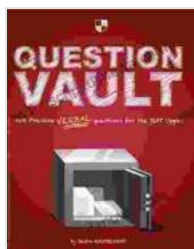


# 450 Practice Verbal Questions For The SSAT Upper: An In-Depth Guide to Mastering the Verbal Section

The SSAT Upper Level Verbal section is a crucial component of the exam, testing students' vocabulary, reasoning, and language skills. With our comprehensive guide, you'll have access to 450 practice questions designed to sharpen your abilities and boost your score.

## Chapter 1: Synonyms and Antonyms

Synonyms and antonyms are the foundation of verbal reasoning. Our practice questions will challenge you to identify the correct synonyms and antonyms for a wide range of words commonly found on the SSAT Upper Level Verbal section.



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## Synonyms and Antonyms

Antonyms are words that have opposite meanings.

- **Warm** is an antonym for **cool**.
- **Strong** is an antonym for **weak**.

Synonyms are words that have similar meanings.

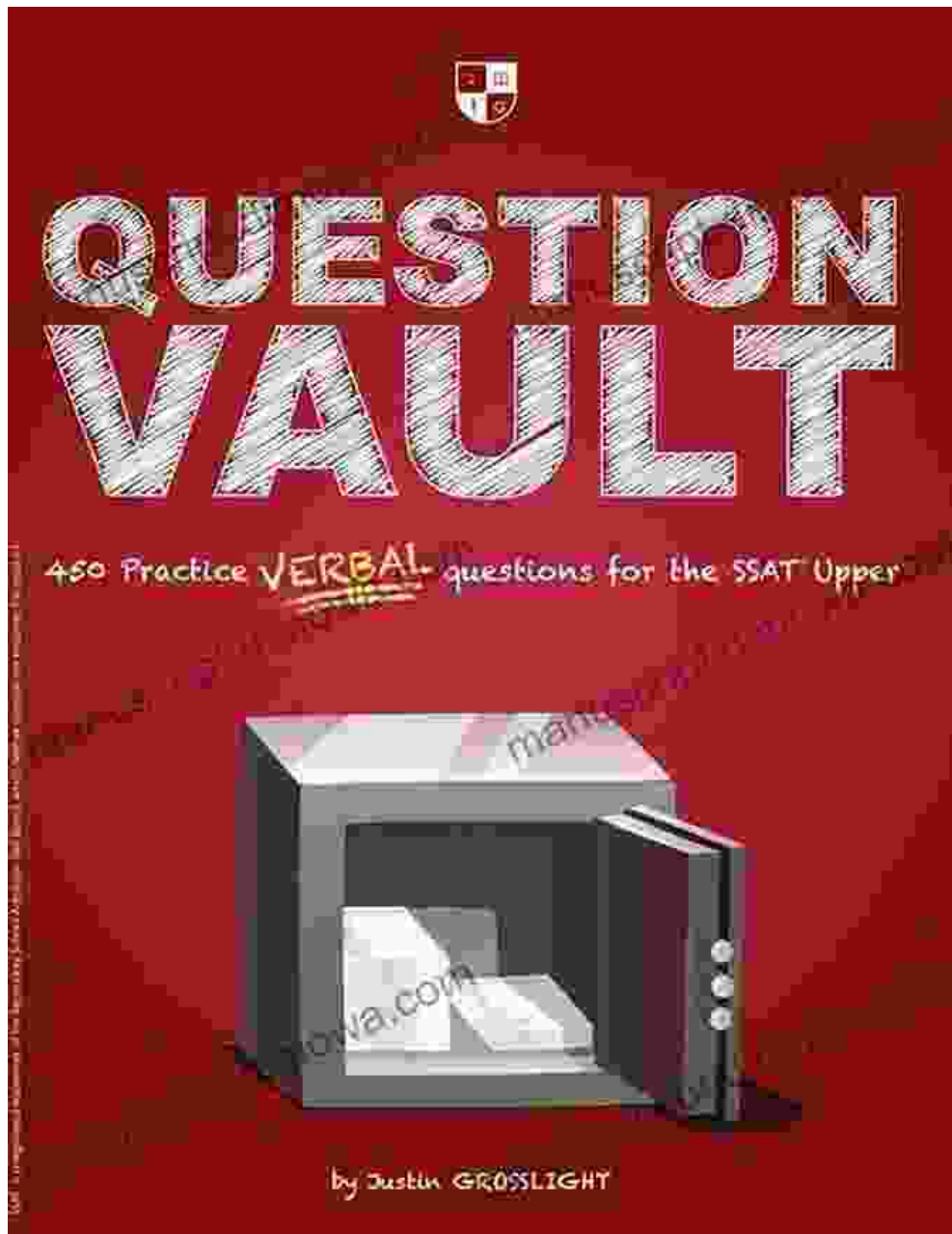
- **Huge** is a synonym for **gigantic**.
- **Soft** is a synonym for **quiet**.

Tell whether each pair of words are synonyms or antonyms. Write "synonyms" or "antonyms" on each line.

1. unusual / odd \_\_\_\_\_
2. bright / dim \_\_\_\_\_
3. happy / unhappy \_\_\_\_\_
4. soaked / dry \_\_\_\_\_
5. ancient / old \_\_\_\_\_
6. fast / speedy \_\_\_\_\_
7. icy / freezing \_\_\_\_\_
8. remember / forget \_\_\_\_\_
9. illness / sickness \_\_\_\_\_
10. delicious / yummy \_\_\_\_\_
11. draw / sketch \_\_\_\_\_
12. friend / enemy \_\_\_\_\_

## Chapter 2: Analogies

Mastering analogies is essential for success on the SSAT Upper Level. Our practice questions will guide you through various types of analogies, including proportional, classification, and cause-and-effect relationships.



### **Chapter 3: Sentence Completion**

Sentence completion questions test your ability to fill in the blank with the most appropriate word or phrase. Our practice questions will expose you to different sentence structures and word combinations to hone your language skills.

## Sentence Completion Test

ROBIN HEDDERLY

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Class/Room: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1. I like \_\_\_\_\_

2. The happiest time \_\_\_\_\_

3. I want to know \_\_\_\_\_

4. At home \_\_\_\_\_

5. At night time \_\_\_\_\_

6. I am sorry for \_\_\_\_\_

7. The best \_\_\_\_\_

8. Boys \_\_\_\_\_

9. What upsets me \_\_\_\_\_

10. People \_\_\_\_\_

11. A mother \_\_\_\_\_

12. I like \_\_\_\_\_

13. My greatest fear \_\_\_\_\_

14. In my previous school \_\_\_\_\_

15. I can't \_\_\_\_\_

16. Spent \_\_\_\_\_

17. When I was younger \_\_\_\_\_

## Chapter 4: Reading Comprehension

Reading comprehension is a vital part of the SSAT Upper Level Verbal section. Our practice questions feature challenging passages from various academic disciplines, helping you develop your reading speed, comprehension, and analytical abilities.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Reading Comprehension Practice Test

Directions: Read the short story. Read each question and mark or write the correct answer.



#### The Big Game

Jen is on a baseball team. There are ten kids on her team. They are called the West Cows. Their shirts and hats are green.

Today is their big baseball game. They play the South Robins. Their shirts and hats are red. The Robins were the best team last year.

The Cows want to be the best team this year. First, they have to beat the Robins. Jen feels happy and scared. She loves to play baseball. She is afraid the Cows will lose.

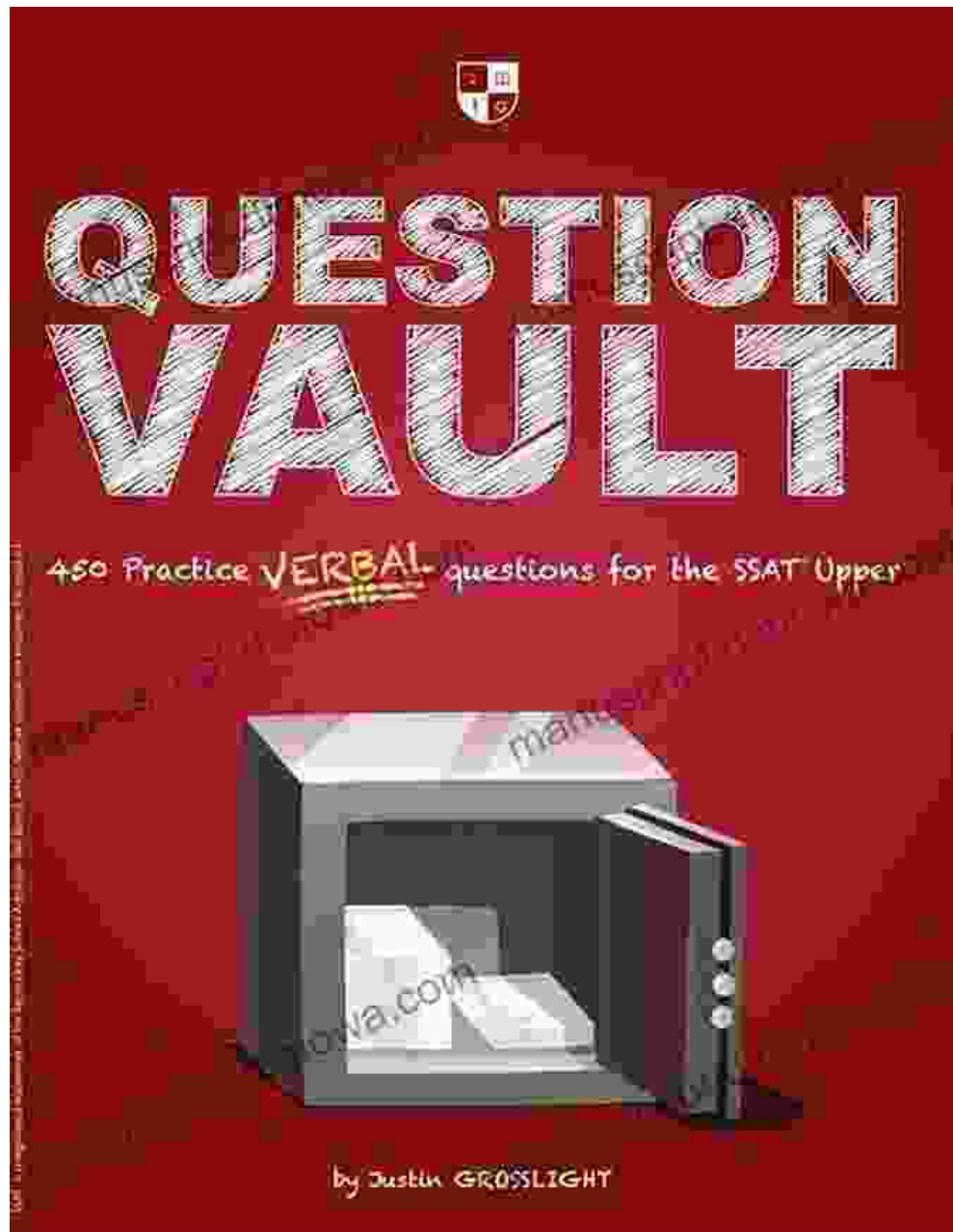
The score is four to four. It is a tie game. It is Jen's turn to hit. She steps up to the plate. The ball comes fast. Jen hits the ball far. She gets to third base. John was in front of her. He gets to home plate. The Cows win!

1. What sport does Jen play?  
 Basketball  
 Softball  
 Baseball
2. Which team was the best last year?  
 The Robins  
 The Cows  
 West
3. When is the big game?  
 Next week  
 Today  
 Tomorrow
4. What is Jen afraid of?  
 Her team will lose  
 Hitting the ball  
 Green hats
5. The Cows were the red team.  
 True  
 False
6. Jen loves baseball.  
 True  
 False
7. The Robins won the game.  
 True  
 False
8. Why does Jen feel scared?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
9. Who is winning when Jen is at bat?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. Who scored the winning run for the Cows?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



## Chapter 5: Vocabulary Builder

Vocabulary is key to success on the SSAT Upper Level. Our guide includes a comprehensive vocabulary builder with over 1,000 words commonly found on the exam, along with their definitions and usage examples.



## Chapter 6: Sample Tests and Diagnostic Tool

To assess your progress, we provide six full-length practice tests that simulate the actual SSAT Upper Level Verbal section. Our diagnostic tool analyzes your performance, pinpointing areas for improvement.

### Diagnostic Assessment Tools in English – Summary of the tools

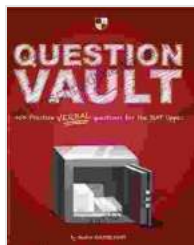
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			Oral (10 min)	Written (10 min)	Task (10 min)	
<b>Early literacy in English tools</b>						
<b>Admission tests</b>						
Full Learning Strategy (FLS) (2018)	Signposting	Assessment 1 (10 min) – Admission (10 min) – Handwriting (10 min)	✓			30 minutes
	Handwriting and Signposting (Level 2)	Assessment 1 (10 min) – Admission (10 min) – Handwriting (10 min)	✓			30 minutes
<b>Learning Strategy (LS) (2018)</b>						
Full Learning Strategy (FLS) (2018)	Signposting	Assessment 1 (10 min) – Comprehension (10 min) – Oral (10 min) – Handwriting (10 min)	✓			30 minutes
	Handwriting	Assessment 1 (10 min) – Comprehension (10 min) – Signposting (10 min)	✓			30 minutes
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### Benefits of Our Guide

- \* 450 practice questions covering all aspects of the SSAT Upper Level Verbal section
- \* Comprehensive chapter breakdowns for targeted preparation
- \* In-depth explanations for correct and incorrect answers
- \* Comprehensive vocabulary builder for enhanced word knowledge
- \* Sample tests and diagnostic tool for personalized feedback

With our 450 Practice Verbal Questions For The SSAT Upper, you'll gain the confidence and skills necessary to ace the Verbal section. Prepare strategically, practice diligently, and triumph on your path to SSAT Upper Level success!

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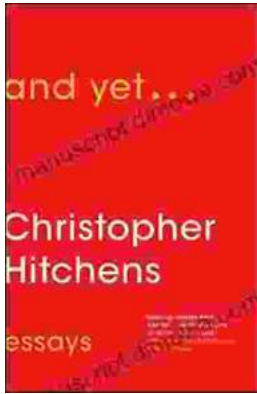
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