**Synonyms in Sentences**

Carefully read the example sentences and the directions for each exercise.

Please look at the prefixes and suffixes and choose an answer **before** you use a dictionary or thesaurus. You can use actual books from the library's reference section or go online for dictionary.com, wordhippo.com, and others.

Of course you can work together but please don't choose an answer because someone else did, make it make sense to you. Be careful, some of these are tricky.

1. The synonym of sedentary is:
   1. active
   2. slow
   3. inactive
   4. made of sediments
2. She said nothing during the meeting when it was decided to take over the other company. Her silence was taken as a tacit agreement.
   1. They assumed she felt hostile.
   2. They assumed she implied consent.
   3. She was overt in her agreement.
   4. They thought that she generally agreed.
3. Choose the sentence that is correct.
   1. Tightrope walking is an illicit act.
   2. Tightrope walking is a precarious act.
   3. Tightrope walking is an egocentric act.
   4. Tightrope walking is a concurrent act.
4. This is not an exhaustive list of resources. We have plenty more.
   1. The list was tiring.
   2. The list was incomplete.
   3. The list was useful.
   4. The list was adequate.
5. You have been waiting to hear the outcome of a high-profile court case. When the verdict is laid down, you are very upset because you think it is ridiculous. What should you cry out to **convey the strongest emotion**.
   1. That is a spoof!
   2. That is a misrepresentation!
   3. That is a travesty!
   4. That is a distortion!
6. You are starting a group to help fight injustice in the school. You want people to become a part of your team. Which sentence is the most motivating or conveys the strongest message?
   1. Let's collaborate.
   2. Let's work together.
   3. Let's join forces.
   4. Let's associate.
7. A father and son are not very close. You want to describe their relationship to show that they are not very close, but you do not want to make it seem like they never talk to one another. What should you say?
   1. Their relationship is injurious.
   2. Their relationship is severed.
   3. Their relationship is estranged.
   4. Their relationship is reserved.