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| | | **Introduction** | | | |
| **chunk (n)** | a thick piece of any material, *κομμάτι* | She gave him a chunk of cheese to snack on. | | | |
| **fight (v)** | to battle or struggle against someone or something, *μάχη* | He is fighting the champion tonight. | battle | | |
| **gladiator (n)** | in ancient Rome, a man who fought another man, usually until one of them died, for public entertainment, *μονομάχος* | "Gladiator" is a historical, epic film starring Russell Crowe. | | | |
| **glory (n)** | great honor, praise, or fame, *δόξα* | The team earned glory after winning the world championship. | fame, honour | | |
| **infer (v)** | to make a guess based on facts and observations; conclude, *συμπεραίνω* | I inferred from the books on his shelf that he enjoyed reading adventure stories. | conclude | | |
| | | **Lesson 1** | | | |
| **audition (n)** | a performance that tests the ability of an actor, musician, or dancer, *ακρόαση* | The actor had an audition for a part in the play. | | | |
| **chance (n)** | opportunity; possibility, *ευκαιρία* | I would like the chance to travel someday. | opportunity | | |
| **community (n)** | a group of people who live close together or who have the same interests, *κοινότητα* | Education is important to the immigrant community. | | | |
| **concept (n)** | a general idea or thought, *αντίληψη/ιδέα* | My youngest child has difficulty learning new concepts. | idea, thought | | |
| **daft (adj)** | silly or foolish, *χαζός* | Asking him for money was a fairly daft thing to do. | insane, mad, silly | sensible | |
| **dare (v)** | to try to get someone to do something as a test of courage, *τολμώ* | He dared me to jump into the river. | challenge | | |
| **determine (v)** | to decide or set, *ορίζω* | We determined the date for our wedding. | decide, set, settle | | |
| **effort (n)** | physical or mental activity needed to achieve something, *προσπάθεια* | Let's make one more effort to finish this work before we go home. | attempt | | |
| **exposure (n)** | the condition of being open to weather or to a substance, *έκθεση* | The exposure of pale skin to the sun can cause it to burn. | | | |
| **fame (n)** | being known by many people, *φήμη* | He gained fame as an actor after his last big movie. | glory | | |
| **focus (v)** | to direct your attention to something, *εστιάζω* | She couldn't focus on her work with all the noise. | concentrate | | |
| **fortune (n)** | a large amount of money or wealth, *τύχη/περιουσία* | She made her fortune buying and selling land. | treasure, wealth | | |

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| **passion (n)** | any strong feeling or emotion, *πάθος* | The mayor spoke with passion about poverty in the city. | | apathy | |
| **rehearse (v)** | to practice for a show, play, concert, or other performance, *προβάρω* | Let's rehearse those dance steps one more time. | practise | | |
| **reject (v)** | to refuse to accept, approve, or believe, *απορρίπτω* | She rejected the job offer. | refuse | accept | |
| **respectful (adj)** | showing admiration for someone or something; being polite, *σεβάσμιος* | "We're so pleased to meet you," he said in a respectful tone of voice. | considerate courteous, polite, thoughtful | disrespectful | respectfully |
| **stepfather (n)** | your mother's new husband, not your natural father, *πατριός* | She loves her stepfather as if he were her real dad. | | | |
| **stick (v)** | to attach one thing to another with something sticky, *κολλάω* | I stuck the two pieces of paper together with tape. | attach, fasten, glue | | |
| **support (v)** | to help during a time of trouble, *στηρίζω* | She supported me when I was ill. | comfort | | |
| **surgery (n)** | an operation done by a surgeon, *εγχείρηση* | He is going to have surgery for the torn muscle in his leg. | operation | | |
| **unscramble (v)** | to rearrange a scrambled message so that it can be understood, *ξεδιαλύνω* | They hired a detective to unscramble the mystery. | | | |
| | | **Lesson 2** | | | |
| **ambitious (adj)** | having a strong desire to reach a goal or have success in general, *φιλόδοξος* | Carlos is an ambitious young man who plans to become a doctor. | competitive | | ambition |
| **competition (n)** | the process of trying to win, *διαγωνισμός* | Many businesses fail because of too much competition. | | | |
| **concern (v)** | to have to do with something; be connected with something, *αφορώ* | This matter is between your father and me. It does not concern you. | affect | | |
| **conclusion (n)** | an ending or result, *συμπέρασμα* | The conclusion of the book was a surprise. | | beginning | |
| **confident (adj)** | having trust or faith; sure that something will happen, *έμπιστος* | We are confident that our team will win. | certain, positive, sure | | confidently |
| **display (v)** | *to show, επιδεικνύω* | The store displayed cards on a rack. | exhibit | | |
| **furthermore (adv)** | besides; in addition; moreover, *περαιτέρω, επι πλέον* | Smoking is an expensive habit; furthermore, it's bad for you. | besides, moreover | | |
| **guess (v)** | to give an opinion without enough information to be certain, *μαντεύω* | Can you guess how many pennies are in this jar? | | | |
| **link (n)** | anything that joins or connects, *σύνδεσμος* | There is a stong link between Greece and Cyprus. | bond, connection | | |

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| **scenery (n)** | the way the land looks in a particular place, *τοπίο* | We enjoyed the scenery around the lake. | view | | |
| **sociable (adj)** | comfortable and pleasant in social situations, *κονωνικός* | He is so sociable that he is the first person everyone calls when they have a party. | friendly, outgoing, pleasant, | antisocial | |
| **tough (adj)** | hard to control, *σκληρός* | My son is afraid of those tough kids in the neighbourhood. | rough | | |
| **upset (v)** | to make less comfortable; hurt, *αναστατώνω* | Their complaints upset her. | trouble | | |
| | | **Lesson 3** | | | |
| **editor (n)** | a person whose job is to read and correct pieces of writing, *συντάκτης* | The editor made few changes to the author's new book. | | | |
| **editorial (n)** | an article in a newspaper, or a statement on television, that gives a personal opinion, *άρθρο γνώμης* | The newspaper printed an editorial against the war. | | | |
| **panel (n)** | a small group of people chosen to publicly discuss their opinions, *ομάδα* | The dancers were judged by a panel of experts. | | | |
| **perform (v)** | to present for the entertainment of an audience, *εκτελώ* | He performed a song that he wrote himself. | play | | performer |
| **persuade (v)** | to cause someone to do something through reasoning or arguing, *πείθω* | His wife persuaded him to look for a better job. | convince | | |
| **produce (v)** | to make something, *παράγω* | Our company produces parts for computers. | | | |
| **production (n)** | making or producing, *παραγωγή* | That factory began production of automobiles eighty years ago. | | | |
| **topic (n)** | a subject of discussion, conversation, or writing, *θέμα* | The teacher gave the students a choice of topics to write about. | subject | | |