

The VOCAB EDGE

English FAL Grade 9

A GOOD VOCAB DEFINITELY GIVES YOU THE EDGE.

If you have a good vocabulary, you communicate better, which is a huge confidence booster. A good vocabulary makes you sound smarter, while using the correct words shows that you're thoughtful and informed. Whether it's a book, videos, or a movie, a rich vocabulary helps you understand better.

DO THIS TEST TO SEE IF YOU HAVE THE EDGE.

Each question gives the word, and two possible definitions.

WHICH ONE IS CORRECT?

1 METICULOUS

- A Very careful and precise
- B Always late and disorganised

2 AMBIGUOUS

- A Having more than one meaning
- B Easy to understand and clear

3 TEDIOUS

- A Long, boring, and repetitive
- B Very interesting and exciting

4 INEVITABLE

- A Cannot be avoided
- B Fun but risky

5 RESILIENT

- A Able to recover quickly
- B Easily discouraged

6 FRUGAL

- A Careful with money
- B Always spending recklessly

7 ELATED

- A Extremely happy
- B Calm and emotionless

8 ADVERSITY

- A A time of difficulty or trouble
- B A fun and exciting journey

9 BENEVOLENT

- A Kind and generous
- B Angry and cruel

10 SKEPTICAL

- A Doubtful or questioning
- B Easily convinced

11 VERSATILE

- A Able to do many different things well
- B Only good at one thing

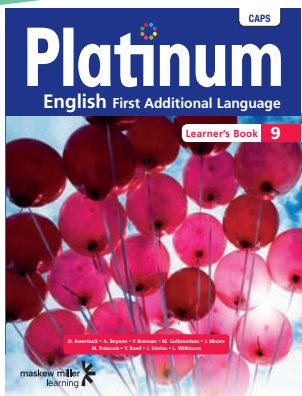
12 SUBTLE

- A Delicate or not obvious
- B Loud and clear

* SUGGESTION ON HOW TO GET THE VERBAL EDGE:

Research shows that reading improves your vocabulary.

If you come across a word that you don't fully understand – look it up, or ask someone.



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ANSWERS: All answers are A.