studies show that even young smokers have reduced lung capacity.
70	lurch	זינוק, טלטול	Some marriages start with a lurch before they get rolling.
71	lure	לפתות, כוח משיכה, פיתוי	The mouse was lured into the trap by a big piece of cheese.
72	lust	תאווה	The lust for money often causes people to perform criminal acts.
73	luxury	מותרות	He drives a luxury car but lives in a cheap little apartment.
74	lyrics	מלים של שיר	I can't remember the lyrics of this song.
M			
75	misery	סבל, אומללות, מסכנות, עליבות	The war brought misery to thousands of refugees.
76	mundane	שגרת, משעמם	It was difficult returning to our mundane life after our weekend high.
77	municipal	עירוני,	The way to the municipal pool is through here.
78	muscle	שריר	Shay has well developed muscles in his arms.
79	muse	להרהר, לתהות	She looked out to the garden, musing on what he had said.
80	muster	כינס, אסף, פקד, סקר	The great warrior mustered a big, strong army.
81	mutual	הדדי, משותף	Any relationship lasts on mutual trust.
82	mute	שותק, אילם	You can mute the microphone during a call by pressing the left button.
83	mystery	תעלומה	There was no mystery about it.
N			
84	nutrition	תזונה	There isn't much nutrition in potato chips.
85	nylon	ניילון	This cloth is made from nylon .
O			
86	oxygen	חמצן	You can't live without oxygen .
87	oyster	צדפה	I regret eating those oysters .



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88	pry	לחטט, לפרוץ	Donna is sick of her sister prying into her personal life.
89	psychology	פסיכולוגיה	Psychology deals with human emotions.
90	publish	להוציא לאור, לפרסם	Dr. Cohen has published several articles on the subject.
91	pull	לגרור, למשוך, למתוח	I have pulled a muscle in my arm.
92	pulse	דופק	The doctor checked the patient's pulse .
93	pump	להזרים, לשאוב	The heart pumps blood around your body.
94	punish	להעניש	The children were punished for telling lies.
95	purchase	קנייה, רכישה	I need to purchase health insurance.
96	purpose	מטרה, משמעות, כוונה.	What is the main purpose of this plan?
R			
97	ruminant	מעלה גירה	Cows and sheep are both ruminants .
98	rumor	שמועה	She tried to prevent the rumor from spreading.
99	rupture	להתפוצץ, לקרוע, קרע, התפקעות	Her appendix ruptured and she had to have emergency surgery.
100	rural	כפרי	Have you ever lived in a rural area?
101	rush	למהר, לרוץ, להזדרז	The fireman rushed into the burning house.
102	rust	חלודה, להחליד	A bicycle will rust if you leave it in the rain.
103	ruthless	חסר רחמים, אכזר, חסר פשרות	The way she behaved towards him was utterly ruthless .
104	rye	שיפון	We have two copies of the book "The Catcher in the Rye " at home.
S			
105	stir	לבחוש, לזוז, להניע	Do not forget to give the soup a stir .



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106	stitch	תפר, לתפור	How many stitches did you have in your arm?
107	structure	מבנה, לבנות, לתכנן	The old office block had been replaced by a modern glass structure .
108	struggle	מאבק, להתאמץ, להיאבק	The country is struggling for independence.
109	subordinate	כפוף ל-, משני, זוטר, נחות יותר	The relationship between superior and their subordinates were always controversial.
110	substance	חומר, תוכן, עיקר, תוקף	The floor was covered with a white, powdery substance that turned out to be flour.
111	survey	סקר, לסקור, למדוד	We stood at the top of the hill and surveyed the countryside.
112	suspicion	חשד, חשדנות	She was arrested on suspicion of murder.
113	sustain	לקיים, לאפשר קיום	It is hard to sustain interest for such a long time.
114	system	מערכת, שיטה	The government is planning to reform the education system .
T			
115	triumph	ניצחון, לנצח, לגבור על	The team returned home in triumph .
116	trust	אמון, לבטוח, לתת אמון ב-	He said the car was safe, but I just don't trust him.
117	tutor	מורה פרטי, מתרגל, מדריך	I hired a private tutor to help me with math homework.
U			
118	unsettled	לא יציב, הפכפך	We've been having a lot of unsettled weather lately.
119	urge	לדחוק, להאיץ, להפציר, דחף, יצר, חשק	Mr. Levi, our boss urged us to accept his offer.
120	usurp	לתפוס בכוח, ליטול מ-, להפקיע	After the king dies, his brother will usurp the throne from the prince.
121	utility	שירות ציבורי, תועלת	Her furniture was chosen for utility rather than style.
122	utopia	אוטופיה	The beautiful, isolated island is as close to a utopia as I will ever get.



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123	utter	מוחלט, מושלם, ממש, לבטא,	It was a complete and utter waste of time.
V			
124	vertical	אנכי, במאונך	He drew some vertical lines on the paper.
125	violate	להפר, לפגוע ב-, לחלל	Those who violate the rules will be punished.
126	vocation	תיעוד, שליחות, מקצוע	Peter has finally found his vocation in life.



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Unit 16 – practice**A. Sentence completion basic level**

1. The list included many _____, routine tasks.

- (1) scout
- (2) mundane
- (3) verge
- (4) island

2. Learning history requires _____ of events.

- (1) itch
- (2) lung
- (3) unsettled
- (4) knowledge

3. Plants are constantly transforming the carbon dioxide we exhale back into useful _____.

- (1) fugitive
- (2) irrelevant
- (3) knit
- (4) oxygen

4. The _____ cheered as one and the parade began.

- (1) crowd
- (2) button
- (3) mute
- (4) rupture

5. Half the population in this planet had been decimated by _____ and war.

- (1) extort
- (2) guest
- (3) famine
- (4) item



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6. A _____ of voices was audible through the closed window.

- (1) droop
- (2) drone
- (3) fancy
- (4) fund

7. Surely you _____ here or in one of these surrounding towns.

- (1) extract
- (2) dwell
- (3) crown
- (4) correspond

8. The _____ population live for the most part in villages, not as a rule scattered about the country.

- (1) rural
- (2) nylon
- (3) misery
- (4) dwarf

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

1. gush

- (1) axe
- (2) burst
- (3) expropriate
- (4) local

2. sustain

- (1) furious
- (2) harm
- (3) curl
- (4) maintain



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3. feud

- (1) possess
 - (2) quarrel
 - (3) income
 - (4) peace
-

4. averse

- (1) opposing
 - (2) azure
 - (3) ruin
 - (4) in favor
-

5. muse

- (1) dismiss
 - (2) oyster
 - (3) kitchen
 - (4) ponder
-

6. expulsion

- (1) inclusion
 - (2) monotony
 - (3) banishing
 - (4) climb
-

7. mutual

- (1) separate
 - (2) rye
 - (3) common
 - (4) entire
-

8. curb

- (1) promote
- (2) tend
- (3) bail
- (4) restrict



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C. Find the opposite

1. fuzzy
(1) clear
(2) cabin
(3) hairy
(4) earn
-

2. purchase
(1) consume
(2) buy
(3) sell
(4) derive
-

3. extinct
(1) abolished
(2) boil
(3) condition
(4) existing
-

4. crucial
(1) critical
(2) cruel
(3) minor
(4) nonsense
-

5. muster
(1) division
(2) gathering
(3) implying
(4) bothering



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6. duty
 (1) plaster
 (2) burden
 (3) leftovers
 (4) pastime

7. luxury
 (1) medium
 (2) misery
 (3) comfort
 (4) indulgence

8. cure
 (1) medicine
 (2) disease
 (3) afford
 (4) pinch

D. Find what doesn't belong

1. antiquated, current, old, uncontemporary
2. conceal, complicate, obscure, illustrate
3. emptiness, substance, nothing, poverty
4. tender, calm, ruthless, gentle
5. gleeful, peaceful, optimistic, indignant
6. utter, indefinite, unfinished, mixed
7. surrender, laziness, struggle, truce
8. usurp, release, reject, relinquish



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

- (1) בליטה
 - (2) צביעות
 - (3) סוגיה
 - (4) אשמה
-

2. flare

- (1) להבה
 - (2) היגיינה
 - (3) קשר
 - (4) גחמה
-

3. knot

- (1) קשר
 - (2) ידוע
 - (3) גירוי
 - (4) שלילה
-

4. elaborate

- (1) נכחד
 - (2) מפורט
 - (3) חיצוני
 - (4) קללה
-

5. jut

- (1) צוער
- (2) משעמם
- (3) עירוני
- (4) בליטה



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6. vocation

- (1) מקצוע
 - (2) שירות ציבורי
 - (3) קיום
 - (4) חלודה
-

7. itinerant

- (1) מפיל
 - (2) תוהה
 - (3) נודד
 - (4) מעלה גירה
-

8. pulse

- (1) שמועה
- (2) דופק
- (3) מבנה
- (4) תוכן



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Answer key – Unit 16**A**

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

B

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

C

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

D

1. current
2. illustrate
3. substance
4. ruthless
5. indignant
6. utter
7. struggle
8. usurp

E

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



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