***Vocabulary Workshop***

Unit 4 Word List

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| 1. wince (n.) | the act of drawing back in this way |
| 2. bewilder (v.) | to puzzle completely, confuse |
| 3. procure (v.) | to obtain through special effort; to bring about |
| 4. inflict (v.) | to give or cause something unpleasant, impose |
| 6. void (adj.) | completely empty; having no legal force or effect |
| 7. malignant (adj.) | deadly, extremely harmful, evil; spiteful, malicious |
| 8. dishearten (v.) | to discourage |
| 9. hostile (adj.) | unfriendly; unfavorable; warlike, aggressive |
| 10. mortify (v.) | to hurt someone's feelings deeply; to cause embarrassment or humiliation; to subdue or discipline by self-denial or suffering |
| 11. spirited (adj.) | full of life and vigor; courageous |
| 12. wayward (adj.) | disobedient, willful; unpredictable, capricious |
| 13. inflammable (adj.) | easily set on fire; easily angered or aroused |
| 14. void (v.) | to cancel or nullify |
| 15. sodden (adj.) | soaked with liquid or moisture; expressionless, dull; spiritless, listless |
| 16. orthodox (adj.) | in agreement with established or generally accepted beliefs or ways of doing things |
| 17. alliance (n.) | a joining together for some common purpose |
| 18. wince (v.) | to draw back suddenly, as though in pain or fear |
| 19. fruitless (adj.) | not producing the desired results, unsuccessful |
| 20. scurry (v.) | to run quickly, scamper, hurry |
| 21. virtual (adj.) | having a certain force or effect in fact but not in name; so close as to be equivalent to the real thing |
| 22. buffoon (n.) | a clown; a coarse, stupid person |
| 23. controversial (adj.) | arousing argument, dispute, or disagreement |
| 24. void (n.) | empty or unfilled space |