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## Precision Rescue Answer Key

Note: Many revisions can be correct if the advanced vocabulary is used accurately.

1. The coach's **patronizing** lecture about teamwork made everyone roll their eyes.
2. Our group was **outraged** by the unfair grade, so we filed a complaint.
3. The principal's email was **detailed**, with three long paragraphs of explanations.
4. The documentary was **inspiring** and quickly became **widely discussed** at school.
5. She **postponed** her homework until midnight, which increased her stress.
6. The speaker's claim was not **empirical**; it was based on personal feelings rather than data.
7. The historian was not **impartial**, as the essay openly insulted one side.
8. The cafeteria was **chaotic** during lunch when trays crashed and students shouted.
9. His argument was not **coherent**; it jumped between points and contradicted itself.
10. The new rule will not **mitigate** the problem; it will **exacerbate** it by making it worse.

### Teacher's Guide

- **Instructional goal:** Help students strengthen academic precision by correcting high-level vocabulary misuse without overcomplicating the sentence.
- **Suggested pacing:** 8 to 10 minutes
- **Assessment tips**
  - Prioritize meaning accuracy and correct use of vocabulary over using the fanciest possible replacement.
  - Watch for common errors: using a synonym with the wrong connotation, changing the meaning of the original sentence, and adding unnecessary complexity.