Unit 7

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Conflict=struggle/fight/serious disagreement

Discord=disagreement between people

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Proclaim=announce officially or publicly

Petty=small or trivial / concerned with unimportant matters

Grievance=complaint for unjust treatment

Recrimination=quarreling and blaming one another

Scripture=the Bible/holy writings of a religion

Noble=having or showing an excellent character/not petty or mean

Pursue=follow/(continue to) be occupied with sth

Reaffirm=affirm again/state sth positively again

Faint-hearted=timid/not brave

Obscure=hard to understand,not clear

Rugged=(of land)wild and not even,not easy to travel over

Prosperity=state of being successful or rich/good fortune

Stand pat=refuse to change a decision one has made,an opinion one holds etc

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Tolerance=willingness to accept behaviour and beliefs that are different from your own

Loyalty=bond that makes a person faithful to sb or sth/being true and faithful

Grudgingly=unwillingly,ungenerously

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Celebrated=well-known,famous

Era=period of historical time

Seize=to take sth quickly and keep or hold it

Creed=a set of beliefs that influences the way you live

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Discrimination=treating a person or group differently than others

Institution=long-established custom,practice or group

Dignity=quality that earns or deserves respect

Liberty=right or power to do as one chooses

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Declaration=formal announcement

Endow=give money/property/provide a regular income for (eg. a school, a college)

Conscience=one’s awareness of right and wrong

Jurisdictional=of authority to interpret and apply laws/of limits within which legal authority may be exercised

Fundamental=forming the basis or foundation/essential or necessary

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Disparity=difference or inequality

Contemplation=consideration/meditation/deep thought

Estimation=judgement/opinion/regard

Compulsory=required by the rules

Obligatory=required by rule,law or custom

Deserving=worthy of help/praise/reward

Worthy=deserving respect/consideration/recognition

Entitled=having a right to have or do sth

Merit=quality of deserving praise or reward/deserve/be worthy of sth

Reverence=feeling of deep respect

Appreciation=understanding and enjoyment/grateful recognition

Esteem=have a high opinion of sb or sth/consider/regard

Consent=agreement or permission

Approval=feeling or showing or saying that sth is good,acceptable or satisfactory

Acceptance=favourable reception/being accepted

Conciliation=making less angry by making some concessions

Restriction=law that restricts

Confines=limits/borders/boundaries

Limitation=condition, fact or circumstance that limits

Limit=point or line beyond which sth does not extend

Wellbeing=being healthy and happy

Prosperity=state of being successful or rich/good fortune

Welfare=(care for/money paid for)good health,happiness,prosperity of a person

Contentment=state of being content(satisfied with what one has)

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Adhere=remain attached/stick as if by glue

Denounce=give information (to the authorities) against sb/say sth is wrong

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Upheaval=sudden violent upward movement or change

Facilitate=make sth easy or less difficult

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Cooperation=acting or working together for a common purpose

Respect=admiration felt or shown for a person or thing that has good qualities or achievements

Inclusion=including(making part of a whole)

Diversity=variety/state of being varied