

# Lesson 6 Vocab Juniors

## States of Being

All the words in this lesson contain the suffixes *-ty* or *-ity*, denoting an “act, state, quality, or condition.”

### Part A. Define the Example Words (use a dictionary or Google it)

| Word            | Definition of the word - connect the root to the meaning |
|-----------------|--|
| 1. audacity     |  |
| 2. austerity    |  |
| 3. complicity   |  |
| 4. disparity    |  |
| 5. eccentricity |  |
| 6. frailty      |  |
| 7. gullibility  |  |
| 8. humility     |  |
| 9. indignity    |  |
| 10. laxity      |  |
| 11. notoriety   |  |
| 12. piety       |  |
| 13. plurality   |  |
| 14. senility    |  |
| 15. validity    |  |

### Part B. Synonyms and Antonyms

| Example         | Synonyms | Antonyms |
|-----------------|----------|----------|
| 1. audacity     |          |          |
| 2. austerity    |          |          |
| 3. complicity   |          |          |
| 4. disparity    |          |          |
| 5. eccentricity |          |          |
| 6. frailty      |          |          |
| 7. gullibility  |          |          |
| 8. humility     |          |          |
| 9. indignity    |          |          |
| 10. laxity      |          |          |

**Part C. Sketchnote Draw a picture representing the word**

| piety | frailty | senility | plurality | notoriety | laxity |
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**Part D. Match the word in the missing sentence (use a dictionary or Google it)**

| Term  | Definition      |   |
|-------|-----------------|---|
| _____ | 1. complicity   | A. Bonnie and Clyde gained _____ as famous bank robbers.                      |
| _____ | 2. disparity    | B. Your _____ makes you an easy target for a practical joke.                  |
| _____ | 3. eccentricity | C. Poe's stories include female that are marked with _____ and vulnerability  |
| _____ | 4. frailty      | D. Because of a worker's _____ control at Boeing, the airplane malfunctioned. |
| _____ | 5. gullibility  | E. Although you deny _____, it's evident you were involved in the accident.   |
| _____ | 6. humility     | F. Andrew Johnson suffered the _____ of the presidential impeachment.         |
| _____ | 7. indignity    | G. Joe's _____ at the synagogue demonstrated he was a true believer.          |
| _____ | 8. laxity       | H. Even though we used the same recipe, there is a _____ in our cookies.      |
| _____ | 9. notoriety    | I. The candidate received _____, gaining the most votes in his district.      |
| _____ | 10. piety       | J. The rookie player accepted all the media praise with true _____.           |
| _____ | 11. plurality   | K. Many celebrities display _____ in lavish and unique lifestyles.            |

**Part E. Write two literary devices with a vocabulary word (simile, metaphor, hyperbole, etc)**

| Device | word   | Sentence   |
|--------|--------|--|
| simile | laxity | <i>The laxity of the officer during the traffic stop was like a Golden Retriever with his owner: all smiles and forgiveness.</i> |
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**Part F - Quizlet Practice** Go onto Quizlet.com (sign in) and practice Vocabulary games **2 pts**

| Learn | Match | Test |
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