

English 10A  
American Literature  
Vocabulary 13

Define the following words:

1. insolent    arrogant, insulting
2. insular    like an island, isolated
3. insurgent    a rebel, someone who revolts against the government
4. intransigent    uncompromising, stubborn
5. intrinsic    part of the essential nature of something, inherent, innate
6. introspective    tending to think about oneself, examining one's feelings
7. inundate    to flood, to overwhelm, to cover completely with water
8. invective    insulting or abusive speech
9. irascible    easily angered or provoked, irritable
10. irrevocable-    irreversible
11. itinerant    moving from place to place
12. judicious    exercising sound judgement
13. juxtapose    to place side by side
14. kinetic    having to do with motion, lively, active
15. labyrinth    a maze, something like a maze
16. laconic    using few words, especially to the point of seeming rude
17. lampoon    to satirize, to mock, to parody
18. languish    to become weak, listless, or depressed
19. largess    generous giving of gifts, generosity, philanthropy
20. latent    present but not visible or apparent, potential from work