

VOCABULARY.....

Article: Scorsese's Film heroes

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Give the meaning of the following words as they are used in the passage. Write your answers in one word or a short phrase.

No.	Paragraph	Word	Meaning
1	1	endured	
2	2	realises	
3	3	divided	
4	4	variety	
5	5	object	
6	6	credible	
7	7	gazes	
8	7	accept	
9	9	brutal	
10	9	directly	

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GRAMMAR

Article: Petraeus’s Rules for Living

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Parallel Structure

We often want to say many things at once – in conversations, when writing essays, and even when thinking aloud to ourselves. Details of every kind seem to make sense when jumbled up together, but this is true only for ourselves – in order to ensure effective communication, it is important to note that only similar points should be mentioned together.

Identify the sentences with incorrect parallel structures.

1. The soft toy on the table is old, as the weather is warm.
2. The team has lost its morale, after the captain passed away.
3. As far as the road can go, we will make our journey by bus.
4. Having a balanced diet is crucial, for you never know what skills you need.
5. The teacher is only as effective as his or her students’ understanding, as results matter more than intention.

Identify the correct explanation for each point.

Point 1:

It is crucial to lead by example, because a leader’s dedication to results is directly mirrored in followers.

OR

It is important to have good results, because every good leader has exceptional achievements.

Point 2:

A good leader must give clear instructions to all followers so that the entire organization can achieve a common goal.

OR

A good leader must communicate a clear big picture to followers, with concrete steps that can be taken by team members throughout all rungs of the organization.