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Part 1	Student-friendly definition
Tết (p. 1)	Vietnamese lunar new year is one of the most important holidays in Vietnamese culture.
imitation (p.5)	A copy of something.
salary (p. 14)	The money you receive for the work you complete.
merchant (p. 19)	Someone who buys and sells goods.
persuade (p. 27)	To convince someone.
resemble (p. 29)	To look like or be similar to someone or something.
chide/chiding (p. 30)	To tell someone you do not approve of what they've said or done.
abandon (p. 43)	To leave someone, something, or some place that you are responsible for.
ancestral (p. 51)	Relating to a member of your family who passed away long ago.
linger (p. 65)	To stay somewhere a little longer, especially because you do not want to leave.

Part 2	Student-friendly definition
firmly (p. 76)	Strongly
stench (p. 83)	A very strong, bad smell
putrid (p. 83)	Very unpleasant
resist (p. 86)	To stop yourself from having something that you like very much or doing something that you want to do.
edible (p. 100)	Something that can be eaten.
tangible (p. 104)	Clear enough that it is easily noticed.
remnant (p. 104)	A small part of something that remains after the rest has been destroyed.
refugee (p. 107)	Someone who has been forced to leave their country especially during times of war or for religious reasons.

Part 3	Student-friendly definition
contort(ed) (p. 115)	To twist something so that it becomes out of shape and strange or unattractive.
roam(ed) (p. 120)	To walk or travel with no purpose or direction.
generosity (p. 124)	Giving, especially of money or time
pity (p. 132)	Sympathy for a person or animal who is suffering
temper (p. 152)	A tendency to become angry very quickly.
defense (p. 153)	The act of protecting something that is under attack.
endure (p. 158)	To be in a difficult or painful situation for a long time without complaining.
sensible (p. 167)	Reasonable or practical.

Part 3 (continued)	Student-friendly definition
solitude (p. 173)	When you are alone, especially when you prefer it this way.
relieved (p. 183)	To feel happy because you are no longer worried about something.
superstitious (p. 215)	Influenced by beliefs that objects or actions can bring bad luck.
compromise (p. 233)	An agreement that occurs when everyone involved accepts less than they wanted at first.

Part 4	Student-friendly definition
consult (p. 237)	To ask for advice or information from someone or someplace that knows it well.
monastery (p. 240)	A place where monks live.
clench(ed) (p. 248)	To hold something tightly between your hands or teeth.
propelled (p. 248)	To move, drive, or push something forward.
incense (p. 251)	A substance that has a pleasant smell when you burn it.
eternal (p. 252)	Continuing forever and having no end.
intermingle (p. 257)	To mix together.