#### **English Vocabulary Exercise**

Fill in the blanks.

## 1. Try not to ..... her with such gruesome stories.

horrify

horror

horrible

### 2. They are very ..... to their guests.

hostable

hospitable

hospitible

# 3. The ..... forces fought for possession of the mountain pass.

hospitable

hostile

hostility

## 4. Helping that family was a very ..... thing to do.

human

humane

Either could be used here

## 5. With ..... he thanked everyone for their help.

#### humanity

humility

humiliation

## 6. You have to ..... him when he is in one of those moods.

humor

humorous

humore

### 7. We were asked a ..... question.

hypothesis

hypothetical

hypothetic

### 8. Not even this bitter experience crushed his

ideal

ideology

idealism

## 9. ..... can be congenital or caused by some childhood illness.

Idiocy

Idiotcy

Idiosyncrasy

### 10. Jim is quite knowledgeable but pretends to be an .....

ignorant

ignoramus

ignominous

### 11. My departure is .....

imminent

eminent

emminent

### 12. Wild animals are .....

immoral

amoral

immortal

#### Answers

- 1. Try not to horrify her with such gruesome stories.
- 2. They are very hospitable to their guests.
- 3. The hostile forces fought for possession of the mountain pass.
- 4. Helping that family was a very human / humane thing to do.
- 5. With humility he thanked everyone for their help.
- 6. You have to humor him when he is in one of those moods.
- 7. We were asked a hypothetical question.
- 8. Not even this bitter experience crushed his idealism.
- 9. Idiocy can be congenital or caused by some childhood illness.
- 10. Jim is quite knowledgeable but pretends to be an ignoramus.

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- 11. My departure is imminent.
- 12. Wild animals are amoral.