

UNIT 7 – PRIDE & PREJUDICE

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LEXICAL ITEM	SYNONYM / DEFINITION	GREEK TRANSLATION
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to revolve	rotate, to go around	περιστρέφομαι
depiction	portrayal	απεικόνιση
overbearing	controlling, bossy	αυταρχικός
bookish	studious, who enjoys studying-reading	μελετηρός, βιβλιοφάγος
immature	childish	ανώριμος
to inherit	to come into, to receive from a predecessor	κληρονομώ
trial	difficulty	δοκιμασία
tribulation	adversity, trouble	δοκιμασία, ταλαιπωρία
gossip	informal talk	κουτσομπολιό
spirited	lively	ενθουσιώδης, ζωήρος
prejudiced	biased	μεροληπτικός
pompous	self-important	επιδεικτικός
intriguing	fascinating, interesting	ενδιαφέρων
to chart	to track progress	καταγράφω
hasty	too fast	βιαστικός
superficial	shallow	επιφανειακός
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wealthy	rich, affluent	πλούσιος, ευκατάστατος
manor	mansion/ large country house with lands	έπαυλη
stir	excited reaction, disturbance	αναταραχή
fussy	hard to satisfy or please	δύσκολος, απαιτητικός
a gossip	sb who enjoys talking about other people	κουτσομπόλης
sort	type	είδος
to acknowledge	to accept or admit the truth of sth	αναγνωρίζω, παραδέχομαι
possession	ownership	κατοχή, κυριότητα
fortune	property	περιουσία
to be in want of	to need	χρειάζομαι, έχω ανάγκη
to obtain	to get, to acquire	αποκτώ
spouse	husband or wife	σύζυγος
to call on	to visit sb	κάνω σύντομη επίσκεψη

ball	large formal party with dancing	χορός, χοροεσπερίδα
to attend	to be present at	παρευρίσκομαι
to exclaim	to say sth suddenly and loudly	αναφωνώ
creature	person	πλάσμα, ύπαρξη
to behold	to look at sb/sth	κοιτάζω
tolerable	fairly good, mediocre, bearable	ανεκτός, υποφερτός
handsome	attractive, beautiful	όμορφος
to tempt	to attract, to entice	δελεάζω
to proceed	to advance, to go on	προχωρώ
to declare	to say officially or publicly	δηλώνω
to slight	to snub, to treat with inattention, to ignore	σνομπάρω, αδιαφορώ για κπ
immediate	without delay	άμεσος
well-bred	of good upbringing, having or showing good manners	με καλή ανατροφή
amiable	friendly, likeable	φιλικός, προσιτός
tenant	renter/ person who pays rent for the use of a room/house	ενοικιαστής
steady	firmly fixed	σταθερός
to illustrate sth	to depict, to demonstrate	απεικονίζω
respective	of each/belonging separately to each of two or more people/things	αντίστοιχος
tactful	discreet, diplomatic	διακριτικός
dull	boring	βαρετός
to exchange	to reciprocally give	ανταλλάσσω
to befriend sb	to become sb's friend	γίνομαι φίλος με κπ
to conceal	to hide	αποκρύπτω
fashion	manner of doing sth	τρόπος
to ridicule	to mock, to make fun of	κοροϊδεύω, γελοιοποιώ
resentment	anger about sth that you think is unfair, bitterness, ill will	μνησικακία, κακή πρόθεση
propensity	tendency to a particular kind of behavior	τάση
to monopolize	to dominate, to take the greatest share of	μονοπολώ
to pile upon	to give sb a lot of sth, to fill with	στοιβάζω
impetuous	impulsive; rash	επιπόλαιος, παρορμητικός
to entangle	to involve sb in in a difficult situation	εμπλέκω
virtue	quality considered desirable in a person	αρετή
air	tune or short melodious song	μελωδία
pianoforte	a piano	πίανο
inferiority	of a lower rank/state of not being as good as sb else	κατωτερότητα
respectable	regarded by society to be good or	αξιοσέβαστος

	correct	
line	having common ancestry/connected series of people following one another in time	οικογένεια, γενιά
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literal	accurate, actual, not figurative	κυριολεκτικός
contemporary	modern	σύγχρονος
commonplace	ordinary	κοινότυπος, συνηθισμένος
apparent	obvious	εμφανές
to justify	to give reason for	αιτιολογώ, δικαιολογώ
accomplishment	skill	επιδεξιότητα
affection	fondness	στοργή, τρυφερότητα
to pursue	to try to attain	«κυνηγάω», προσπαθώ να αποκτήσω
cunning	deceptive, sly / smart, clever	πονηρός / ευφυής
hypocrisy	false morality	υποκρισία
at play	active or existing as sthg to be considered	σε ισχύ
spark	intense feeling	σπίθα, έντονο συναίσθημα
temperament	character, disposition	ιδιοσυγκρασία
vigor	energy, vitality	διάθεση για ζωή, σφρίγος
preconceived	already formed	προϋπάρχον
hostility	enmity	έχθρα
unjust	unfair	άδικος, αδικαιολόγητος
unfounded	not based on fact	αθεμελίωτος, αβάσιμος
to transcend	to go beyond	ξεπερνάω, υπερβαίνω
namely	specifically	δηλαδή, πιο συγκεκριμένα
perspective	outlook, mental view	προοπτική
to withdraw	remove, draw away	αποσύρω
utmost	maximum effort	“τα δυνατά μου”
composure	self-control	αυτοκυριαρχία, αυτοσυγκράτηση
to spare sb sth	not impose	απαλλάσσω κπ από κτ
to start	to startle	ξαφνιάζομαι
standing	reputation	φήμη, υπόληψη
despicably	causing hatred	απαίσια, φρικτά, άθλια
discernment	judgment, ability to select	διορατικότητα, οξυδέρκεια
to disdain	to treat with contempt	περιφρονώ

candour	honesty	ειλικρίνεια
to gratify	to please, satisfy	ικανοποιώ, δίνω χαρά
vanity	conceit	ματαιοδοξία, έπαρση
blamable	deserving to be blamed	κατακριτέος
mistrust	lack of confidence in sb	δυσπιστία
humiliating	shaming	ταπεινωτικό
humiliation	shame	ταπείνωση
wretchedly	miserably	οικτρά, αξιοθρήνητα, ελεεινά
folly	foolishness, mistake	ανοησία, απερισκεψία
offended	insulted, with hurt feelings	προσβεβλημένος
neglect	lack of attention	παραμέληση
to court	to flirt, to pursue sb romantically	φλερτάρω
prepossession	preoccupation	έγνοια, ανησυχία
in principle	in theory, theoretically	στη θεωρία
temper	mood	διάθεση
principles	moral tenets, personal rules	αρχές
conceit	arrogance	έπαρση, αλαζονεία
spoilt	overly pampered	κακομαθημένος
benevolent	kind and charitable	καλοπροαίρετος & φιλάνθρωπος
meanly	unkindly, in an unkind way	κακοπροαίρετα
advantageous	beneficial	επωφελής
humbled	made to feel humility	ταπεινωμένος
reception	acceptance	αποδοχή
pretension	supposed claim	αξίωση, βλέψη, φιλοδοξία
to cloud	to obscure	θολώνω
upbringing	the way a child is raised	ανατροφή
quotation	quoted words	λόγια τρίτων, παράθεση
self-actualiser	a person who accepts themselves and others as they are	αυτός που αποδέχεται τον εαυτό του και τους άλλους όπως ακριβώς είναι
self-actualisation	self-fulfillment, a person's desire to use all their abilities to achieve and be everything that they possibly can.	αυτοπραγμάτωση
flaw	defect	ελάττωμα
misperception	false perception	λανθασμένη αντίληψη

