

VOCAB #9
AP Language & Comp
Quiz Thursday/Friday, November 16/17th

Most Commonly Misspelled Word: separate

Rhetorical Devices:

epistrophe (n) – repetition at the end of a sentence

metonymy (n) – one thing is represented by another that is commonly and often physically associated with it.

synecdoche (n) – a part of something is used to represent the whole or, occasionally, the whole is used to represent a part.

Vocabulary:

infamy (n) – evil reputation; extreme disgrace

insidious (adj) – intended to trap or beguile, cunning

respite (n) – delay; postponement; a brief interval of rest

purport (v) – to claim or profess or declare, to give the appearance, often falsely

disingenuous (adj) –lacking in candor, insincere; giving a false appearance of frankness

genial (adj) – cheerful and pleasant, friendly, helpful

iniquity (n) – the grievous violation of justice; sinfulness; wickedness

homage (n) – an expression of great respect and honor

IDIOM: under the table – in secret; dishonestly; not out in the open

1. Once the mob was broken up, the former gangsters lived a life of _____.
2. The city is going to pay _____ to the great football star by naming a major highway after him.
3. The condemned man was given a brief _____ to enjoy his favorite meal before his execution.
4. The Supreme Court case of Brown vs. the Board of Education Kansas determined that the _____ but Equal clause was unconstitutional.
5. The boxer was accused of accepting money _____ to lose the fight.
6. To lie under oath, would be an enormous _____.
7. The linebacker's _____ moves lulled the defense into exposing the quarterback.
8. Dave _____ to the police that he was attacked, but no one really believed his story.
9. The host's _____ manner put everyone at ease at the party.
10. It was _____ of Harold to say he played football for Notre Dame when he really was only the team waterboy.

ROOTS List #4A

The Word Within the Word • List #4

morph	<i>(shape)</i>	amorphous, morphology, polymorphously, mesomorph, protomorphic	<i>Greek</i>
vest	<i>(clothes)</i>	vestry, vestment, vestibule, vest, investiture, divest, divestiture	<i>Latin</i>
bene	<i>(good)</i>	benefit, benevolent, beneficial, benediction, benefactor, benign	<i>Latin</i>
pond	<i>(weight)</i>	ponderous, ponder, preponderant, pound, imponderable, compound	<i>Latin</i>
corp	<i>(body)</i>	corpulent, corporation, corporeal, corporal, corpse, corpuscle	<i>Latin</i>
dorm	<i>(sleep)</i>	dormitory, dormant, dormer, dormancy, dormitive, dormient	<i>Latin</i>
pater	<i>(father)</i>	paternalistic, patronize, paternity, patriarch, expatriate, paterfamilias	<i>Latin</i>
nov	<i>(new)</i>	novel, nova, novice, novitiate, Nova Scotia, innovation, renovate	<i>Latin</i>
punct	<i>(point)</i>	punctuate, punctilious, puncture, punctual, acupuncture, contrapuntal	<i>Latin</i>
ject	<i>(throw)</i>	eject, reject, conjecture, dejected, inject, subject, projection, interject	<i>Latin</i>
tion	<i>(act or state)</i>	completion, reaction, devastation, production, creation, transition	<i>Latin</i>
loco	<i>(place)</i>	locomotive, location, local, locus, relocate, dislocate, localize, locomotor	<i>Latin</i>
dox	<i>(opinion)</i>	orthodox, heterodox, doxology, indoctrinate, paradox	<i>Greek</i>