

C'est Français

Words to Define

1. coiffure
2. demarche
3. denouement
4. éclat
5. élan
6. entrepreneur
7. impasse
8. ingénue
9. malaise
10. mélange
11. repartee
12. sangfroid
13. tête-à-tête
14. tour de force
15. vignette

I. Which Word Comes to Mind? (circle one)

1. A cold-blooded killer

vignette	sangfroid	mélange
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2. There is a loud applause for the star of Hamlet

tour de force	demarche	malaise
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3. You get together with your brother for a serious conversation

denouement	entrepreneur	tête-à-tête
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4. Two rival hostesses emerge abashed after some sharp word play

repartee	coiffure	éclat
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5. A producer advertises his search for a 14-year-old Juliet

élan	impasse	ingénue
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II. True or False (circle one)

1. The *denouement* of a mystery story should satisfy every one of the reader's questions.
2. In order for success in most projects, a certain degree of *élan* is required.
3. The bargainers reached an *impasse*, and everyone went home satisfied with the way the strike had been concluded.
4. A man with *sangfroid* could stare a gunman in the eye and not show his fear.
5. Madame de Pompadour was noted for her *coiffure*.

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III. Matching

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- a. organizer and manager
- b. outcome of a story
- c. feeling of uneasiness
- d. deadlock; stalemate
- e. composure
- f. actress playing unsophisticated roles
- g. conversation for two
- h. line of action
- i. skillful performance
- j. brilliant success
- k. vigor
- l. colorful anecdote
- m. mixture
- n. hairdo
- o. wit