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James Forten Vocabulary Worksheet

captives dread abolitionists influential privateer tacking apprentice
conflict enslavement encouraged assisted

1. The _____ has been learning under that master for two years.
2. If you are in a boat and you suddenly turn left, you are _____.
3. All of the _____ wanted to get out but they were in chains.
4. I _____ the old woman to cross the street.
5. When your team says, "You can do it!" they _____ you.
6. The _____ wanted everyone to have freedom.
7. A(n) _____ is a ship not in the Navy but works for the Navy.
8. There is a _____ between two teachers about teaching properly.
9. I don't like science class. When I go there, I feel _____.
10. My father is _____. A see his example and want to be better.
11. Making someone a slave is called _____.

Write the letter of the sentence next to the word that describes it the best.

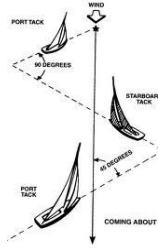
12. ___ captives a. We need to turn the boat to the port side.
13. ___ abolitionists b. I want to be a good cook, just like my uncle.
14. ___ privateer c. I am trapped in this elevator full of garbage!
15. ___ tacking d. If you want to be a doctor, I think you can do it.
16. ___ encouraged e. No one should have to be a slave of someone else.
17. ___ influential f. That ship won the battle and made some money.

Write the vocabulary word that best describes each picture.

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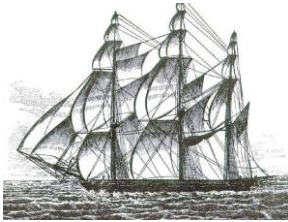
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Answer each question with a good sentence.

24. How is a privateer different from a naval ship? _____

25. What kind of apprentice would you like to be? _____

26. Where do you feel like a captive? _____

27. Who is someone that has been influential for you and why? _____

28. Would you encourage someone to read this story? Why or why not? _____
