Mr. Valentine’s 12th Grade English – Vocabulary Practice 11 - Standard – Sherlock Option

1. Often times, to find what’s stopping us from moving forward in life, we need to set aside some time for quiet thought and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .

2. The interviewer thought the twenty-year-old man’s resume was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , as it listed proficiency in ten languages, twenty Ph.D.s, and more than thirty years of job experience.

3. The artists did not work nine-to-five, but spent their days in a very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ lifestyle, either lounging around waiting for inspiration or wandering the town in search of it.

4. The smelly, bloated, pustule-ridden monster was quite \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to the villagers.

5. The germophobe was quite \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to going down into the sewer.

6. As drinking excessively had caused him to do things he much regretted later, Floober felt great \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about having too much to drink in the future.

7. The scientist took various readings, examined the data, then drew a conclusion; she was practicing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .

8. The chef had a theory about some tweaks to an old recipe. After many attempts, his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ paid off, as the new dish tasted even better.

9. Some books of the Bible are the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of this or that saint to various churches.

10. When the private investigator asked what resources he would have from his wealthy patron on the matter of solving the mystery, the patron said he had \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to do whatever he felt necessary.