

## Day 28

### © Vocab Review

Fill in the blanks.

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

### © 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.

odd/ irrigation/ repair/ due to/ residential/ detectable/ mandatory/ lawns/  
even/ nozzle/ approved/ alternate/ restrictions/ drought/ leaks/ submit/

### WORDS IN CONTEXT

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

## NOTICE

The city of Hastings is now under ..... water ..... the ..... If you live in the Hastings city limits, here are your restrictions;

You're ordered to do the following:

- ..... all ..... within 72 hours.
- Limit outdoor ..... use:

**A. .... gardens and ....**

Manual watering systems can be used as required between 6am–8pm on ..... days.\*

Automatic watering systems can only be used as required between midnight–4am on alternate days.

**B. Vehicle washing**

A hand-held hose fitted with a ..... can be used to pre-rinse and rinse only.

**C. Pools and spas**

Before filling a new or existing pool or spa of 2,000 liters capacity or more, owners must ..... a water conservation plan and have it ..... by their local water business.

This plan must show that the volume of water required to fill the pool or spa will be, or has been, offset by water saved around the home. To fill or top up a new or existing pool or spa with a capacity of 2,000 liters or less, a hand-held hose fitted with a trigger nozzle, a watering can or a bucket must be used.

\*Alternate days means ..... numbered houses can water on odd dates of the month and ..... numbered houses can water on even numbered days. For example if you live at 45 Park Street, you can only use your watering system on the 1st, 3rd, 5th etc of the month. Both odd and even numbered houses can water on the 31st of the month. Where there is no house number the property is considered an even numbered house.

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

DEFINITIONS

- A. a long period of dry weather
- B. to formally send a document to a person or group in authority
- C. to accept, allow, or officially agree to something
- D. able to be noticed or discovered
- E. if a liquid or gas leaks from a pipe or container, it escapes through an opening
- F. a number that cannot be divided exactly by two
- G. to get something that is damaged back into good condition
- H. required by law; compulsory; obligatory
- I. an official control on what people are allowed to do
- J. because of
- K. an area of grass that is cut regularly to keep it short
- L. supplying dry land with water
- M. with first one thing, then another thing, and then the first thing again
- N. where people live
- O. a number that can be divided exactly by two
- P. A projecting part with an opening, as at the end of a hose, for regulating and directing a flow of fluid.

- 1. odd
- 2. repair
- 3. mandatory
- 4. lawn
- 5. alternate
- 6. leak
- 7. restriction
- 8. residential
- 9. irrigation
- 10. even
- 11. drought
- 12. approve
- 13. nozzle
- 14. submit
- 15. detectable
- 16. due to/

◎ **Gap-filling Exercise**

Fill each gap with today's vocabulary words.

- 1. Attach the ..... to the garden hose before turning on the water.
- 2. Private cars are banned from the city on ..... days.
- 3. They would make it ..... for everyone to have health insurance.
- 4. Will you mow the ..... at the weekend?
- 5. The ship ..... an estimated 70,000 gallons of fuel last week.
- 6. This practice imposes unnecessary ..... on employment.