**Unit 6** Advanced **Dreams**

**StBook p.59**

1. anticipate – *believe that sth will happen and prepare for it*
2. expect – *believe that sth will happen*
3. forecast – *to say what will happen in the future based on information and often using scientific methods*
4. predict – *to say that sth will happen in the future*
5. prophecy – *say what you think will happen in the future, esp. using religious or magical powers*
6. project – (usually passive) *to estimate the size, cost or amount of sth in the future, based on what* *is happening now*
7. redundant – *no longer needed for a job*
8. to pin one’s hopes on sb/sth – *to believe completely that sb/sth will help you or you will succeed*
9. torrential – (about rain) *very great in amount*

**StBook p.60**

1. baffling – *confusing, impossible to understand*
2. unravel – *to make sth become clear*
3. recuperate – *to get well again after an illness or injury*
4. trigger – *to cause a particular reaction or event*
5. to jot down – *to make a quick short note about sth*
6. to drone on – *to talk in a boring voice*
7. to pick on – *to attack*
8. to pop over – *to visit*
9. to look over – *to examine*
10. to creep up – *to approach*
11. to brush up – *to improve*
12. rehash - *reuse (old ideas or material) without significant change or improvement*
13. muddle – *to confuse*

**WBook p.48**

1. contentedly – *happily*
2. to make off – *to leave or escape in a hurry*
3. to sort out – *to find an answer to a problem, to organize sth*
4. to phase out – *to stop using sth gradually*
5. trespasser – *a person who goes onto sb’s land or property without permission*
6. to clear off – *used to tell sb to go away*
7. to brush up on – *to study or practice sth in order to get back knowledge or skill that you had before and have lost*

**StBook p.61**

1. aftermath – *a situation that is a result of an important or unpleasant event*
2. to pool – *to collect money, ideas, etc. together from a number of people*
3. sovereignty – *the power that a country has to control its own government*
4. legislation – *a group of laws*
5. controversy – *public discussion or disagreement about sth*
6. tangible – *that can be clearly seen to exist*
7. exorbitant – *much more expensive than it should be*
8. heatwave – *a period of unusually hot weather*
9. to despair of – *to lose all hope that sth will happen*

**WBook p.49**

1. to emulate – *to try to do sth as well as, or better than sb*
2. to remedy – *to change or improve sth that is wrong or bad*

**StBook p.62-63**

1. lapse – *a short time when you cannot remember sth or you are not thinking about what you are doing*
2. to impair – *to damage sth or make it weaker*
3. profound – *very great; that you feel very strongly*
4. to catch up on – *to spend time doing sth you have not been able to do for some time*
5. plethora – *a large amount of sth*
6. cease – *to stop or end*
7. upheaval – *a sudden big change, esp. one that causes a lot of trouble*
8. puberty – *the time when a child’s body is changing and becoming physically like that of an adult*
9. to bear sth out – *to show that sth is correct or true*
10. lose sleep – *worry about sth with the result that you sren’t able to sleep*
11. snatch some sleep – *get a little sleep in a short available time, usually during the day*
12. during sleep/in your sleep – *while you are sleeping*
13. lull/send sb to sleep – *to make snb go to sleep*
14. feign sleep *– pretend to be asleep*
15. to founder – to *fail or break down as a result of a particular problem*
16. to retain – *to keep or continue to have sth; not to lose*
17. composure – *the state of being calm and having your feelings under control*

**WBook p.50-51**

1. endeavor – t*o try hard*
2. nocturnal – *happening at night*
3. revelation – *sth that is made known, that was secret or unknown before, esp. sth surprising*

**StBook p.64**

1. detention – *the punishment of being kept at school after the other children have gone home*
2. insolence – *lack of respect, rudeness*
3. bitterly – *angrily and sadly because you have been treated unfairly*
4. callously – *cruelly*
5. resignedly- *sadly but calmly, accepting the situation that can’t change*
6. sharply – *attacking and using few words*
7. defiantly – *showing open refusal to obey*

**WBook p.52**

1. vicious – (about an animal) *dangerous, likely to hurt*
2. enquire after sb – *to ask about sb’s health*

**StBook p.65**

1. an award – *a prize that you win for achieving sth, eg. an Oscar, a bravery award*
2. an honour – *similar to an award but is more official* (eg. In Britain honours are awarded on January, 1 in recognition of work that has been done in service to the country in science, business, education, entertainment)
3. a medal – *a metal object given to the winner of a competition*
4. a prize – *an award given to someone who wins a competition or a race. It is not necessarily won on the basis of an achievement* (eg. it could be a lottery)
5. a reward – *sth you receive for working hard or behaving well* (eg. an employee may receive a financial reward or a promotion for working hard)
6. a trophy – *an object such as a metal cup or plate given to the winner of a competition*
7. concession – *sth that you agree to do in order to end an argument*

**WBook p.53**

1. over the moon – *extremely happy, delighted*
2. to bits – *very much*
3. walk on air *– feel elated*
4. jump for joy – *be ecstatically happy*
5. on top of the world *– happy and elated*

**StBook p.66-67**

1. to fumble – *to try to find or get hold of sth with your hands in a nervous or careless way*
2. husky – (about voice) *sounding rough*
3. bolt upright – *sitting or standing very straight*
4. to dawn on sb *– to become clear*
5. in a fit of pique – *feeling of irritation or resentment resulting from a slight, esp. to one’s pride*
6. wearily – *in a very tired way*
7. hideous – *very ugly or unpleasant*
8. down-and-out – *a person who has got no money or job*
9. scruffy – *dirty and untidy*
10. check – *a pattern of squares, often of different colours*
11. to put sb up *– to give sb food and a place to stay*
12. to whine – *to complain in an annoying, crying voice; to make a long high unpleasant sound because you are in pain or unhappy*
13. shriek – *to say sth loudly in a high voice*
14. gasp – *to take a sudden loud breath with your mouth open, usually because you’re surprised or in pain*
15. groan – *to make a deep sad sound because you’re in pain*
16. yell – *to shout very loudly, often because you’re angry, excited or in pain*

**WBook p. 54-55**

1. dishevelled – *very untidy*
2. engrossing – *so interesting that you give it all your attention*
3. reservation *– a feeling of doubt*
4. to be geared towards sb/sth – *to make sth suitable for a particular purpose or person*
5. lucid – *clear and easy to understand*
6. decode – *to find the meaning of a secret message*
7. covertly - *secretly*