## **Opposites Test and Learning**

Choose the word on the right which is most opposite in meaning to the word on the left.

This is a combination test and learning exercise. You may not get them all right, don't worry, learn those you have got wrong.

- **Tips** watch out for synonyms remember, you are looking for the opposite word. Synonyms may be included to confuse you.
  - Watch out for words that are not spelt correctly. Choose the one that is correct
  - Watch out for homophones e.g. waste/waist. Remember to think about the meaning of the word.

| HUMBLE    | menial      | modest    | arrogant  | successful |
|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| CURSE     | hate        | bless     | blasphemy | harangue   |
| TRIVIAL   | unimportant | incident  | error     | serious    |
| DISPERSE  | scatter     | dispel    | gather    | associate  |
| FOREIGNER | consular    | immigrant | resident  | native     |
| STRONG    | feeble      | virile    | sinewy    | fearful    |
| SHRINK    | shrivel     | elongate  | wither    | taper      |
| GUILTY    | inocent     | culprit   | innocent  | victim     |
| VENGEFUL  | vindictive  | angry     | forgiving | calm       |
| DESTROY   | endow       | demolish  | repair    | conserve   |

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## **Opposites Test Answers**

Arrogant

Bless

Serious

Gather

Native

Feeble

Elongate

Innocent

Forgiving

Conserve