



● Word Pair Analogies 6

high-advanced level (GRE)

Directions: Choose the pair of words that best express a relationship similar to that of the original pair. Then write the bridge sentence(s) to the right.

By definition, a **platitute** is **cliché**.

By definition, a **sage** is **wise**.



Example:

Bridge Type: Definition

#)	PLATITUDE : CLICHÉ
A)	dogma : accurate
B)	theater : dramatic
C)	sage : wise
D)	legerdemain : obvious
E)	portent : beneficial

Bridge Type: Function

1)	PAN : SAUTÉ
A)	measurement : weigh
B)	cheese : grate
C)	newspaper : edit
D)	pestle : grind
E)	informant : educate

Bridge Sentence:

A **pan** is used to **sauté**.

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Bridge Type: Characteristic

2)	KINDLING : COMBUSTIBLE
A)	lava : molten
B)	bleach : white
C)	faith : blind
D)	patriotism : militaristic
E)	obesity : large

Bridge Sentence:

A characteristic of **kindling** is to be **combustible**.

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3)	PRINT : LITHOGRAPH
A)	koala : marsupial
B)	raindrop : torrent
C)	accordion : polka
D)	ballet : tango
E)	pathogen : virus

Bridge Sentence:

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4) DERMAL : SKIN

- A) idyllic : dreams
- B) aquatic : water
- C) political : democracy
- D) scientific : medicine
- E) diverse : cultures

Bridge Sentence:

5) ATROCIOUS : BAD

- A) beneficent : upset
- B) magnanimous : generous
- C) mellifluous : smooth
- D) common : banal
- E) aggressive : bellicose

Bridge Sentence:

6) EXAGGERATION : CARICATURE

- A) legitimacy : scam
- B) Satanism : prophet
- C) blitheness : funeral
- D) authenticity : imitation
- E) brevity : epigram

Bridge Sentence:

7) TENABLE : INDEFENSIBLE

- A) unique : unprecedented
- B) dire : pressing
- C) bleak : desolate
- D) theoretical : concrete
- E) recondite : scholarly

Bridge Sentence:

8) INCHOATE : EXPERIENCE

- A) vivacious : health
- B) ignorant : belief
- C) feminine : hormones
- D) irreverent : respect
- E) prudish : desire

Bridge Sentence:
