

CREST English Olympiad (CEO)
Worksheet

Class 6

Topic Antonyms









Worksheet on Antonyms

Direction for questions (1-6): Choose the correct antonym for the highlighted word:

- **1.** The thought-provoking questions that the teacher asked had set a **befitting** environment for learning.
 - a. imprecise
 - b. vogue
 - c. vague
 - d. virulent
- 2. Grandma was worried about the **deteriorating** health of Grandpa.
 - a. decreasing
 - b. derogatory
 - c. strengthening
 - d. meandering
- 3. Nero **smirked** to himself, thinking highly about his actions as ideal.
 - a. herald
 - b. glower
 - c. simper
 - d. whimper
- 4. Can you explain the rationale behind this decision of yours?
 - a. sinister
 - b. cache
 - c. clarity
 - d. absurdity
- **5.** Helen was relishing the **balmy** breeze at the beach when her phone rang.
 - a. chilly
 - b. bitter
 - c. mild
 - d. arduous
- 6. His devious approach to the matter was disliked by George.
 - a. superstitious
 - b. forthright
 - c. holistic
 - d. sophisticated

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7. Choose the option which is not an antonym of the highlighted word:

Discipline is an integral part of school life.

- a. extrinsic
- b. non-essential
- c. supplementary
- d. indispensable

Direction for questions (8-20): Choose the correct antonym for the highlighted word:

- 8. Leo found an **intruder** hiding in the washroom inside the farmhouse.
 - a. crusader
 - b. external
 - c. insider
 - d. infiltrator
- 9. Relocating to a new place frequently can be quite an **ordeal** for a person.
 - a. anguish
 - b. distress
 - c. pleasure
 - d. nightmare
- 10. After facing two consecutive setbacks in his life, Greg lapsed into a state of mental inertia.

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- a. sluggishness
- b. liveliness
- c. passivity
- d. apathy
- **11.** The classroom was filled with **exuberant** children excited about the upcoming field trip.
 - a. enthusiastic
 - b. energetic
 - c. happy
 - d. subdued
- **12.** The lost traveller wandered **aimlessly**, unsure of the way forward.
 - a. confused
 - b. purposefully
 - c. disoriented
 - d. lost

13. The child built a **sturdy** sandcastle that could withstand the waves. a. weak b. sandy c. creative d. dull 14. The magician performed an astonishing trick that left the audience speechless. a. confusing b. surprising c. unimpressive d. mysterious **15.** The teacher praised Alice for her **generous** act of sharing her books. a. kind b. helpful c. friendly d. selfish **16.** The team celebrated their **victorious** win after the championship game. a. successful b. defeated c. accomplished d. triumphant **17.** The detective tried to solve the **complex** case with many hidden clues. a. simple b. intricate c. challenging d. mysterious 18. The lost hiker felt optimistic despite being stranded, believing help would soon arrive. a. hopeful b. confident c. determined d. pessimistic 19. The thirsty traveller desperately searched for a copious amount of water in the desert. a. refreshing b. scarce c. clean

d. cool

20. The baker sprinkled a generous amount of coarse sugar on top of the warm pie.

- a. sweet
- b. delicious
- c. sugary
- d. fine

Answer Key

1.	а	2.	С	3.	b	4.	d	5.	a	6.	b	7.	d
8.	С	9.	С	10.	b	11.	d	12.	b	13.	а	14.	С
15.	d	16.	b	17.	а	18.	d	19.	b	20.	d		



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