Chapters 9 and 10

(Underlining indicates a word or word form from the Academic Word List)

Target Vocabulary: Chapter 9

achievement n.: something that has been accomplished or done
chorus n.: a large group of singers or dancers in a performance
contain excitement v.: to keep excited feelings inside; to stay calm
finally adv.: at the end or conclusion
musical n.: a play in which songs are used to tell part of the story
offer v.: to propose or suggest something that may be accepted or not
role n.: a part or character in a play
schedule n.: a timetable; a list of things that have to be done at a certain time

Target Vocabulary: Chapter 10

accept v.: to say “yes” to something
affect v.: to have an effect on; to influence
anniversary n.: the date each year on which something in the past took place
apply v.: to seek admission or acceptance into a school or for a job
arrange v.: to plan or organize (as used here)
available adj: free, uncommitted
bulletin board n.: a place on a wall where notices and information are displayed
celebrate v.: to do something special to honor an occasion
coincidence n.: the happening of two events at the same time by chance
**conversation** n.: a talk with another person

**couple** n.: two people who are married, engaged, or dating seriously

**expect** v. to think something will happen

**finally** adv.: at last, after a long time

**job** n.: work, employment

**opportunity** n.: a chance for personal advancement or financial gain

**short-term basis** : not extending past a certain period of time; not permanent

**storage** n.: a place for keeping items until they are needed

**support** n.: help, either physical, financial, or emotional

**Activity 1: Definitions**

Look at the way each underlined word is used in each sentence. Match each underlined word with the correct definition.

1. Getting a perfect score on the test was a big **achievement**.
2. Was your power **affected** by the thunderstorm last night?
3. Are there any seats **available** on the next flight to Chicago?
4. What a **coincidence**, I was just going to call you!
5. The game **finally** ended in overtime.

1. achievement  a. events that accidentally happen at the same time
2. affected  b. at the end
3. available  c. influenced
4. coincidence  d. ready for use, present
5. finally e. something that has been done or accomplished

**Activity 2: Word Families**

Use the words given to fill in the word family chart. Some words will be used more than once. The first one has been done for you.

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Activity 3: Word Forms

Complete each sentence with one of the words below. Change the word form by adding -s, -ed, -ly, or -ing if necessary.

conversation  couple  job  role  schedule

1. I got a new _________ working at the supermarket.
2. They seemed like a very happy _________. They spent all their free time together.
3. We some interesting _________ about popular music and movies.
4. According to the bus _________, the next bus will be here in 10 minutes.
5. Actors love _________ where they get to play an unusual character.