**Vocabulary**

**Due 2-18-21**

**Match the definitions on the second page to the words, placing the appropriate letter in the space provided.**

\_\_\_\_ 1. sagacious \_\_\_\_ 11. absolution

\_\_\_\_ 2. wanton \_\_\_\_ 12. taciturn

\_\_\_\_ 3. eschew \_\_\_\_ 13. loquacious

\_\_\_\_ 4. hypochondriacal \_\_\_\_ 14. puerile

\_\_\_\_ 5. vicarious \_\_\_\_ 15. meticulous

\_\_\_\_ 6. penultimate \_\_\_\_ 16. clemency

\_\_\_\_ 7. quixotic \_\_\_\_ 17. conflagration

\_\_\_\_ 8. ineluctable \_\_\_\_ 18. impetuous

\_\_\_\_ 9. sagacity \_\_\_\_ 19. assuage

\_\_\_\_10. bibulous \_\_\_\_ 20. abrogate

1. Performed, exercised, received, or suffered in place of another
2. Acuteness of mental discernment and soundness of judgment.
3. Talking or tending to talk much or freely; talkative; chattering; babbling; garrulous
4. A destructive fire, usually an extensive one.
5. Having or showing acute mental discernment and keen practical sense; shrewd
6. Next to the last
7. Act of freeing from blame or guilt; release from consequences, obligations, or penalties.
8. The quality of or the disposition to show forbearance, compassion, or forgiveness in judging or punishing; leniency; mercy.
9. Done, shown, used, etc., maliciously or unjustifiably: without regard for what is right, just, humane, etc.; careless; reckless
10. Incapable of being evaded; inescapable
11. Taking or showing extreme care about minute details; precise; thorough
12. To abstain or keep away from; shun; avoid
13. Inclined to silence; reserved in speech; reluctant to join in conversation.
14. To abolish by formal or official means; annul by an authoritative act; repeal
15. Of or relating to a child or to childhood
16. Extravagantly chivalrous or romantic; visionary, impractical, or impracticable; resembling or befitting Don Quixote.
17. Pertaining to or suffering from an excessive preoccupation with and worry about one's health
18. Fond of or addicted to drink
19. To make milder or less severe; relieve; ease; mitigate
20. Of, relating to, or characterized by sudden or rash action, emotion, etc.; impulsive