LA 4 Vocabulary 1 “Leiningen vs. the Ants” Name: Hr.

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| Word | Teacher Definition | Connotation(+, -, or n.) | Picture/ Example | synonyms |
| 1. implore(verb) | To beseech or beg strongly  |  |  |  |
| 2. alluvium(noun) | Sediment that is deposited by a current |  |  |  |
| 3. fomentation(noun) | Substance that is applied to treat an injury  |  |  |  |
| 4. placid(adjective) | A calm manner |  |  |  |
| 5. malaise(noun)  | A feeling of illness or discontent |  |  |  |
| 6. annihilation(noun) | The total destruction of something |  |  |  |
| 7. mandibles(noun) | The lower jaw of an animal or insect |  |  |  |
| 8. intermittent(adjective) | Something that happens from time to time |  |  |  |
| 9. saurian(noun) | Any form of a reptile that resembles a lizard |  |  |  |
| 10. obstinate(adjective) | Refusing to change one’s mind, opinion, or behavior |  |  |  |
| 11. moored(verb) | Affixed in a stable place; unmoving |  |  |  |
| 12. ravenous(adjective) | To be extremely hungry |  |  |  |
| 13. peril(noun) | Exposure to risk or harm |  |  |  |
| 14. primal(adjective) | A basic need; a place |  |  |  |
| 15. denizen (s)(noun)**HONORS +5**  | **A resident of a place****Definition/P.O.S.** | **My Own Definition** | **Synonym** | **Antonym** |
| 1. Effusive |  |  |  |  |
| 2. Antipathy |  |  |  |  |
| 3. Progenitor |  |  |  |  |
| 4. Myopic |  |  |  |  |
| 5. Affable |  |  |  |  |