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1. **Recruit** is to *enlist* ...as... **accomplish** is to _____.
2. **Appoint** is to *assign* ...as... **remove** is to _____.
3. **Recycle** is to *newspaper* ...as... **discard** is to _____.
4. **Blunt** is to *sharp* ...as... **straight** is to _____.
5. **Decay** is to *rot* ...as... **grow** is to _____.
6. **Obsessed** is to *preoccupied* ...as... **irritated** is to _____.
7. **Ecology** is to *environment* ...as... **geology** is to _____.
8. **Conservation** is to *conserve* ...as... **preservation** is to _____.

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9. **Estimate** is to *calculation* ...as... **sonnet** is to _____.

10. **Sanctuary** is to *haven* ...as... **home** is to _____.

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1. My music teacher is _____ with classical music and listens to it all the time.
2. The company can't afford to _____ any new employees this year.
3. The President of the United States will _____ a new justice to the Supreme Court.
4. According to one _____, over half of the families in America have at least one pet.
5. A _____ pencil is not sharp.
6. My parents' best friends work at a nature refuge, or _____.
7. You can _____ old paper into cardboard.

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8. _____ involves protecting the natural world.
9. The study of living things and their environment is called _____.
10. When organic materials _____, or rot, their structure gets broken down.

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INSTRUCTIONS: Use what you know about the vocabulary words to complete the following sentences.

1. When you **recruit** new club members, you _____.
2. To **appoint** means to _____.
3. It is important to **recycle** because _____.
4. When we study **ecology**, we learn about _____.
5. When a dead tree starts to **decay**, _____.
6. A **sanctuary** is _____.
7. When you are **obsessed** with something, you _____.
8. A **blunt** knife is _____.
9. One way to make an **estimate** is _____.
10. A **conservation** policy is designed to _____.

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INSTRUCTIONS: Choose the best answer to complete each statement.

- To appoint means to _____.
 (a) ignore
 (b) eliminate
 (c) choose
- Blunt* is a synonym for _____.
 (a) *dull*
 (b) *sharp*
 (c) *scooped*
- Conservation is the _____ of the environment.
 (a) destruction
 (b) protection
 (c) unlimited use
- To decay is to _____ through natural processes.
 (a) break down
 (b) build up
 (c) grow strong
- _____ is another name for ecology.
 (a) Oncology
 (b) Environmental science
 (c) Geography
- The mechanic gave me an estimate because I needed to know _____ how much the repair would cost.
 (a) exactly
 (b) immediately
 (c) about
- Another word for obsessed is _____.
 (a) predictable
 (b) precious
 (c) preoccupied
- When sports teams recruit, they are trying to get _____.
 (a) a new stadium
 (b) new players
 (c) new uniforms
- Which of the following can people recycle?
 (a) old sandwiches
 (b) unwanted animals
 (c) plastic bottles
- Animals are _____ in a wildlife sanctuary.
 (a) protected
 (b) transformed
 (c) hunted