

**Vocabulary List 5A - English 9**

**Directions:** Part 1: Match the definition with the word by looking it up in the dictionary. Part 2: Put the word in a sentence without using the "Be Verbs". The "Be Verbs" are - ***am, are, is, was, were, be, being, been.*** Your sentences **MUST** show that you know what the word means **AND** be **100% grammatically correct!**

*TRACT: to draw or pull*

1. tractor: n.
  
2. retract: verb. (as "retract that statement")
  
3. detract: v. (as "detracts from the beauty of..")

*PEND: hang*

4. pendulum: n.
  
5. suspend: v.
  
6. appendix: n.
  
7. impending: adj.

*ASTER /ASTRO: star*

8. asteroid: adj.
  
9. astrology: n.
  
10. astronomy: n.

## **DEFINITIONS**

- A. drawn back or in
- B. extra material added to the end of a book
- C. hanging over one, as doom
- D. like a star; n. a small body that rotates around the sun
- E. powerful motor-driven vehicle for pulling machinery
- F. science of heavenly bodies (stars, planets, etc.)
- G. something hung as to swing freely
- H. the study of the stars as having an influence on one's destiny (horoscopes)
- I. to draw away from
- J. to hang by a support; to exclude from school