**Unit 7**

1. integral (adj) necessary to complete the whole
2. morbid (adj) gruesome
3. obscure (adj) unclear or hard to perceive
4. ostentatious (adj) showy in an arrogant manner or intended to attract notice
5. paradox (n) a statement or situation that contradicts itself
6. pensive (adj) full of serious or sad thought
7. plausible (adj) believable or seemingly truthful
8. precarious (adj) dependent on the will of others; “on shaky ground”
9. stagnant (adj) stale and motionless and sluggish
10. transparent (adj) sheer or easily seen through

**Part 2**

Please answer each question in three to five sentences. Use the targeted word in your response.

1. In your opinion, what is integral to being a good student?
2. Do you think the serial killers were born morbid or do you think that they become that way?
3. What is the most obscure allusion in a song you have ever heard?
4. Describe a common paradox.
5. Do you feel that people are ostentatious because they are insecure? Or, do you feel that if you have money, you should show it? Why?
6. What makes you pensive? Why?
7. Describe the most plausible excuse that your parent or guardian has believed—even though it is false.
8. Describe the most precarious situation that you have overcome.
9. If you were on a desert island and the only source of fresh water was a stagnant pool, would you drink from it? Why?
10. Do you believe that you have to be absolutely transparent with your significant other or do you feel that you have to always tell the truth?

**Part 4**

Create an illustration for each word. It may be a stick figure or something simple. Write the word under the illustration.

**Part 6**

Create concept maps for each word. You should have one stem and three ideas. Be sure to have a phrase for the stem.

Example:

Ostentatious People

1. All of the Kardashians (Including Kanye)
2. Miley
3. Donald Trump

**Part 8**

Complete the crossword attached.