VOCABULARY UNIT 7

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| Word | Definition |
| unscathed | Wholly unharmed, not injured |
| disputatious | Inclined to argue or debate; provoking debate |
| embezzle | To steal property entrusted to one’s care |
| wayward | Disobedient, willful; unpredictable, capricious |
| flagrant | Extremely bad; flaring; scandalous, notorious |
| timidity | The state of being easily frightened |
| abnormal | Not usual, not typical, strange |
| paraphrase | To express the meaning of something using different words |
| faulty reasoning | Improper or mistakes in reasoning |
| interpret | To construe or understand in a particular way |

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| **HOMONYMS WEEK 11** | |
| **A lot-is not one word, but two** I like you a lot.  **Allot – to apportion, to divvy up**  You must accept that this all we have; the number you were allotted will not change. | **All right –is not one word, but two**  It means okay, satisfactory  (“Alright” is not all right because “alright” is not a word.) |
| **Waist-part of the body above the hips**  Her waist is only 23 inches. | **Waste-to wear away; to use carelessly**  Do not waste your money on fast-food meals. |
| **Who’s-contraction for who is**  Who’s going to the dance tonight? | **Whose-possessive pronoun that shows ownership**  Whose bike is blocking my driveway? |
| **Wood-material that comes from trees**  Oak is my favorite type of wood. | **Would-a form of the verb will**  Would you help me carry these books? |

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| 1. **acrid**   (Sadlier-Oxford Lvl E) | adj | Harsh in taste or odor; sharp in manner or temper | Irritating, stinging, caustic, biting |
| 1. **enmity**   (Sadlier-Oxford Lvl C) | Noun | Hatred, ill-will | Hostility, animosity, antagonism |
| 1. **voracious**   (Sadlier-Oxford Lvl C) | adj | Having a huge appetite, greedy, ravenous; excessively eager | Gluttonous, insatiable, avid |
| 1. **comely**   (Sadlier-Oxford Lvl D) | adj | Having a pleasing appearance | Good-looking, attractive, bonny |
| 1. **ambiguous**   (Sadlier-Oxford Lvl A)  wk. 8 | adj | Having more than one possible meaning or interpretation | Unclear, vague |

**Sample Sentences**

1. **Acrid** smoke from the fire burned my throat and eyes.
2. There is **enmity** between those two men; they once had a fight.
3. Teenagers often have **voracious** appetites.
4. She is a **comely** child.
5. The teacher's explanation was **ambiguous**, so the students still didn't understand the grammar point.