Volume 2

Answer Key

1 Environment

A. Match Point (page 7)

2. a  3. g  4. i  5. c  6. f  7. e  8. h  9. d

B. Switch It Up (page 8)

2. gloomy  3. isolated  4. rescue  5. visibility  6. resources  7. sanitary  8. wind

C. Fill It In (page 9)

2. phenomenal; isolated; resources  3. contaminating; unsanitary; spill; rescue

D. What’s the Word? (page 10)

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E. Pick One Out (page 12)

2. provide 3. and rain
4. terrain 5. natural
6. operation 7. strange
8. energy 9. familiar

F. Get It Together (pages 13–14)

2. Global phenomena like hurricanes are changing their nature because of global warming.
3. The potential impact of the rise in sea levels has yet to be assessed.
4. Search and rescue teams need to be ready for more avalanches in the mountains due to increasing temperatures.
5. I have always loved the rugged coast of California’s Big Sur.
6. Our local ecosystem may remain stable if no more buildings are constructed.
7. Once you are in the gorillas’ territory, they could become aggressive.
8. The below-freezing temperatures seemed even colder because of the gusts of wind.

G. The Choice Is Yours (pages 15–17)

1. c 2. d 3. b 4. a
5. c 6. a 7. d 8. b

H. Sense or Nonsense? (page 18)


2 Media and the Arts

A. Match Point (page 26)

2. d 3. g 4. i 5. j 6. a
7. c 8. h 9. b 10. e

B. Fill It In (page 27)

2. tragic; focuses; chronological; rehearsing
3. nonsense; formatted

C. Off Base (pages 28–29)

2. focal 3. offensive
4. nonsensical 5. tragic
6. representation or portrayal 7. implicitly 8. censorship
9. ambiguously 10. vaguely

D. In the Wrong Place (page 29)

2. I enjoyed Nora Ephron’s portrayal of a strong female character. When Hollywood made her novel into a movie, the actors rehearsed a lot and the movie was a box office hit. It ends happily, with none of the characters left in an ambiguous situation.
3. Because her writing is on important current issues, many people love Marcia May’s blog. Everything she writes is illustrated with clear examples. In addition, her blog is very popular thanks to the writer’s sharp focus.
E. Complete the Thought (page 31)
2. focus attention on
3. a chronology of events
4. results indicate
5. a representative sample
6. human tragedy
7. does not necessarily imply
8. to address an issue

F. The Other Side of the Coin (pages 32–33)
2. clear implication
3. rehearsal room
4. human tragedy
5. moral ambiguity
6. faithful representation
7. studies indicate
8. focus on
9. raise an issue

G. The Choice Is Yours (pages 34–36)
1. b  2. c  3. a  4. c  5. a
6. b  7. d  8. a  9. b  10. c

H. Sense or Nonsense? (page 37)

3 Crime

A. Match Point (page 46)
2. e  3. d  4. f  5. j  6. c
7. i  8. b  9. g  10. h

B. Branching Out (pages 47–50)
1. b. execute
c. execution or executioner
d. executed
2. a. accused  b. accusingly
c. accusation  d. accuse
3. a. kidnap  b. kidnapped
c. kidnappers  d. kidnapping
4. a. corrupt
   b. corruptible or corrupt
c. corruption  d. corrupt
5. a. admit
   b. admits or admitted
c. admit  d. admission
6. a. motivate  b. motive
c. motivationally  d. motivational
7. a. scheming  b. scheme
c. schemed  d. scheming
8. a. conscience  b. conscientious
c. conscientiously  d. conscience

C. Switch It Up (page 51)
2. testify
3. confessed
4. suspicious
5. deceived
6. contradictory
7. motivated
8. conscience
D. Ducks in a Row (page 52)

3. In order to deal with criminal activity, report **suspicious** behavior to the police.

1. Crime is a universal problem because it is relatively common everywhere.

4. They will investigate the report in order to determine whether the person was falsely **accused** or not.

5. If the police are lucky, a person who commits the crime will feel guilty and will make a **confession**.

2. Criminal activity can range from lying to someone about the price of a sweater to **kidnapping** someone for ransom.

7. Depending on the crime, the **verdict** may be a light jail sentence, a prison sentence, or even death.

6. After the investigation, there is a trial where people give eyewitness **testimony**, and the jury decides if the accused is guilty or not.

F. Get It Together (pages 55–56)

2. Police corruption is not uncommon in certain areas. (Or, Police corruption in certain areas is not uncommon.)

3. Becky **accused** her classmate of cheating on the math test.

4. The police couldn't establish a **motive** for the murder.

5. Jack **signed** a confession in exchange for a reduced sentence.

6. Often strangers are **prime suspects** when a crime is committed in a quiet neighborhood.

7. The theft rate at convenience stores is relatively high. (Or, The theft rate is relatively high at convenience stores.)

8. The detective thought that the drug dealer was just **playing innocent**.

G. The Choice Is Yours (pages 57–59)

1. d 2. a 3. b 4. c 5. c 6. d 7. a 8. b 9. c 10. b

H. Sense or Nonsense? (page 60)

4 Education

A. Make the Connection (pages 68–69)

2. administrative

4. passionate

6. philosophy

8. debate

10. outcome

3. competent

5. omit

7. annoy

9. ratio

B. Off Base (page 70)

2. valid

4. annoying

6. insistence

8. evaluate

3. rude

5. predictable

7. associate

C. Fill It In (page 71)

2. philosophy

4. passionate

6. omit

8. outcomes

3. rude

5. tenured

7. evaluations

9. debate

D. What’s the Word? (page 72)

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F. Ducks in a Row (page 75)

2. Although the staff was doing an admirable job, especially the administrative assistant, there were problems with the number of faculty appointments.

4. The only problem was that the number of associate professors was higher than the number of full professors, and the president felt this was unacceptable.

6. The number of full-time positions that could be offered was the subject of debate for some time.

1. At Simonton College, each department in the Arts and Sciences had to undergo a program evaluation to improve working conditions for faculty and staff.

7. Finally, two tenure-track positions were posted online, and several professors applied for them.

3. The first program to be evaluated was the Philosophy Department.

5. The department found that this was a valid point and agreed to change it.

The order of items 2 & 3 may be reversed.

G. The Choice Is Yours (pages 76–78)

1. d 2. b 3. a 4. b 5. d

6. b 7. b 8. c 9. c 10. d

H. Sense or Nonsense? (page 79)


5 Housing and Architecture

A. Make the Connection (pages 86–87)

2. solar
4. utilitarian
6. neglectful
8. enlarge
10. insulation

3. sweep
5. affluent
7. inheritance

B. Off Base (pages 88–89)

2. leased
4. occupy
6. affluent
8. collapsed

3. enlarge
5. private
7. possesses

C. Switch It Up (pages 89–90)

2. occupy
4. enlarge
6. private
8. shelters

3. neglect
5. utilities
7. domestic
D. What’s the Word? (page 91)

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E. Not Meant To Be (page 93)

2. to renew a lease
3. private property
4. easy to install
5. manual labor
6. foam insulation
7. to provide shelter
8. utility bills
9. occupancy rates

5. A furnace is easy to install. It takes a great deal of manual labor to install a furnace.
6. Beautiful houses can provide shelter for the homeless. The homeless should not be cared for on private property.
7. Domestic violence is never an issue in affluent communities. Even the rich are not insulated from domestic violence.

F. Off the Mark (page 94)

2. The daughter of a wealthy family occupies an important position in society. She will be relatively affluent but not necessarily important.
3. A long-term lease agreement is better than a short-term one. If your house is not ready for occupation, you might prefer a short-term lease.
4. Privatized utilities are better than public utilities. Solar energy should be free for everyone since the sun belongs to all of us.

G. The Choice Is Yours (pages 95–97)

1. c  2. b  3. a  4. d  5. c  6. a  7. a  8. d  9. d  10. b

H. Sense or Nonsense? (page 98)

6 Recreation

A. Make the Connection (pages 106–7)
2. tent 3. sweaty
4. trail 5. obstacle
6. folk 7. echo
8. routine 9. assume
10. tense

B. Off Base (pages 108–9)
2. vigorous 3. assumes
4. routine 5. panicked
6. leisure 7. tense
8. postponed 9. encountered
10. pace

C. Switch It Up (page 110)
2. subsequent 3. tense
4. vigorously 5. assumption
6. leisurely 7. panic
8. primitive

D. What’s the Word? (page 111)

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E. Pick One Out (page 113)
2. someone’s attention 3. bullets
4. breakfast 5. pitch
6. change of 7. become
8. blazer 9. activity
10. a major

F. Ducks in a Row (page 114)
1. Many people like sports as a leisure activity, but my good friend Ted prefers dancing.
5. It was hard to keep pace with Ted as he jumped and twirled in the dances he prefers.
6. I guess Ted’s daily routine of practice and exercise is not for me!
3. Practicing for these performances involves vigorous exercise.
4. When I practiced with him one evening, beads of sweat broke out on my face.
2. Folk dance is Ted’s favorite kind of dancing, and he performs at the Folk Festival every year.
G. The Choice Is Yours  
(pages 115–17)  
1. b  2. a  3. d  4. c  5. a  
6. a  7. c  8. b  9. d  

H. Sense or Nonsense?  
(pages 118–19)  

7 Military  
A. Make the Connection  
(pages 128–29)  
2. frustration  3. obey  
4. resume  5. rebel  
6. victory  7. cessation  
8. reform  9. distribute  
10. marked  

B. Branching Out (pages 129–132)  
1. b. obedience  
   c. obedient  
   d. obediently  
2. a. frustrated  
   b. frustration  
   c. frustratingly  
   d. frustrating  
3. a. dignity  
   b. dignified  
   c. dignify  
   d. dignity  
4. a. bore  
   b. bear  
   c. bear  
   d. bearer  
5. a. retreats  
   b. retreating  
   c. retreated  
   d. retreat  
6. a. enforce  
   b. enforcement  
   c. enforce  
   d. enforceable or enforced  
7. a. rebel  
   b. rebellious  
   c. rebels  
   d. rebelliously  

C. Switch It Up (page 133)  
2. dignity  3. frustration  
4. involves  5. resume  
6. undisciplined  7. victory  
8. enforce  9. identification  
10. bore  

D. Fill It In (page 134)  
2. identify; advised; retreat  
3. discipline; obey; enforce  
4. campaigned; reform; resumed  

E. Complete the Thought  
(page 136)  
2. an air-bombing campaign  
3. strictly enforced  
4. a lack of discipline  
5. to bring dignity to  
6. victory over  
7. tougher enforcement  
8. marked the beginning of
F. Get It Together (pages 137–38)
2. Because modern-day warfare is so unfocused, neither side can ever ensure victory over the other.
3. A corporal does not bear the same responsibility as a general does for the troops.
4. The military offers advice to the president about whether to declare war or not.
5. The country led a bombing campaign against the rebels’ mountain headquarters.
6. The preparation of the local militia was in marked contrast to the standing army’s preparation.
7. ID tags are used for identification purposes in case a soldier is killed in combat.
8. The army is not a law enforcement agency.
9. Saeed’s sense of dignity made him very popular as a leader.

G. The Choice Is Yours (pages 139–41)
1. b 2. d 3. b 4. c 5. b
6. c 7. c 8. d 9. a 10. a

Other options may be argued for #2.

H. Sense or Nonsense? (page 142)

8 Government

A. Make the Connection (pages 150–51)
2. ban 3. appoint
4. block 5. alien
6. uneasy 7. propaganda
8. obligation 9. census

B. Fill It In (pages 152–53)
2. prohibit; Previously; aliens; uneasy; economy
3. appoints; obliged; affairs
4. communist; abolished or banned; banned or abolished; propaganda

C. Switch It Up (page 153)
2. advocates 3. alienates
4. prohibited 5. ban
6. socialist 7. abolished

D. Off Base (pages 154–55)
2. blocked 3. ban or prohibit
4. Previously 5. authoritative
6. obligation 7. advocate
8. propaganda 9. ban
10. appointed
E. Complete the Thought  
(page 157)

2. the previous administration  
3. to bolster the economy  
4. sense of obligations  
5. an uneasy alliance  
6. the period of transition  
7. to put affairs in order  
8. a contractual obligation

F. Get It Together (page 158–59)

2. There was a sense of unease in the square as the army tanks rolled in.  
3. Governor Jain will not run for re-election as previously reported.  
4. Many people lost their jobs during the transition to a new government.  
5. The favored candidate is a leading authority on international affairs.  
6. Many countries agreed to the nuclear test ban treaty.  
7. Government officials have a sense of obligation to the people who elected them.  
8. According to census data, the number of immigrants is rising.

G. The Choice Is Yours  
(pages 160–62)

1. b 2. c 3. d 4. a 5. b  
6. b 7. c 8. d 9. b 10. d

H. Sense or Nonsense? (page 163)