

English IV Vocabulary List #47

Name: _____ Date of Test: _____

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1. pharisaism —n. hypocrisy Pharisee = sanctimonious person ism = doctrine			
2. neurasthenia —n. nervous exhaustion neuro=nerve / a=without sthen=strength			
3. remunerate —v. repay re=again			
4. proscenium —n. stage forward of the curtain pro=forward / scen=stage			
5. epistle —n. long instructive letter epist=letter or knowledge			
6. anachronistic —adj. misplaced in time ana=up or back / chron=time			
7. feculent —adj. foul lent=full of			

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8. feckless —adj. without effect feck=vigor / less=without			
9. anapest —n. three syllable foot; stress on the third syll. ana=up or back paiein=strick			
10. contretemps —n. embarrassing mishap contra=against/tempor=time			
11. hyperbole —n. overstatement hyper=over			
12. paradigm —n. a model para=beside dign=worthy			
13. germane —adj. related germ=related			
14. filigree —n. lacy design fil=thread granum=grain			
15. chronic —adj. lasting chron=time			

