



## SYNONYMS – VERBAL REASONING

Choose the word which means the same, or nearly the same, as the word on the left. Circle it.

The first one has been done for you.

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|----|--------------------|-------------|---------------|-----------|--------------|
| A  | <b>small</b>       | tiny        | large         | soft      |              |
| 1  | <b>expand</b>      | restrict    | grow          | pull      | advance      |
| 2  | <b>reign</b>       | rule        | leader        | follow    | government   |
| 3  | <b>decent</b>      | humble      | spiritual     | proper    | wise         |
| 4  | <b>comfortable</b> | idle        | cosy          | awkward   | satisfactory |
| 5  | <b>frightened</b>  | cowardly    | ghastly       | stunned   | petrified    |
| 6  | <b>available</b>   | present     | free          | potential | used         |
| 7  | <b>visible</b>     | seeing      | noticeable    | invisible | loud         |
| 8  | <b>mischievous</b> | destructive | threatening   | clumsy    | naughty      |
| 9  | <b>chance</b>      | expectation | freedom       | relief    | opportunity  |
| 10 | <b>profession</b>  | employee    | qualification | job       | specialist   |
| 11 | <b>continuous</b>  | unbroken    | connected     | lengthy   | uncertain    |
| 12 | <b>flaw</b>        | benefit     | blame         | fault     | calamity     |
| 13 | <b>hero</b>        | person      | character     | celebrity | idol         |
| 14 | <b>produce</b>     | multiply    | generate      | prepare   | design       |
| 15 | <b>offend</b>      | disturb     | insult        | mourn     | distract     |
| 16 | <b>rational</b>    | educated    | logical       | original  | pessimistic  |

17 **trade** exchange give purchase auction

18 **luxurious** rare extravagant unbelievable mature

19 **analyse** break think examine notice

20 **effect** consequence reason attraction aim