- 1. agony (noun) intense suffering
- 2. beneficial (adj) helpful
- 3. composure (noun) a state of calmness or self-control
- 4. constant (adj) not changing; continuing without pause
- 5. cope (verb) to deal with
- 6. dissolve (verb) to melt away or break apart
- 7. duration (noun) the length of time that something happens or exists
- 8. genre (noun) a class or category
- 9. immense (adj) huge
- 10. optimist (noun) someone who believes that things will be good
- 11. predict (verb) to guess what will happen in the future; to forecast
- 12. refuge (noun) a shelter or safe haven
- 13. stifle (verb) to hold something back or cut something off
- 14. terminate (verb) to end or conclude
- 15. verge (noun) the edge of something

Vocabulary 3-1

- 1. adhere (verb) to stick to, either physically or mentally
- 2. apprehensive (adj) unsure about trying something
- 3. arrogant (adj) having too much pride
- 4. awe (noun) a feeling of amazement, sometimes along with some fear
- 5. capital (noun) 1. the city in which the center of government is located 2. money or wealth
- 6. conspicuous (adj) easily seen or noticed
- 7. dialogue (noun) a conversation between two or more people
- 8. hoax (noun) something meant to trick others
- 9. encounter (verb) to meet or come across, usually by accident
- 10. former (adj) having come before, previous
- 11. lure (verb) to attract on purpose, usually for evil reasons
- 12. massive (adj) extremely large, usually beyond understanding
- 13. preliminary (adj) done in preparation for a main event
- 14. propel (verb) to send forward with some force.
- 15. tangible (adj) touchable, real or actual Vocab 3-2

- 1. accumulate (verb) to gather or collect
- 2. ambition (noun) a strong desire or drive
- 3. barren (adj) not producing or creating anything; having no vegetation
- 4. deposit (verb) to deliver and leave an item, often for safekeeping
- 5. desperate (adj) having an urgent need or desire
- 6. dwell (verb) 1. to live somewhere 2. to stay on one thing
- 7. economy (noun) an organized money system
- 8. exaggerate (verb) to say that something is more than it really is; to overstate
- 9. expanse (noun) a wide-open space
- 10. exploit (verb) to profit from selfishly; to abuse
- 11. extract (verb) to draw something out of something else; to remove
- 12. liberate (verb) to set free
- 13. migration (noun) a movement or change of position, usually of many people or animals
- 14. onset (noun) the beginning or start
- 15. primitive (adj) happening early in the history of humans and the world, or simple and not complicated

- 1. abundant (adj) plenty, more than enough
- 2. beacon (noun) a guiding light or signal
- 3. clarity (noun) the state of being clear and straightforward
- 4. consent (noun) agreement or approval
- 5. convenient (adj) easy and suitable to a particular situation
- 6. cultivate (verb) to grow and care for
- 7. deteriorate (verb) to fall apart, usually gradually or over time
- 8. exclude (verb) to purposefully leave something out or reject
- 9. evolve (verb) to grow or change over time
- 10. idiom (noun) a phrase or saying, usually unique to a particular language
- 11. legislation (noun) a law or set of laws
- 12. subordinate (adj) below something else, usually in rank or in an organization
- 13. reluctant (adj) not willing to take action
- 14. trait (noun) a quality or characteristic
- 15. verdict (noun) a firm decision

- 1. accommodate (verb) 1. to do a favor or service for 2. to hold comfortably without crowding
- 2. arid (adj) extremely dry
- 3. blunder (noun) a careless mistake
- 4. compact (adj) dense, solid or packed together
- 5. commend (verb) to congratulate or praise
- 6. cordial (adj) friendly and warm
- 7. declare (verb) to make known officially; to announce
- 8. knack (noun) a clever skill, or a special way of doing something
- 9. leeway (noun) extra time, space or materials to work with, or a bit of freedom
- 10. plummet (verb) to fall straight down
- 11. soothe (verb) to calm or comfort (someone); to ease or relieve pain
- 12. stationary (adj) standing still, not moving
- 13. swarm (verb) to move or gather in large numbers (as with bees)
- 14. transport (verb) to carry or move from one place to another
- 15. vital (adj) necessary to life

Vocab 3-5

- 1. burden (noun) a physical weight or an emotional load
- 2. conserve: (verb) to protect from loss, to use carefully
- 3. contaminate (verb) to make impure or unclean by contact or mixture
- 4. elude (verb) to escape from capture
- 5. extinct (adj) removed from existence; no longer alive or working
- 6. formulate (verb) to create or invent; to state precisely
- 7. improvise (verb) make things up as the situation goes along
- 8. leisure (noun) free time, away from any duties
- 9. likeness (noun) an image similar to someone or something
- 10. manipulate (verb) to control something to one's advantage, or by using the hands
- 11. minute (adj) exceptionally small, usually a part of something
- 12. priority (noun) something that takes precedence over another, is most important
- 13. pursue (verb) to follow or chase with determination
- 14. resolute (adj) firm in one's position
- 15. retrieve (verb) to get something back