Mastering Vocabulary

**DIRECTIONS:** Read the sentences below. Choose the correct word to complete the sentence. Write it on the line.

1. The goal of the class is to make us all (proficient, pungent) in Microsoft Word. __________________________
2. We know you don’t like her, but try not to give her any (elite, overt) clues. __________________________
3. Our neighbor’s trees have started to (encroach, embark) onto our property. __________________________
4. She demonstrated her (augment, ardent) love for him every day. __________________________
5. She was extremely upset, so the doctor gave her a (perspective, sedative). __________________________
6. At that (pivotal, pithy) moment, she knew the time had come to make a choice. __________________________
7. The children’s mother (rebuked, renounced) them for eating the cookies. __________________________
8. I told him it was okay, but the incident really (rubbled, rankled) me. __________________________
9. We called and called but to no (avail, avid); he refused to pick up the phone. __________________________
10. We are hoping that the new school building will (enhance, encroach) its appeal. __________________________