## 3500 ACT Vocabulary (3)

## cabal

(سازش) small group of persons secretly united to promote their own interests

## cacophonous

discordant; inharmonious; sounding harshly; ill-sounding

## cadaverous

(cadaverous) like corpse; pale; Having appearance or color of dead human body

## cadence

(cacophonous cadence) rhythmic rise and fall of words or sounds; beat

## cajole

influence or urge by gentle urging or flattering

## calamity

(سدا) event that brings terrible loss, lasting distress, or severe affliction; disaster; misery

## caldron

(caldron) large kettle or boiler of copper, brass, or iron

## calligraphy

(خطاطى) beautiful writing; excellent penmanship

## callow

) youthful; immature; inexperienced; without feathers

## calm

(بֻرسكون) freedom from motion, agitation, or disturbance; tranquility; stillness; quiet; serenity

## calorific

(كيلورى) capable of producing heat; causing heat; heating

## calumny

false statement maliciously made to injure another's reputation; slander

## camaraderie

good-fellowship; companionship; close friendship in friends or teammates

## cameo

(cameo) piece of jewelry; a small scale used as a jewel for adornment; famous actor's special appearance in a minor role in film

## camouflage

(camouflage) exploit natural surroundings to disguise something; conceal

## campaign

(مبم) battle ;a series of actions advancing a principle or tending toward a particular end

## canny

(canny) having pleasing or useful qualities; gentle; knowing; cautious; cunning; shrewd

## cantankerous

(جهكزالو) ill humored; irritable; marked by ill-tempered contradiction or opposition; ugly; malicious

## cantata

(cantata) story or poem set to music that can be sung by chorus

## canter

(canter) slow gallop; moderate running pace of horse

## canto

(صلاحيت) part or division of poem of some length

## canvas

(كينوس) heavy closely woven fabric; background against which events unfold, as in a historical narrative

## canvass

(canvass) determine votes; examine carefully or discuss thoroughly; scrutinize

## capable

(كينثين قابل) having the ability required for a specific task

## capacious

(وشال) capable of containing a large quantity; spacious or roomy

## capitulate

(capitulate) surrender; end all resistance; give up; go along with or comply

## capricious

(موجى) fickle; impulsive and unpredictable; apt to change opinions suddenly

## caption

(عنوان) title; chapter heading; text under illustration

## captious

(جهدرانو ششى (canto) intended to confuse in an argument

## captivate

(قید) charm; enthrall; seize by force, as an enemy in war, or anything belonging to enemy

## carapace

(carapace) hard outer covering or case of certain organisms such as arthropods and turtles

## carbohydrate

(كاربوبائُريط) essential structural component of living cells and source of energy for animals

## cardinal

(كارذنل) high church official, ranking just below the pope; dark to deep or vivid red

## careen

(careen) lean to one side, as a ship under press of sail; sway from side to side

## careful

(بوشيار) full of care; anxious; solicitous; taking care; giving good heed; watchful; cautious

## careworn

(careworn) worn or burdened with care; showing the signs of long-term stresses

## caricature

(كارنون) representation that is deliberately exaggerated to produce a comic effect

## carnival

(كارنيوال) festivity; traveling amusement show usually including rides, games, and sideshows

## carnivorous

(گوشت خور) eating or feeding on flesh; predatory

## carping

(carping) fault-finding; excessive complaining; of unreasonable criticism or censure

## cartographer

(cartographer) one who makes maps or charts

## castigate

(ترسكار) criticize severely; punish; revise or make corrections to publication

## cast-iron

extremely robust; rigid; inflexible; made of cast iron

## casual

(انيت) informal; purposeless; occurring by chance

## cataclysm

(catharsis) an event resulting in great loss and misfortune; deluge or overflowing of water

## catapult

(كليل) slingshot; hurling machine; military machine for hurling missiles, used in ancient and medieval times

## cataract

(موتيابند) large or high waterfall; eye abnormality

## catcall

(catcall) shout of disapproval; shout or whistle expressing dislike, especially from crowd or audience

## catechism

(catechism) book for religious instruction; instruction by question and answer

## categorical

absolute; having no exception; of using category or categories
category
(زمره) group; class; collection of things sharing a common attribute
cater
(يورى) supply what is needed or desired; provide food professionally for special occasion

## catharsis

(catharsis) purging or cleansing of any passage of body

## caulk

(cataclysm caulk) make watertight by filling in cracks

## causal

(causal) implying cause-and-effect relationship

## caustic

(كاسثى) capable of burning, corroding, dissolving, or eating away by chemical action

## caution

(احتياط) formal warning in law; close attention to minimize risk

## cautiously

(احتياط) gingerly; carefully; in a conservative manner

## cavalcade

(قافـلـ (ق) ceremonial procession or display; succession or series
cavil
(censorious cavil) criticise for petty or frivolous reasons; raise trivial objections

## cavity

(گֻا) hole; cavern; hollow area within the body

## ceaseless

(سنغتْر اشى مسلسل) incessant; endless; without stop or pause; constant.
cede
(سومنیا) yield or formally resign and surrender to another

## celebrated

(منائى (م) famous; well-known; having illustrious past

## celerity

(censorious) swiftness of action or motion; speed

## celestial

(دوى) relating to the sky or the heavens; supremely good; god or angel

## celibate

(بربمجارى) unmarried; abstaining from sexual intercourse

## censorious

(censorious) critical; addicted to censure; severe in making remarks on others, or on their writings or manners; implying or expressing censure

## censure

> expression of strong disapproval or harsh criticism; blame (مذت)

## centennial

(سو سال) of hundredth anniversary; lasting or aged a hundred years

## centigrade

measure of temperature, used widely in Europe

## centrifugal

(centrifugal) radiating; departing from the center

## centripetal

(كيندر ابيّه) tending toward center; moving or directed toward center or axis

## centurion

(سوبيدار) officer of ancient Roman army, in command of a century of soldiers or minor division

## cerebration

(cerebration) act of cerebrating; thinking, mental activity

## ceremonial

(سماروبك) formal or ritual; ceremonious

## ceremonious

(ceremonious) marked by formality; strictly observant of or devoted to ceremony or ritual

## ceremony

(جشن) formal act or set of acts performed as prescribed by ritual or custom

## certitude

(يقينى) state of being certain; complete assurance; confidence

## cessation

(بند) bringing or coming to end; ceasing

## cession

(celerity cession) yielding to another; ceding or surrendering

## chafe

( كفا chafe) wear away or irritate by rubbing; make sore by rubbing; annoy; vex

## chaff

(فوس) trivial or worthless matter; thin dry bracts or scales, especially

## chaffing

(chaffing) joking; use of light, frivolous language by way of fun or ridicule

## chagrin

(جزُهه) anxiety caused by humiliation or injured pride; disappointment

## chalice

(بیلى) goblet; bowl-shaped drinking vessel; large drinking cup, often having stem and base

## chameleon

(گرگگ) lizard that changes color in different situations

## chaos

disorder; condition or place of great disorder or confusion; disorderly mass

## chaotic

(اراجكى) in utter disorder; lacking visible order or organization

## characterize

(خصوصيات) distinguish; be characteristic of; be a distinctive trait or mark of

## chart

(چارط) graph; diagram; map showing coastlines, water depths, or other information of use to navigators

## charter

(جاركول چارثر) document issued by a sovereign, legislature, or other authority; contract for commercial leasing of vessel

## chary

(بوشيار) cautious; sparing or restrained about giving

## chasm

(كهائى) deep opening in the earth surface

## chassis

(chassis) rectangular frame attached working parts, as of automobile

## chasten

(chasten) rid of excess; refine or purify; correct by punishment or reproof

## chastise

(بدنى سزا) punish, as by beating; criticize severely; rebuke

## chateau

(شيلا) impressive country house or castle in France; large country house

## chauvinist

(chauvinist) person with prejudiced belief in superiority of own kind

## cherish

(بالا) harbor; treasure; treat with affection and tenderness; hold dear

## cherubic

(cherubic) angelic; innocent-looking; like a baby; infantile

## chicanery

(فريب) mean or unfair artifice to obscure truth; deception by trickery or sophistry

## chide

(دُانظنا) scold mildly so as to correct or improve; express disapproval

## chimerical

(chasten chimerical) fantastically improbable; highly unrealistic; imaginative

## choleric

(choleric) hot-tempered; easily angered; bad-tempered; expressing anger

## chortle

(choleric chortle) chuckle with delight; joyful laugh or chuckle; laugh quietly or with restraint

## chronic

(كرونكى) lasting for long period; marked by frequent recurrence, as certain diseases

## churlish

(churlish) difficult to work with; rude; unyielding; unmanageable

## cipher

(صفر) secret code; an Arabic numeral or figure; a number

## circuit

(سركث) electrical device that provides a path for electrical current to flow

## circuitous

(گهـاودار) being or taking a roundabout, lengthy course; going round in a circuit; not direct

## circumlocution

(cinch circumlocution) indirect or roundabout expression; evasion in speech or writing

## circumscribe

(محدود) limit narrowly; confine; draw a line around; encircle

## circumspect

(جو چس) carefully aware of all circumstances; cautious

## circumvent

(دهوك) surround an enemy; enclose or entrap; beat by cleverness and wit

## cistern

(گگرّبى) reservoir or water tank; vessel to hold water for household uses

## citadel

(درگ) fortress; fortified place which people could go for shelter during battle civil
(سول) having to do with citizens or the state; courteous and polite

## clamber

climb with difficulty, especially on all fours; climb by crawling

## clamor

noise; loud outcry; expression of discontent or protest
clan
(گروپ) faction; tribe; division of a tribe tracing descent from a common ancestor; a large group of relatives

## clangor

(خفی clangor) loud, resounding noise; sharp, metallic, ringing sound; resonant, clanging sound

## clapper

(clapper) metal striker that hangs inside bell and makes sound by hitting side; someone who applauds

## claustrophobia

(claustrophobia) abnormal fear of being in narrow or enclosed spaces

## cleave

(شق) split with or as if with a sharp instrument; pierce or penetrate; remain faithful to

## cleft

(باش) crack or crevice; a split or indentation between two parts, as of the chin

## clench

(بينچنا) close tightly; grasp or grip tightly; fasten with a clinch

## climactic

(climactic) relating to the highest point; ascending or leading to climax

## clime

(clime) region; climate; particular region as defined by its weather or climate

## clinic

(كلينک) healthcare facility for outpatient care

## clique

(گروه) small exclusive group of friends or associates

## clockwise

(دكشنتاورت) in the direction that the hands of a clock move

## cloister

(cloister) place, especially a monastery or convent, devoted to religious seclusion; secluded, quiet place

## cloying

(cloying) distasteful because excessive; excessively sweet or sentimental

## clump

(clump) cluster or close group of bushes, trees; mass; sound of heavy treading

## cluster

(كروپ) group; bunch; group of the same or similar elements gathered or occurring closely

## clutch

(كلج) grasp and hold tightly; attempt to grasp or seize

## coagulate

(كازُها) cause transformation of liquid into or as if into soft, semisolid, or solid mass

## coalesce

(concerto) combine; fuse; grow together; come together so as to form one whole; unite
coddle
(coddle) treat gently; cook in water just below boiling point

## codicil

(codicil) supplement or appendix, especially to a will
codify
(complicity) arrange laws, rules as a code; classify; arrange or systematize

## coexist

$(\circ)$ exist together, at the same time, or in the same place

## cogency

(cogency) power of proving or of producing belief; quality of being highly probable or convincing; force; credibility

## cogent

(cogent) reasonable and convincing; based on evidence; forcefully persuasive

## cogitate

(سوجنا) think earnestly or studiously; meditate; ponder; think deeply

## cognate

(cognate) related by blood; having common ancestor; related or analogous in nature, character, or function

## cognitive

(سنجشتهاناتمكى) knowing or perceiving; part of mental functions that deals with logic

## cognizance

(سنجشتهان) knowledge or recognition; awareness; range of what one can know or understand

## cohere

(cohere) stick or hold together in a mass that resists separation

## coherence

(coherence) logical and orderly and consistent relation of parts; state of cohering or sticking together

## cohesion

(بم آبنگى) tendency to keep together

## coiffure

(coiffure) hairstyle; head-dress; manner of arranging or dressing hair

## colander

(colander) bowl-shaped strainer, used to wash or drain foods

## collaborate

(تعاون) work together, especially in a joint intellectual effort

## collate

(موازن~) examine in order to verify authenticity; arrange in order

## colleague

(ساتهى) fellow worker; associate; co-worker

## colloquial

(بولجال) of informal spoken language or conversation; conversational or chatty

## collusion

secret agreement for an illegal purpose; conspiracy

## colony

(كالونى) region politically controlled by a distant country; a dependency; a community of social insects, as ants, bees

## combustible

(آتش) capable of igniting and burning; easily aroused or excited

## comely

pleasing or attractive to the eye; handsome; graceful

## comeuppance

(comeuppance) rebuke; punishment or retribution that one deserves; outcome which is justly deserved

## comic

(مزاحي) arousing or provoking laughter; ridiculous; amusing; humorous

## commandeer

(commandeer) force into military service; take for public use; seize for military use; take arbitrarily or by force

## commemorate

(منانـــه () serve as a memorial to; honor the memory of with a ceremony

## commensurate

(مو افق) of the same size, extent, or duration as another

## comment

(تبصره) express an opinion; remark

## commiserate

(رحم) feel or express pity or sympathy for

## commission

(كميشن) fee for services; group of people appointed to find out about something; authorize

## commissioner

(كششنر) person authorized by a commission to perform certain duties; member of a commission

## commit

do something that cannot be changed; cause to be admitted

## commodious

(commodious) spacious and comfortable; fit; proper; convenient

## commodity

(جنس) goods; article of trade; advantage; benefit.

## commonsense

(commonsense) exhibiting native good judgment

## communal

(اجتماعى) held in common; of a group of people

## communicate

(رابط) send information about; make known; impart; reveal clearly

## comparable

(موازنش) similar or equivalent; being of equal regard; worthy to be ranked with

## compatible

(بم آبنگ) harmonious; having similar disposition and tastes

## compel

(مجبور) force; coerce; necessitate or pressure by force

## compensatory

(مائّوركـ) serving to compensate or as compensation; making amends; repaying

## competing

(مقابل) engaging in a contest; being in the state of competition, often unintentionally

## compile

(تاليف) put together or compose from materials gathered from several sources

## complacency

(complacency) feeling of contented self-satisfaction, especially when unaware of upcoming trouble

## complaint

(شكايات) expression of pain, dissatisfaction, or resentment; criticism

## complaisant

(complaisant) trying to please; showing cheerful willingness to do favors for others

## complementary

(اعزازی) serving to fill out or to complete; supplying mutual needs or offsetting mutual lacks

## compliant

(مطابق) yielding to request or desire; ready to accommodate; disposed or willing to comply

## complicity

(complicity) participation; involvement as partner or accomplice, especially in crime or other wrongdoing

## complimentary

(باسيكر مانارت) expressing of praise, admiration, or congratulation; given free to repay a favor or as an act of courtesy

## component

(اتحادى) element; ingredient; abstract part of something

## composure

(توازن) mental calmness; calm or tranquil state of mind

## comprehension

(فَج) grasp; ability to understand

## comprise

(شامل بي) include; consist of; be composed of

## compunction

(compunction) feeling of deep regret; strong uneasiness caused by a sense of guilt

## concave

(اوتل) hollow; curved like inner surface of sphere

## conceal

(جیپائيّ) keep from being seen, found, observed, or discovered; secrete

## conceit

(كخمين) overly high self-esteem; feelings of excessive pride

## concentric

(codify concentric) having a common center, circles of different size, one within another

## concerted

(سگֻن) planned or accomplished together; combined

## conciliatory

(معابده) making or willing to yield, or to make concessions

## concise

(جامع) brief and compact; expressing much in few words

## conclude

(اختام) enclose; reach as an end of reasoning; make final determination ; judge or decide; bring to an end

## concomitant

(سبحامى) in conjunction with; accompanying; associated with

## concomitantly

(concomitantly) existing concurrently; in company or combination

## concrete

(كنكريط) solid mass; covering with cement; hard, strong construction material consisting of sand, conglomerate, and gravel

## condole

(condole) grieve; express sympathy; speak sympathetically to one in pain, grief, or misfortune

## condor

largest flying birds in the western hemisphere; gold coin of some South American countries

## confide

(راز) disclose; reveal; tell in confidence

## confidence

(اعتماد) feeling secure or certain about something

## conflagration

(conflagration comatose) large destructive fire; burning; large-scale military conflict
conflict
) fight; struggle; incompatibility of dates or events

## confluence

(سنگچ) act of two things flowing together; junction or meeting place where two things meet

## conformity

(مطابق) similarity in form or character; agreement

## confound

(خلط ملط) cause to become confused or perplexed; fail to distinguish; mix up

## confuse

(برم) cause to be unable to think with clarity or act with intelligence or understanding; mix up

## connect

(رابط) join, or fasten together; associate; combine; unite or link together
(فتح) gain or acquire by force; take possession of by violent means; gain dominion over

## consanguineous

(consanguineous) of the same lineage or origin; having common ancestor

## consciousness

(بوش) having knowledge of ; special awareness or sensitivity:

## consistency

harmonious uniformity or agreement among things or parts

## constant

(مسلسل) invariable; repeating; continually occurring; persistent

## constantly

(مسلسل) in an unchangeable or invariable manner; in every case; perpetually; continually

## consternation

(constrict consternation) intense state of fear or dismay; astonishment combined with terror
constituent
(بی্যֵیه اتحادى) component or part; citizen, voter

## constitution

(أئن) law determining the fundamental political principles of a government; the act of forming something

## constrain

(مجبور) restrain; keep within close bounds; confine

## constraint

(تنگى) something that restricts or confines within prescribed bounds

## construct

(تعمرر) form by assembling or combining parts; build; create

## consumption

(هֻ ) eating or drinking of something
contact
(رابط) get in touch with; reach

## contagious

infectious; of or relating to communicable diseases

## contain

(موجود) include; incorporate; be capable of holding

## contemptuous

(توبين آميز) scornful; expressing contempt; showing a lack of respect

## contentious

(متنازع) quarrelsome; disagreeable; marked by heated arguments or controversy

## contiguous

(سنغبيت) sharing an edge or boundary; touching; neighboring

## continence

(سنيم) self control; self restraint; partial or complete abstention from sexual activity

## contrived

(3) artificially formal; obviously planned or calculated; not natural

## controvert

(controvert condescend) oppose with arguments; attempt to prove to be false or incorrect; contradict

## contusion

(contusion) injury that doesn't break the skin

## convalesce

(convalesce) recover gradually from an illness

## convenient

(سبل) suited or favorable to one's comfort, purpose, or needs:; near; accessible

## conventionally

(conventionally) in a conventional manner; ordinarily, by convention

## converge

(تقارب) approach; tend to meet; come together

## conversant

(جانكار) familiar, as by study or experience; able to converse knowledgeably

## conversation

(كفتخو) general course of conduct; intimate fellowship or association; close acquaintance; informal dialogue

## convex

(convex) curving outward; having surface that bulges outward, as the exterior of sphere

## conveyance

(سوارى) act of conveying; tools of conveying, especially vehicle for transportation

## convict

(مجرم) find or declare guilty

## conviction

(عقائد) judgment that someone is guilty of crime; strongly held belief

## convivial

(convivial) festive; occupied with or fond of the pleasures of good company

## convoke

(convivial convoke) call together; cause to assemble in meeting; convene

## convoluted

(convoluted) coiled around; highly involved; intricate

## cooperative

(كو آيريظيو) done with or working with others

## copious

(برچر) plentiful; containing plenty; affording ample supply

## coquette

(coquette) flirt; seductive woman who uses her sex appeal to exploit men

## cordon

line around an area to enclose or guard it

## cornucopia

(cornucopia) goat's horn overflowing with fruit and grain; symbol of abundance
corollary
(corollary) natural consequence or effect; result

## corporeal

(جسمانی) bodily; of a material nature; tangible

## corpulent

(corpulent) very fat; large in body; overweight

## correlation

mutual relationship; interdependence or interconnection relationship

## corrode

destroy metal or alloy gradually, especially by chemical action; be eaten or worn away

## corrosive

(اتيورجن) corrosive) eating away by chemicals or disease
(كهردرا) wrinkled; shaped into alternating parallel grooves and ridges

## costume

(لباس) dress; attire; aset of clothes appropriate for a particular occasion or season

## coterie

(crag) group that meets socially; an exclusive circle of people with common purpose

## countenance

(جر) give sanction or support to; tolerate or approve

## counterclockwise

(گهمائيّ) in a direction opposite to the direction in which the hands of a clock move

## counterfeit

(جعلى corrode) make a copy of, usually with the intent to defraud; forge

## countermand

(ممكن) cancel; revoke command or order; order or direct in opposition to; prohibit; forbid

## counterpart

(بم منصب) duplicate copy; analogue; one that closely resembles another

## countervail

(countervail) act or react with equal force; ; counteract

## countless

(انگت) innumerable; infinite; too many to count
court
enclosed space; courtyard; uncovered area shut in by the walls of a building

## coverage

(احاط) extent to which something is covered; news as presented by reporters

## cowboy

(جֶرابا) one who tends cattle and performs other duties on horseback; one who is reckless or irresponsible

## cramped

(crayon) jammed; stuffed; uncomfortably small or restricted

## craze

(readjust) fine crack in a surface or glaze; short-lived popular fashion; inordinate desire or longing; passion

## crazy

> (پֶاگل affected with madness; insane; deranged

## crevice

(درار) gap; a long narrow opening

## crew

(علـ) group of people working together, as in spacecraft, ship, plane or train

## cripple

person or animal that is partially disabled or unable to use a limb or limb

## crooked

(يُّرْهى) having or marked by bends or angles; not straight or aligned; curved

## crystallized

(crystallized) having become fixed and definite in form

## cubic

(كيوبك) having three dimensions

## cue

(كيو) end of a thing; queue; last words of a play actor's speech; hint or intimation; humor

## cull

(cull) pick out from others; weed out; remove rejected members or parts from

## culminate

reach the highest or most decisive point; rise to summit

## cultivate

(كاشت) improve and prepare, as by plowing or fertilizing, for raising crops; promote the growth of

## culvert

(پֻليا) artificial channel for water; sewer or drain crossing under road

## cumbersome

(بوجهل) heavy; difficult to handle because of weight or bulk

## cumulative

(سنجيى) increasing by successive addition

## cupidity

( حد سـ زياده cupidity) greed; excessive desire, especially for wealth

## curmudgeon

(curmudgeon) ill-tempered person full of stubborn ideas or opinions

## cursive

(روان خط) flowing, as writing letters joined one to another without raising pen; running

## cursory

(سرسرى) casual; brief or broad; not cautious, nor detailed

## curtail

(سد) cut short or reduce; cut off end or tail, or any part

## cynosure

(cynosure) object that serves as a focal point of attention and admiration; something that strongly attracts attention; center of attraction

