# DAY 31 TOEIC VOCAB BUILDER ADVANCED

## **VOCAB** REVIEW

Fill in the blanks.

- 1. What is the best way of contacting p\_\_\_\_\_tive customers?
- 2. S\_\_\_\_r c\_\_\_\_ns get a discount.
- 3. The group has booked the popular 1000-seat v\_ \_\_e for its annual sales conference.
- 4. We i\_\_\_\_t with our customers over the phone.
- 5. Corporate r\_\_\_\_ers are visiting the university campus to interview final year students.
- 6. Would 3 o'clock be a c\_\_\_\_ent time to meet?

#### 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.

disability/ advancement/ reimbursement/ commute/ dress code/ commission/ evaluating/ location/ adequate/ base/ relocate/ incentive/ fringe benefits/ compensation/ opportunities

#### WORDS IN CONTEXT

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

#### Job Offers 1.

Do not look at salary as your only basis for comparison in ( ) job offers. ( ) can be made up of more than ( ) salary. There are such things as ( ) or additional ( ) pay. A signing bonus or ( ) for ), which may relocation costs are other forms of financial compensation. Also, you might be offered the ( include health insurance, life insurance, ( ) insurance , and retirement benefits. You might also need to evaluate job conditions, ( ), and the company itself. Check if you can easily ( ) to the ) ( workplace, if the job allows you ( ) time for your hobbies, if you decide to ( ), do you like the lifestyle the company's ( ) offers? What is the company's ( )?

#### Match each definition (A – O) with today's vocabulary word (1 – 15) DEFINITIONS

- A. to move to a different place to work
- B. the process of improving your career
- C. to judge the quality, importance, amount or value of something
- D. the bottom part of something
- E. an accepted way of dressing for a particular situation
- F. money given to someone when they sell something
- G. to regularly travel between work and home

H. a situation in which it is possible for you to do something that you want to do

I. the combination of payment and other benefits that an employee receives for doing their job

J. an extra thing given to you by your employer in addition to your pay

K. a particular place

L. something that encourages a person to do something

M. a physical or mental condition that makes someone unable to act in a way that is considered usual for most people

N. enough for a particular purpose

O. when you pay money back to someone, especially money spent because of their work

### Gap-filling Exercise

- 1. Many businesses in the region have closed or ..... abroad.
- 2. The research aims to ..... the effectiveness of the training program.
- 3. In order to keep good employees, you need to provide them with possibilities for growth and .....
- 4. Investment professionals can earn bonuses of between 100% and 125% of their ..... pay.
- 5. The staff receive 5% ..... on everything that they sell.
- 6. John works for an investment bank and is presently ..... between Weybridge and the City.
- 7. ..... include a company car and free health insurance.

- 1. base
- 2. dress code
- 3. commute
- 4. fringe benefit
- 5. location
- 6. compensation
- 7. incentive
- 8. disability
- 9. advancement
- 10. reimbursement
- 11. adequate
- 12. opportunity
- 13. commission
- 14. evaluate
- 15. relocate

# DAY 32 TOEIC VOCAB BUILDER ADVANCED

### **VOCAB** REVIEW

Fill in the blanks.

- 1. Many businesses in the region have closed or r\_\_\_\_ed abroad.
- 2. The research aims to e\_\_\_\_e the effectiveness of the training program.
- 3. In order to keep good employees, you need to provide them with possibilities for growth and a\_\_\_\_\_ment.
- 4. Investment professionals can earn bonuses of between 100% and 125% of their b\_ \_e pay.
- 5. The staff receive 5% c\_\_\_\_ion on everything that they sell.
- 6. John works for an investment bank and is presently c\_\_\_\_ing between Weybridge and the City.
- 7. F\_\_\_\_e b\_\_\_\_ts include a company car and free health insurance.

#### 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.

revenue/ negotiate/ highlight/ coverage/ cautious/ dental/ relevant/ accepting articulate/ generate/ exceed/ geographic/ going rate/ critical/ factor/ vary

#### WORDS IN CONTEXT

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

#### Job Offers 2.

After finding ( ) salary data, you need to check it with a ( ) eye. Salaries for similar jobs can ) according to differences in ( ) location, and years of experience. Another ( ) to keep in mind is to check the average ( ) for that job. When you ( ) for a higher salary, make sure you ( how you ( ) what they are looking for. ( ) your unique skills, and the ( ) you will help ( ). I would be ( ) a job that does not provide benefits such as health and ( ) about ( ) insurance. If ), health insurance and other benefits are very expensive. you have no (



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

#### DEFINITIONS

- A. to express in words
- B. financial protection so that you get money if something bad happens
- C. careful
- D. relating to the teeth
- E. to attract attention to something important or to emphasize it
- F. to have formal discussions with someone in order to reach agreement
- G. money that a company receives, especially from selling goods or services
- H. to change in different situations
- I. to produce or create something
- J. analytical
- K. to be more than a particular number or amount
- L. one of several things that affects or influences a situation
- M. concerned with geography which is the study of the earth's surface
- N. the amount of money that something costs at the present time
- O. connected with what is happening or being discussed
- P. to say yes to an offer or invitation

#### 🕊 Gap-filling Exercise

Fill each gap with today's vocabulary words.

- 1. We've offered her the job, but I don't know whether she'll .....
- 2. I found myself unable to ..... my feelings.

3. She ..... the fact that growing numbers of people are looking for their money to be invested in a more socially responsible way.

- 4. The company has an estimated annual ..... of \$60 million.
- 5. The ..... for a skilled architect in India is about \$50,000 per year.
- 6. Increasing use of online newspapers was definitely a contributing ...... to the company's collapse.

- 1. accept
- 2. relevant
- 3. highlight
- 4. going rate
- 5. factor
- 6. coverage
- 7. cautious
- 8. articulate
- 9. exceed
- 10. geographic
- 11. revenue
- 12. critical
- 13. generate
- 14. vary
- 15. negotiate
- 16. dental

## DAY 33 TOEIC VOCAB BUILDER ADVANCED

## **VOCAB REVIEW**

Fill in the blanks.

- 1. We've offered her the job, but I don't know whether she'll a\_\_\_\_t.
- 2. I found myself unable to a\_\_\_\_\_ate my feelings.
- 3. She h\_\_\_\_\_ted the fact that growing numbers of people are looking for their money to be invested in a more socially responsible way.
- 4. The company has an estimated annual r\_\_\_\_e of \$60 million.
- 5. The g\_ \_\_g r\_ e for a skilled architect in India is about 50,000 per year.
- 6. Increasing use of online newspapers was definitely a contributing  $f_{--}$  r to the company's collapse.

#### 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.

checking/ vital/ fire-suppression/ neglect/ personnel/ restrooms/ surroundings/ acclimate/ contractual/ orientation/ paperwork/ implemented/ documented/ comply with/ acknowledgment

#### WORDS IN CONTEXT

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

#### **EMPLOYEE ORIENTATION**

#### Match each definition (A - O) with today's vocabulary word (1 - 15)

#### DEFINITIONS

- A. relating to a contract or included in a written contract
- B. to obey a particular rule
- C. when you accept that something is true
- D. to put a plan into action
- E. equipment to either put out a fire or stop it from propagating
- F. the written records connected with a particular job
- G. necessary or extremely important
- H. training or preparation for a new job
- I. to record information about something important by writing about it
- J. the place where someone is and the things that are in it
- K. to change to suit different conditions of life
- L. to fail to give needed care or attention to someone or something
- M. the people who are employed by a company

N. a bank account from which you can take money or make payments using a check

O. a room with toilets that is in a public place

#### 🗰 Gap-filling Exercise

- 1. He ..... to tell his employer that he would be taking the day off.
- 2. The corporation has ..... a new sales commission system for its sales force.
- 3. Apparently the zoo animals had become ...... to the crowd noise and were no longer startled by it.
- 4. The company failed to meet its ..... obligations.
- 5. The state's mining law requires mine operators to ..... local land use regulations.
- 6. Have you got used to your new .....?

- 1. acclimate
- 2. document
- 3. checking
- 4. personnel
- 5. neglect
- 6. restroom
- 7. contractual
- 8. orientation
- 9. vital
- 10. paperwork
- 11. comply with
- 12. fire-suppression
- 13. implement
- 14. acknowledgment
- 15. surroundings



# DAY 34 TOEIC VOCAB BUILDER ADVANCED

### **VOCAB REVIEW**

Fill in the blanks.

- 1. He n\_\_\_\_\_ed to tell his employer that he would be taking the day off.
- 2. The corporation has i\_\_\_\_\_nted a new sales commission system for its sales force.
- 3. Apparently the zoo animals had become a\_\_\_\_ated to the crowd noise and were no longer startled by it.
- 4. The company failed to meet its c\_\_\_\_tual obligations.
- 5. The state's mining law requires mine operators to c\_ \_ \_ y w\_ \_h local land use regulations.
- 6. Have you got used to your new s\_\_\_\_\_dings?

#### 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.

compliance/ butts/ disciplinary/ breaches/ ultimately/ disposed of/ implementation/ objective/ effective/ maintain/ exposure/ detract/ hazards/ extinguished/ appropriate/ contractors

#### WORDS IN CONTEXT

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

#### MEMO

This policy applies to all employees and visitors.

It is the responsibility of every company employee to conduct himself or herself in ...... with this policy. It is to be the policy of the company to provide a smoke-free environment for all employ, visitors and ..... because we recognize the ...... caused by exposure to environmental tobacco smoke. This will benefit all employees and visitors and all employees should be responsible for its continued

The manager has overall responsibility for ensuring that the policy be implemented.

The policy has been produced with the employees' best interests in mind. The right of people to breathe clean air prevails over the right of the smoker to smoke.

In the unlikely event of a member of staff not respecting the policy, their manager will attempt to resolve the situation informally in the first instance.

....., repeated ...... of the policy will result in ..... procedures. This policy is ...... from January 1, 2014.

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

#### DEFINITIONS

- A. the act of putting a plan into action
- B. to stop a fire burning
- C. a failure to obey a law
- D. being in a situation where something dangerous might affect you
- E. officially starting
- F. to make something seem less good
- G. suitable for a particular situation
- H. something that you are planning to do or achieve
- I. to get rid of
- J. something that is dangerous and likely to cause a problem
- K. to make a situation continue in the same way
- L. relating to the methods used by companies for dealing with employees
- who break company rules
- M. finally
- N. the fact of obeying a particular law or rule
- O. the part of a finished cigarette that has not been smoked

P. a person or company that is paid by another company to work on a particular project for a particular amount of money

#### 🝁 Gap-filling Exercise

- 1. The public are used to ..... of promise by governments.
- 2. It took the firefighters several hours to ..... the flames.
- 3. Working 24/7 is something IT ..... grow used to if they want to compete.
- 4. Investing globally enhances the fund's ability to meet its primary.....
- 5. ..... measures could damage his career.
- 6. When it comes to investments, research shows that women are more likely to weigh up potential .....than their male counterparts

- 1. contractor
- 2. objective
- 3. butt
- 4. disciplinary
- 5. implementation
- 6. hazard
- 7. compliance
- 8. extinguish
- 9. breach
- 10. ultimately
- 11. exposure
- 12. disposed of
- 13. effective
- 14. maintain
- 15. appropriate
- 16. detract

# DAY 35 TOEIC VOCAB BUILDER ADVANCED

### **VOCAB REVIEW**

Fill in the blanks.

- 1. The public are used to b\_\_\_\_es of promise by governments.
- 2. It took the firefighters several hours to e\_\_\_\_\_ish the flames.
- 3. Working 24/7 is something IT c\_\_\_\_tors grow used to if they want to compete.
- 4. Investing globally enhances the fund's ability to meet its primary o\_\_\_\_ive.
- 5. D\_\_\_\_\_inary measures could damage his career.

6. When it comes to investments, research shows that women are more likely to weigh up potential  $h_{\_\_}$ \_ds than their male counterparts

#### 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.

demand/ high street/ replaced/ commerce/ implies/ inventory/ wary/ restocks/ hospitality/ stock exchange/ terms/ differ/ sell out/ durable/ quit

#### WORDS IN CONTEXT

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

#### TURNOVER

In business, the term "turnover" can have multiple meanings. In accounting terms, the turnover of a company is the value of the goods or services sold during a particular period of time. For example, we say "Group turnover rose 8% in the period, compared with last year."

In the stock market, turnover means the total value of stocks traded on a ...... during a specific period of time. When a stock market has high turnover, we call it a bull market. When it has low turnover, it means that investors are ...... and we call it a bear market.

Match each definition (A - O) with today's vocabulary word (1 - 15)

#### DEFINITIONS

- A. the amount of goods a shop has
- B. a word or expression used in relation to a particular subject
- C. to leave your job
- D. to communicate an idea without saying it directly
- E. a need for goods or services that customers want to buy or use
- F. to take the place of something or someone else
- G. a place where shares are bought and sold
- H. to sell all of the supply that you have in a shop
- I. to replace goods that have been sold with a new supply of them
- J. able to be used for a long time without getting damaged
- K. careful because you are not certain about what you should do
- L. the group of businesses such as hotels, bars, and restaurants that
- provide food, drink, or a place to sleep

M. to be different

N. the activity of buying and selling products and services

O. a street where the most important stores, banks, and businesses in a town are:

- 1. restock
- 2. differ
- 3. sell out
- 4. hospitality
- 5. high street
- 6. durable
- 7. wary
- 8. commerce
- 9. inventory
- 10. replace
- 11. stock exchange
- 12. demand
- 13. quit
- 14. imply
- 15. terms

### Part 5 exercise

#### Choose the word that best completes the sentence.

Identifying the missing part of speech (noun, verb, adjective, adverb, etc.) can help you eliminate some of the choices.

#### If the missing word is a noun, for example, you can rule out the choices that are not nouns.

- 1. His views ..... considerably from those of his parents.
- (A) difference (B) differently (C) different (D) differ
- 2. Our nation's ..... has been taking some serious hits from the global economy.
- (A) commercially (B) commerce (C) commercialize (D) commercialized
- 3. They were very ..... about giving him a contract.
- (A) worry (B) wariness (C) wary (D) warily

### 🔆 Gap-filling Exercise

- 1. About half of the shop's .....was damaged in the tornado.
- 2. Online ..... is expected to continue to increase
- 3. The findings of the various studies .....
- 4. Factory orders for costly ...... goods dropped for a second consecutive month in February.
- 5. The majority of British people are opposed to ..... the pound sterling with the euro.

# DAY 36 TOEIC VOCAB BUILDER ADVANCED

## **VOCAB** REVIEW

Fill in the blanks.

- 1. About half of the shop's i\_\_\_\_ory was damaged in the tornado.
- 2. Online c\_\_\_\_ce is expected to continue to increase
- 3. The findings of the various studies d\_\_\_\_r.
- 4. Factory orders for costly d\_\_\_\_e goods dropped for a second consecutive month in February.
- 5. The majority of British people are opposed to r\_\_\_\_ing the pound sterling with the euro.

#### 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.

corporate/ tightly knit/ word-of-mouth/ in the pipeline/ adapting/ incentives/ treat/ retention/ irresistible/ front-line/ bulk/ interacting/ struggle/ preferences/ intangible

#### WORDS IN CONTEXT

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

• Reducing Employee Turnover

By increasing employees' job satisfaction, small business owners can reduce employee turnover. They have a chance to ...... their employees as members of a ...... team, with top-level managers ...... with and encouraging ...... employees on a daily basis. Benefits and other ...... can help to keep employees, but smaller businesses can ...... against larger..... businesses in this area. The key to increasing employee ....... rates for small businesses is to focus on the ...... aspects of employee satisfaction, such as personal respect, trust, and opportunities for career development.

• Increasing Inventory Turnover

What do you need to increase inventory turnover rates? The answer is marketing and ...... your products or services to meet customers' ...... can increase demand for your products through ...... advertising.

Another key to increase inventory turnover is sales promotions. Through sales promotions you can create demand for products ...... by offering ...... price discounts for single or ...... purchases.

Match each definition (A - O) with today's vocabulary word (1 - 15)

#### DEFINITIONS

- A. closely connected
- B. the process of telling people you know about a particular product or service, because you think it is good and want to encourage them to try it
- C. to behave towards someone in a particular way
- D. to communicate with someone
- E. something that encourages a person to do something
- F. in very large amounts
- G. the part of a business that deals directly with customers and the public, or that makes a product
- H. to try or fight very hard in order to do or get something
- I. the fact of wanting one thing more than another
- J. the ability of a company to keep its employees and stop them from
- going to work somewhere else
- K. to change something to suit different conditions or uses
- L. impossible to refuse
- M. being discussed or prepared and will be produced or finished in the future
- N. relating to a business
- O. used about a quality that does not exist in a physical way

- 1. intangible
- 2. irresistible
- 3. adapt
- 4. retention
- 5. in the pipeline
- 6. corporate
- 7. treat
- 8. preference
- 9. struggle
- 10. bulk
- 11. word-of-mouth
- 12. front-line
- 13. incentive
- 14. tightly knit
- 15. interact

## 🗰 Part 5 exercise

Choose the word that best completes the sentence.

Identifying the missing part of speech (noun, verb, adjective, adverb, etc.) can help you eliminate some of the choices.

If the missing word is a noun, for example, you can rule out the choices that are not nouns.

- 1. Wholesalers who order in ..... will receive an additional 15% discount.
- (A) bulk up (B) bulkhead (C) bulky (D) bulk
- 2. Buying a car is a matter of personal .....
- (A) preferential (B) preference (C) preferable (D) prefer
- 3. The employment department said the unemployment figures should be ...... with caution
- (A) treaty (B) treatable (C) treated (D) treatment

### 🗰 Gap-filling Exercise

Fill each gap with today's vocabulary words.

- 1. The CEO told the media there were no further acquisitions ...... ..
- 2. We get most of our clients by .....
- 3. The staff restaurant is where staff ..... socially.
- 4. Sometimes you have to ..... the design to suit the customer's requirements.
- 5. She gave me one of those ..... smiles and I just had to agree.
- 6. The CEO had that ..... quality that we call charisma.

#### TOEIC VOCAB ADVANCED

## DAY 37 TOEIC VOCAB BUILDER ADVANCED

## **VOCAB** REVIEW

Fill in the blanks.

- 1. The CEO told the media there were no further acquisitions in the p\_\_\_\_e.
- 2. We get most of our clients by word of m\_ \_\_h.
- 3. The staff restaurant is where staff  $i\_\_\_\_t$  socially.
- 4. Sometimes you have to a\_\_\_t the design to suit the customer's requirements.
- 5. She gave me one of those i\_\_\_\_\_tible smiles and I just had to agree.
- 6. The CEO had that i\_\_\_\_ble quality that we call charisma.

#### 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.

set up/ one-to- one / effectively/ mentor / look up to/ facilitate / appraised/ confidential / mentored / stay on track/ asset / mentee / mentoring/ appraisal/ carried out

#### WORDS IN CONTEXT

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



#### Match each definition (A - O) with today's vocabulary word (1 - 15)

#### DEFINITIONS

A. a person with experience in a job who supports and advises someone with less experience to help them develop in their work

B. a meeting between an employee and their manager to discuss their progress, aims, and needs at work

C. someone who is given support and advice about their job by a mentor

- D. to start a new business
- E. to do or complete something
- F. helping and giving advice to someone who has less experience
- G. to progress in a way that is likely to result in success
- H. in a way that successfully achieves the result that you want
- I. without involving anyone else
- J. private, and intended to be kept secret
- K. to help people deal with a process by making it easier
- L. to admire and respect someone
- M. given support and advice by a mentor

N. to meet with an employee to discuss their progress, aims, and needs at work

O. a useful or valuable quality, skill, or person



- 2. one-to- one
- 3. effectively
- 4. mentor (n)
- 5. look up to
- 6. facilitate
- 7. appraise
- 8. confidential
- 9. mentored
- 10. stay on track
- 11. asset
- 12. mentee
- 13. mentoring
- 14. appraisal
- 15. carry out

### 🗰 Part 5 exercise

Choose the word that best completes the sentence.

Identifying the missing part of speech (noun, verb, adjective, adverb, etc.) can help you eliminate some of the choices.

If the missing word is a noun, for example, you can rule out the choices that are not nouns.

- 1. The entire property is ..... at \$7.2 million.
- (A) appraise (B) appraisal (C) appraiser (D) appraised

2. All the employee questionnaires will be treated as strictly .....

(A) confidence (B) confidential (C) confidentially (D) confidentiality

3. The company has now ..... a website.

(A) set down (B) set against (C) set up (D) set in

### 🗰 Gap-filling Exercise

- 1. Staff must be given enough training to be able to do their jobs .....
- 2. Performance ...... focus centrally on task standards and on work behaviors, not on personality.
- 3. He acted as a business ..... to many young aspiring entrepreneurs.
- 4. An expert negotiator was brought in to ..... the discussion.
- 5. Knowledge of languages is a real ..... in this sort of work.

## DAY 38 TOEIC VOCAB BUILDER ADVANCED

### **VOCAB REVIEW**

Fill in the blanks.

- 1. Staff must be given enough training to be able to do their jobs e\_\_\_\_\_vely.
- 2. Performance a\_\_\_\_\_als focus centrally on task standards and on work behaviors, not on personality.
- 3. He acted as a business m\_ \_ \_ r to many young aspiring entrepreneurs.
- 4. An expert negotiator was brought in to f\_\_\_\_ate the discussion.
- 5. Knowledge of languages is a real a\_\_\_t in this sort of work.

#### 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.

compassionate/ prosecuted/ patent/ sophisticated/ sustainable/ patenting/ diversification/ royalty/under license / state-of-the-art/ infringing/ profitability/ installed/ dismissed/ piracy/

#### WORDS IN CONTEXT

#### **\*** Fill each of the blanks in the passage with one of today's vocabulary word(s) listed above.

3. We recently ...... new machines in our factory. We bought the most ..... equipment available. The machines use ..... technology.

4. Our aim is to improve long-term ...... through a ..... program of geographical expansion and .....

5. There are many different reasons for an employee to be on leave. If they are going on holiday or vacation, they may take annual leave. If they are sick or unwell, then they may go on sick leave. If they have young children, then they may go on parental leave. If a family member is sick or has died, then they may be granted ..... leave by their employer.

Match each definition (A - O) with today's vocabulary word (1 - 15)

#### DEFINITIONS

- A. the most advanced
- B. the act of illegally copying computer programs, recordings, films, etc.
- to sell them at much cheaper prices

C. to remove someone from their job, especially because they have done something wrong

D. a payment made to a writer, musician, inventor, etc. every time something they have created or invented is bought or used by others

- E. with permission from the company who has created a product
- F. to do something that is against a law
- G. to officially accuse someone in a court of law of committing a crime
- H. to put a machine into position and make it ready to use
- I. the situation in which a company is making a profit
- J. able to continue at the same level for a period of time
- K. the official legal right to make or sell an invention for a particular number of years
- L. practice under which a firm enters an industry or market different from its core business
- M. very advanced and works in a clever way
- N. showing sympathy
- O. to get the official legal right to make or sell an invention



#### Choose the word that best completes the sentence.

# Identifying the missing part of speech (noun, verb, adjective, adverb, etc.) can help you eliminate some of the choices.

#### If the missing word is a noun, for example, you can rule out the choices that are not nouns.

1. Salespeople may be ..... for many reasons, the most common of which is poor performance.

(A) dismiss (B) dismissing (C) dismissed (D) dismissal

2. These are among the most ..... weapons in the world.

(A) sophistication (B) sophisticated (C) sophistry (D) sophisticate

3. The hotel is an ideal ..... for conferences and business meetings.

(A) diversify (B) diversified (C) diversification (D) diverse

### Gap-filling Exercise

- 1. Trespassers will be .....
- 2. Recording companies continue their efforts to combat internet .....
- 3. The computer giant filed papers claiming that the patent of their online software had been ......
- 4. If you don't .....your invention, other people may make all the profit out of it.
- 5. He has been given ..... leave to be with his father, who is seriously ill with lung cancer.

- 1. compassionate
- 2. prosecute
- 3. patent (v)
- 4. sophisticated
- 5. sustainable
- 6. patent (n)
- 7. diversification
- 8. royalty
- 9. under license
- 10. state-of-the-art
- 11. infringe
- 12. profitability
- 13. install
- 14. dismiss
- 15. piracy

# DAY 39 TOEIC VOCAB BUILDER ADVANCED

## **VOCAB REVIEW**

Fill in the blanks.

- 1. Trespassers will be p\_\_\_\_ted
- 2. Recording companies continue their efforts to combat internet p\_\_\_\_y
- 3. The computer giant filed papers claiming that the patent of their online software had been i\_\_\_\_\_ed
- 4. If you don't p\_\_\_\_t your invention, other people may make all the profit out of it.
- 5. He has been given c\_\_\_\_\_ionate leave to be with his father, who is seriously ill with lung cancer.

#### 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.

break even/ reinvest/ dividend/ profitability/ gross profit margin/ accommodate/ after-sales care/net profit margin/ revenue/ overhead costs/ core objective/ address/ customer base/ own brand/

#### WORDS IN CONTEXT

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

#### Making a profit



#### **Part 5 exercise (Vocabulary Items)**

Choose the word that best completes the sentence. running a business, such as salaries, rent, electricity and telephone bills. (A) bills (B) raw materials (C) overheads (D) invoices 2. Customer care or ......is about looking after your customers so that they stay with your products or services. (A) customer retention (B) after-sales care (C) customer experience (D) customer data 3. ..... are the financial advantages that a company gains when it produces large quantities of products. (A) Economies of scale (B) Variable costs (C) Fixed costs (D) Expenses 4. A product sold by a retailer, especially a supermarket chain, under the retailer's own name rather than the manufacturer's, is ..... product. (A) a brand image (B) a brand awareness (C) a brand make (D) an own brand 5. I am sorry that we were not able to ..... your initial request. (A) audit (B) argue (C) apply (D) accommodate 6. I am interested in how you could ..... the concerns I have explained above. (A) address (B) adopt (C) account (D) adhere 7. Our hotel has an established customer ..... both here in town and internationally. (A) relations (B) base (C) complaints (D) needs K Match each definition (A - O) with today's vocabulary word (1 - 15)

#### **DEFINITIONS**

- A. the main part of something that you are planning to achieve
- B. to deal with a particular problem

C. used to describe a product that has the name of the store where you buy it, rather than a name used by the company that made it

D. the group of people who buy or use a company's products or services E. general costs not related to particular products or services such as electricity, water, rent, etc. =indirect costs

F. money that a company receives, especially from selling goods or services

G. the amount by which money from sales is more than all related costs H. help provided after a customer has paid for and received a product

or service I. to give someone what they want or need

J. a company's profit from selling goods or services, before costs not directly related to producing them are taken away

K. the state of producing a profit

L. part of the profit of a company that is paid to shareholders

M. to have no profit or loss at the end of a business activity because you only make enough money to pay for your costs

N. to put money that you receive back into another investment

#### 🗰 Gap-filling Exercise

Fill each gap with today's vocabulary words.

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- 2. Investors looking to build capital should ..... the income from the fund.
- 3. Shares paying high ..... are known as 'income stocks'.

4. It is time to ..... the budget deficit (the amount of extra money that a government needs because it has spent more money than it earned).

5. An employer has to ..... the request of an employee not to work Sundays if there are other employees willing to switch shifts.

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- 2. reinvest
- 3. dividend
- 4. profitability
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# DAY 40 TOEIC VOCAB BUILDER ADVANCED

## **VOCAB REVIEW**

Fill in the blanks.

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#### HEALTH INSURANCE

The cost and availability of health insurance is one of the greatest ..... of company ...... We should regard health insurance as ...... job benefit.

A ...... employee should be familiar with the terms and conditions of the ...... which is a document stating the agreement between an ...... and a company or person that has arranged insurance with it. The insured pays a ...... of the cost of his or her ..... through salary ......, but the employer generally covers most of the cost. Although the company ..... the most suitable ...... possible, employees should be on the lookout for ..... that might better suit their needs. Some health plans allow you to see a specialist immediately whereas others do not, in which case you need to see your ..... first and if you go without your primary provider's ....., you will ...... a higher percentage of the total cost.

Full job descriptions are ..... on our Web site. (A) profitable (B) affordable (C) available (D) appropriate

The minimum ...... for these positions are listed below. (A) quality (B) quantity (C) qualifications (D) academics

To apply for these positions, fax a cover letter, .....1....., and two letters of .....2..... to Jane Holmes at 445-3476. 1. (A) résumé (B) duplicate (C) bill (D) invoice

2. (A) resignation  $(\overline{B})$  recommendation (C) proposal (D) appreciation

The frying pan of the kitchen set was ...... (A) dental (B) dented (C) dentist (D) denture

I hope this matter can be ..... quickly. (A) resolved (B) resolution (C) resolutely (D) resolute

Almost half the population are ..... to vote in today's election. (A) electively (B) eligibly (C) eligibility (D) eligible

I sincerely ..... for the mistakes with your order. (A) apologetic (B) apologize (C) apologist (D) apologetically

I received an ..... answer to my letter. (A) immediate (B) immediately (C) immedicable (D) immemorial

We were not able to meet the ..... because of manufacturing delays. (A) promise (B) plan (C) deadline (D) intension

This furnished unit has an updated kitchen with all necessary ..... to meet your cooking needs. (A) equip (B) equipment (C) equipped (D) equitable

Some restaurant chains spend a significant ..... of their budget on rice and rice products. (A) report (B) period (C) partition (D) portion

The government will ...... temporary accommodation for up to three thousand people. (A) divide (B) provide (C) force (D) consult

We will ...... your expenses. (A) reprove (B) reproduce (C) reimburse (D) remain

He had ..... tickets to take his wife to see the movie. (A) complement (B) compliment (C) complementary (D) complimentary

We wouldn't have been able to open our facility to the public without the ..... of local residents who donated money toward the center. (A) generous (B) generously (C) generosity (D) generally

You are entitled to any number of ..... to the theater. (A) admissible (B) admissions (C)admitted (D) admit

I require a \$300 security ...... to cover any potential damage to the property during your stay. (A) rent (B) deposit (C) saving (D) balance

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The ..... is subject to change. (A) certificate (B) evidence (C) proof (D) itinerary We need a chart for calculating ..... exchange rates. (A) currency (B) currently (C) current (D) currant They ..... in color from light gray to blue. (A) various (B) vary (C) variety (D) varies The company has cut its ..... of hazardous chemicals by 50%. (A) invoice (B) investor (C) inventory (D) invention A clerk simply ..... that the payment and invoice amount match. (A) verification (B) verifier (C) verifiable (D) verifies Naples was selected as the ..... for the Summit Meeting. (A) venue (B) avenue (C) way (D) means He is very ..... at sports. (A) versatileness (B) versatile (C) versatility (D) versatilely He reckons that half of his business could be transacted by computer. (A) transact (B) transacting (C) transacted (D) transaction A High Court judge had ..... him \$2 million damages. (A) awarded (B) awards (C) awarding (D) award I ..... the paper to my teacher yesterday.

(A) subjected (B) submitted (C) subsidized (D) subscribed

Scholarship .....must attend university full time. (A) recipes (B) reciprocity (C) recitations (D) recipients

Any student who does not maintain passing grades will not be ..... to receive the scholarship. (A) electoral (B) elective (C) eligible (D) elaborate

