



Fill in the missing letters to create words from your spelling list.

persuasive	pathetic	rational	ethical
sympathy	convincing	credible	empathy
expert	logical		

- 1) \_ a t h \_ \_ i \_ \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) r \_ \_ i \_ n a \_ \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) e m \_ a \_ h \_ \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) c \_ e d \_ b \_ \_ \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) \_ o \_ \_ \_ a l \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) c \_ \_ v i \_ \_ i n g \_\_\_\_\_
- 7) \_ \_ \_ s u a s \_ \_ e \_\_\_\_\_
- 8) e \_ h i \_ \_ l \_\_\_\_\_
- 9) e x p \_ \_ \_ \_\_\_\_\_
- 10) \_ y m \_ a t \_ \_ \_\_\_\_\_

- Answers**
1. \_\_\_\_\_
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Determine which word best completes the sentence.

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- 1) I expressed \_\_\_\_\_ because I had a similar experience.
- 2) I cannot have a logical, \_\_\_\_\_ discussion with my delusional aunt.
- 3) I expressed my \_\_\_\_\_ with a nice card.
- 4) It is not \_\_\_\_\_ to cheat on a test.
- 5) Use \_\_\_\_\_ arguments to get what you want.
- 6) A \_\_\_\_\_ source is reliable.
- 7) I tried \_\_\_\_\_ my parents to let me go to the movie.
- 8) He was an \_\_\_\_\_ in his field.
- 9) The small child looked \_\_\_\_\_ shivering in the cold.
- 10) After much study, I came to a rational, \_\_\_\_\_ conclusion.

- Answers**
1. \_\_\_\_\_
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Unscramble each of the words.

persuasive	ethical	credible	expert
pathetic	sympathy	empathy	logical
rational	convincing		

- 1) eerdicbl \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) anaitlro \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) gconvninic \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) tcipeaht \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) atsymyhp \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) hptmeya \_\_\_\_\_
- 7) prtexe \_\_\_\_\_
- 8) pevrsaesui \_\_\_\_\_
- 9) golalci \_\_\_\_\_
- 10) ahcelit \_\_\_\_\_

Answers

1. \_\_\_\_\_
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Match the definition to the spelling word.

persuasive	ethical	credible	expert
pathetic	sympathy	empathy	logical
rational	convincing		

- 1) sensible, clear
- 2) heartbreaking, pitiful
- 3) solid, powerful, evident
- 4) understanding, compassion
- 5) honorable, correct
- 6) "I've been there. I know how you feel."
- 7) balanced, reasonable
- 8) believable, trustworthy
- 9) experienced, skilled
- 10) compelling, altering

Answers

1. \_\_\_\_\_
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