

## Vocabulary: Assorted

<b>escalate</b> <sup>verb</sup>	<b>infrastructure</b> <sup>noun</sup>	<b>valid</b> <sup>adj</sup>	<b>diverse</b> <sup>adj</sup>	<b>accurate</b> <sup>adj</sup>
<b>regulations</b> <sup>noun</sup>	<b>compromise</b> <sup>verb</sup>	<b>imply</b> <sup>verb</sup>	<b>cite</b> <sup>verb</sup>	<b>condemn</b> <sup>verb</sup>
<b>remorse</b> <sup>noun</sup>	<b>on the verge of</b>	<b>back out</b> <sup>verb</sup>	<b>allege</b> <sup>verb</sup>	<b>overwhelm</b> <sup>verb</sup>

1. A number of possible reasons have been \_\_\_\_\_ for the rising crime rate.
2. Partying all night is not a \_\_\_\_\_ excuse for missing the test.
3. The building \_\_\_\_\_ because of poor construction materials and faulty wiring.
4. Sometimes both partners have to \_\_\_\_\_ to make the marriage work.
5. Pollution will \_\_\_\_\_ unless we have better environmental \_\_\_\_\_ in this country.
6. The newspaper \_\_\_\_\_ that a murder took place last night, but on the radio they said it happened yesterday morning between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m.
7. These results are wrong. They are not \_\_\_\_\_. How can we be bankrupt?
8. He said he felt great \_\_\_\_\_ for having committed the crime.
9. She was \_\_\_\_\_ tears when he asked her to marry him.
10. The educational \_\_\_\_\_ of the country is excellent. There are many schools.
11. Niles has \_\_\_\_\_ taste in music. He loves classical music just as much as he loves rap music.
12. They \_\_\_\_\_ of the deal because it was not a good investment.
13. She was \_\_\_\_\_ when she learned her grandmother had died.
14. "What are you \_\_\_\_\_ when you say you are busy for the rest of your life?"