

## Session 17

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The last session of part I !!!

### 1. knowing

(L) *scio*, to know

(L) *sciens*, knowing

*conscience*

a person's moral sense of right and wrong, viewed as acting as a guide to one's behaviour.

"he had a guilty conscience about his desires"

*unconscionable*

not right or reasonable

syn: *immoral*

*unconscionableness/unconscionability*

*conscious*

knowledge or awareness of one's emotions or sensations, or of what's happening around one.

*conscientious*

wishing to do one's work or duty well and thoroughly.

"a conscientious man, he took his duties very seriously"

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*science*

(L) *omnis*, all

*omniscient*

all-knowing, possessed of infinite knowledge.

*omniscience*

*pre-*, before

*prescient*

knowing about events before they occur

*prescience*

*nescient*

not knowing, ignorant

### 2. fool

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*Glib* liars are smooth and slippery; they have ready answers, fluent tongues, a persuasive air -- but, such is the implication of the word, they fool only the most *nescient*, for their smoothness lacks sincerity and conviction.

*glibness*

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## 3. herd and flocks

(L) *grex, gregis*, herd or flock

An *egregious* (lie, act, crime, mistake) etc. is so exceptionally vicious (serious or dangerous) that it conspicuously stands out from the herd or flock of other bad things.

**def.** outstandingly bad; shocking.

A person who enjoys companionship, who, ety., likes to be with the *herd*, who reaches out for friends and is happiest when surrounded by people -- such a person is *gregarious*.

**def.** (of a person) fond of company; sociable.

"he was a popular and gregarious man"

*congregate*

**def.** gather into a crowd or mass.

"some 4,000 demonstrators had congregated at a border point"

*congregation*

*se-*, apart

*segregate*

**def.** set apart from the rest or from each other; isolate or divide.

*ad-*, to, toward (*ad-* changes to *ag-* before a root starting with *g-*)

*aggregate* *v, adj, n.*  
verb

↳ to come together to or toward the herd

to gather into a mass or whole

to total or amount to

noun

a group or mass of individuals considered as a whole, a *herd*, or a *flock*

see <https://www.merriam-webster.com/dictionary/aggregate>  
for more details

