

## Day 27

### ☉ Vocab Review

**Answer Key:** 1. obligations 2. intricacies 3. top-notch 4. limitations 5. required 6. core 7. marketplace

### ☉ WORDS IN CONTEXT

**Answer Key:**

A stapler is a (device) used for joining sheets of paper by (driving) a thin metal (staple) through the sheets and (folding) the ends.

Being a (hallmark) of office supplies for (decades), the stapler has hardly ever made remarkable (innovation). Being used to its technique of (piercing) sheets, not so many people may have imagined a staple-free stapler would come into existence.

A staple-free stapler reduces the amount of metal (discarded) into the environment. It also means no staple (jams), accidental (snags) of clothing and fingers, and a small amount of (hassle) to pull apart the pages.

A staple-free stapler, however, will (attach) only a few sheets, about five at maximum. The fastening itself is not as strong as a metal staple; the pages might be more easily pulled apart and (vulnerable) to mix-up or loss. For long-term (storage) of important documents, you should choose a metal staple because it provides a more permanent (bond).

### ☉ Match each definition (A – P) with today's vocabulary word (1 – 16)

**Answer Key:**

A-15; B-11; C-14; D-6; E-12; F-16; G-8; H-1; I-7; J-3; K-4; L-9; M-13; N-2; O-10; P-5

### ☉ Gap-filling Exercise

**Answer Key:** 1. device 2. snag 3. jams 4. vulnerable 5. hassle 6. innovations