

*End-of-Semester
Cumulative*

Vocabulary Review

dignity

- worthiness, rank, standing

adulation

- excessive praise or flattery

mutiny

- rebellion against authority,
uprising

piteous

- heartbreaking, pathetic

toil

- laborious effort, hard work

expansive

- outgoing; showing feelings openly and freely

arduous

- difficult; requiring much effort

wield

- to handle effectively
(especially a weapon)

augmenting

- increasing, adding to

literacy

- the ability to read and write

transgression

- violation of a law,
wrongdoing

cascade

- to fall or flow like a waterfall

heretic

- one who dissents from a belief (like religion)

ambling

- walking or strolling leisurely

paramount

- of highest importance

knave

- person with low status,
scoundrel

demeanor

- a way of behaving; manner

trifling

- of small value, insignificant, unimportant

degenerate

- a corrupt or vicious person

chaste

- virtuous, innocent (like a virgin)

scorn (as a verb)

- to mock, to ridicule, to show contempt

appertaining

- pertaining or relating to

effeminate

- having feminine qualities, having characteristics of softness

martial

- having warlike qualities

benign

- good; kindly

crass

- crude; unrefined

scorn (as a noun)

- open contempt of something

garish

- excessively bright, glaring, showy

provisions

- supplies, especially of food or necessities

lamentation

- act of expressing grief

sojourn

- live temporarily, stay for a time in a place

jocund

- merry, cheerful

inundation

- flood or overflow of something

slander

- a false or malicious statement

pensive

- dreamily thoughtful

leer

- to give a sly, evil glance

prosperous

- having financial success;
successful

behooveful

- necessary; advantageous

lamentable

- regrettable; unfortunate

beguiling

- tricking, deceiving,
misleading

presaged

- made a prediction;
foreshadowed

detestable

- hateful, abominable

haughty

- snobbish, scornfully arrogant

peruse

- examine in detail, read over carefully

amorous

- showing or expressing love

thwarted

- prevented, stopped, hindered

ambiguity

- doubtfulness or uncertainty of meaning or intention

vexation

- irritation; annoyance