

Day 27

© Vocab Review

Fill in the blanks.

1. I haven't got time to do his work for him - I've got too many o____tions as it is.
2. I enjoyed the film, but I couldn't follow all the i____cies of the plot.
3. The new conference center has t____n____h facilities.
4. Living in a flat is all right, but it has its l____tions - for example, you don't have your own garden.
5. You are r____ed by law to produce a valid passport.
6. The c____e of the bank's business is in London.
7. The company has the ability to dominate a m____lace even while branching out from its core product.

© WORDS TO LEARN (Reading Section)

Listen to some essential words for the TOEIC test without looking at the word list.

Now look at the list of today's vocabulary and repeat after the teacher.

hallmark/ storage/ vulnerable/ hassle/ bond/ driving/ innovation/ staple/
device/ folding/ vulnerable/ discarded/ piercing/ decades/ attach/ snag/ jams

WORDS IN CONTEXT

- © Fill each of the blanks in the passage with one of today's vocabulary word listed above.

STAPLER



A stapler is a mechanical that joins sheets of paper or similar material by a thin metal through the sheets and the ends.

A of office supplies for, the stapler has rarely experienced significant Because most people are accustomed to the stapler's technique of sheets of paper with a small piece of metal, few might have guessed it's possible to buy a stapler that doesn't require staples. A device with important environmental advantages, the staple-free stapler is entering into wider use.

A staple-free stapler is eco-friendly. It reduces the amount of metal into the environment. In addition to reducing staple waste, using fewer staples reduces the energy use that goes into their production. Staple-free also means no staple, accidental of clothing and fingers, and a limited amount of to pull apart the pages.

A staple-free stapler, however, will only a few sheets, about five at maximum. The fastening itself is not as strong as a metal staple; the pages might be more easily pulled apart and to mix-up or loss. For long-term of important documents, you should choose a metal staple because it provides a more permanent other countries and be able to communicate with different cultures.

◎ Match each definition (A – P) with today's vocabulary word (1 – 16)

DEFINITIONS

- A. a problem, difficulty, or disadvantage
- B. to throw away
- C. to fasten or connect one object to another
- D. to push something into something
- E. to make a small hole through something using a sharp point
- F. a situation in which a machine does not work because something is stopping a part from moving
- G. a short, thin piece of wire used to fasten sheets of paper together
- H. something that is typical of a particular thing
- I. a new idea, design, product, etc.
- J. weak and easily affected by something bad
- K. a situation that causes difficulty or trouble
- L. an object or machine which has been invented for a particular purpose
- M. a period of ten years
- N. the act of keeping things somewhere so that they can be used later
- O. to bend
- P. a situation of being joined together

- 1. hallmark
- 2. storage
- 3. vulnerable
- 4. hassle
- 5. bond
- 6. drive
- 7. innovation
- 8. staple
- 9. device
- 10. fold
- 11. discard
- 12. pierce
- 13. decade
- 14. attach
- 15. snag
- 16. jam

◎ Gap-filling Exercise

Fill each gap with today's vocabulary words.

- 1. You should not use any personal electronic, such as a cell phone, while driving.
- 2. The drug is very effective – the only is that it cannot be produced in large quantities.
- 3. She fed the documents into the machine making sure that there were no paper
- 4. Older people are especially to cold temperatures even inside their homes.
- 5. Bad weather was the major during our trip.
- 6. Product lead to an increase in effective demand which encourages an increase in investment and employment.