***Vocabulary Workshop***

Unit 2 Word List

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| 1. mutual (adj.) | shared, felt, or shown equally by two or more |
| 2. regime (n.) | a government in power; a form or system of rule or management; a period of rule |
| 3. indignant (adj.) | filled with resentment or anger over something unjust, unworthy, or mean |
| 4. poised (adj., part.) | balanced, suspended; calm, controlled; ready for action |
| 5. cater (v.) | to satisfy the needs of, try to make things easy and pleasant; to supply food and service |
| 6. indifference (n.) | a lack of interest or concern |
| 7. hazard (n.) | risk, peril |
| 8. plague (v.) | to annoy or bother |
| 9. plague (n.) | an easily spread disease causing a large number of deaths; a widespread evil |
| 10. firebrand (n.) | a piece of burning wood; a troublemaker; an extremely energetic or emotional person |
| 11. customary (adj.) | usual, expected, routine |
| 12. homicide (n.) | the killing of one person by another |
| 13. available (adj.) | ready for use, at hand |
| 14. pelt (v.) | to throw a stream of things; to strike successively; to hurry |
| 15. transparent (adj.) | allowing light to pass through; easily recognized or understood; easily seen through or detected |
| 16. entrepreneur (n.) | a person who starts up and takes on the risk of a business |
| 17. lubricate (v.) | to apply oil or grease; to make smooth, slippery, or easier to use |
| 18. unscathed (adj.) | wholly unharmed, not injured |
| 19. hazard (v.) | to expose to danger or harm; to gamble |
| 20. indispensable (adj.) | absolutely necessary, not to be neglected |
| 21. dissuade (v.) | to persuade not to do something |
| 22. hinder (v.) | to delay; to stop or prevent from happening |