

Advanced Composition Word List
Week 23 (Tuesday, Feb 28, 2006)

1. **Immutable** – *Adj.* Not subject or susceptible to change
2. **Impalpable** – *Adj.* Not perceptible to the touch; intangible
3. **Impasse** – *N.* A situation that is so difficult that no progress can be made
4. **Impassive** – *Adj.* Having or revealing little emotion or sensibility
5. **Impecunious** – *Adj.* Lacking money; penniless
6. **Impediment** – *N.* Something that interferes with or delays action or progress
7. **Impenitent** – *Adj.* Not remorseful
8. **Imperious** – *Adj.* Arrogantly overbearing; able to deal with authoritative affairs
9. **Impermeable** – *Adj.* Impossible to spread or flow
10. **Imperturbable** – *Adj.* Unshakably calm and collected; cool
11. **Impervious** – *Adj.* Incapable of being penetrated
12. **Impetuous** – *Adj.* Having or marked by violent force
13. **Impetus** – *N.* An impulse, or a force or energy that moves something along
14. **Impinge** – *V.* To collide or strike
15. **Impious** – *Adj.* Lacking piety or reverence for a god
16. **Implacable** – *Adj.* Impossible to appease
17. **Implement** – *N.* A mean of achieving an end; to put into practical effect, also a tool
18. **Impolitic** – *Adj.* Not wise or not politic
19. **Imponderable** – *Adj.* hat cannot undergo precise evaluation
20. **Importunate** – *Adj.* Troublesomely urgent or persistent in requesting
21. **Impregnable** – *Adj.* Able to withstand attack, and impossible to take by storm
22. **Improvident** – *Adj.* Not providing for the future
23. **Impugn** – *V.* To attack as false or questionable
24. **Impute** – *V.* To assign as a characteristic; credit
25. **Inalienable** – *Adj.* That cannot be transferred to another or others
26. **Inarticulate** – *Adj.* Without or deprived of the use of speech or words
27. **Incantation** – *N.* Ritual recitation of spells to produce a magic effect
28. **Incarnate** – *Adj.* Invested with bodily nature and form, or to make concrete and real
29. **Incendiary** – *Adj.* Causing or capable of causing fire
30. **Inception** – *N.* The beginning of something