

Vocabulary 13

Phrase	Definition
1. Vagabond existence	nomadic lifestyle
2. Vainglorious person	boastful/excessively proud individual
3. Vanquished foe	thoroughly-defeated enemy
4. Varnished surface	glossy surface
5. Vaulting ambition (think Macbeth)	overpowering need/hunger (for something i.e. power)
6. Vehicular traffic	traffic jam
7. Verbose tendency	wordy/talkative
8. Visceral reaction	gut reaction
9. Vindictive action	(re)vengeful/spiteful doing
10. Vociferous complaint	Vocal grievance
11. Vivific personality	lively/animated personality
12. Voluptuous repast	luxurious feast
13. Vulgar manner	rude/crude manner
14. Wanton act	deliberate action, w/ disregard for others
15. Wearisome assignment	tiresome task
16. Wayward child	undisciplined child
17. Wuthering heights	howling wind
18. Weltanschauung	personal philosophy on life
19. Whodunit fiction	mystery book
20. Wistful outlook	nostalgic/reminiscent perspective
21. Xenophobic perspective	fear of foreigners
22. Xerothermic environment	hot, dry/desert like environment
23. Xylophone concerto	percussive concert
24. Yammering utterance	rambling speech
25. Zebra crossing	crosswalk
26. Zodiacal light	star light
27. Zoological studies	animal knowledge
28. Zoot suit	oversized, exaggerated suit
29. Xanthic complexion	Jaundiced appearance
30. Professional xylographer	professional wood-engraver