**Intermediate Synonyms and Antonyms #14**

**Synonyms:** words that have the same (or nearly the same) meanings
Example: large → big

**Antonyms:** words that have opposite meanings
Example: hot → cold

**Directions:** Choose the best **synonym** for the following words.

1) **realize**
A. take  
B. affirm  
C. encourage  
D. allow  
E. grasp

3) **permit**
A. hide  
B. protect  
C. allow  
D. defend  
E. stay

5) **analyze**
A. write  
B. read  
C. understand  
D. discover  
E. study

2) **omit**
A. require  
B. add  
C. steal  
D. delete  
E. acquire

4) **loan**
A. withdraw  
B. steal  
C. deposit  
D. lend  
E. borrow

6) **discover**
A. announce  
B. seek  
C. find  
D. see  
E. describe

**Directions:** Choose the best **antonym** for the following words.

1) **concerned**
A. passionate  
B. ready  
C. indifferent  
D. stolen  
E. allowed

3) **offend**
A. defend  
B. compliment  
C. score  
D. win  
E. attack

5) **excite**
A. accelerate  
B. scold  
C. bore  
D. punish  
E. energize

2) **obey**
A. deny  
B. complicate  
C. ignore  
D. follow  
E. comply

4) **preserve**
A. recharge  
B. conserve  
C. destroy  
D. assist  
E. maintain

6) **resist**
A. repel  
B. undo  
C. submit  
D. agree  
E. deny