

English 11 Week 5

1. **brogue** n. Any dialectic pronunciation of English, especially that of the Irish people.
2. **bombast** n. Inflated or extravagant language, especially on unimportant subjects.
3. **burnish** v. To make brilliant or shining.
4. **cacophony** n. A disagreeable, harsh, or discordant sound or combination of sounds or tones.
5. **canon** n. Any rule or law.
6. **captivate** v. To fascinate, as by excellence. eloquence, or beauty.
7. **dauntless** adj. Fearless.
8. **decrepit** adj. Enfeebled, as by old age or some chronic infirmity.
9. **enrapture** v. To delight extravagantly or intensely.
10. **latent** adj. Dormant.
11. **lethargy** n. Prolonged sluggishness of body or mind.
12. **matrix** n. That which contains and gives shape or form to anything.
13. **morose** adj. Gloomy.
14. **nefarious** adj. Wicked in the extreme.
15. **nihilist** n. An advocate of the doctrine that nothing either exists or can be known.