UNIT 22

TREATMENT NOT
PUNISHMENT

Don't be scary. This is just
a treatment not a
punishment.

treat + -MENT	=	treatment
verb suffix		noun

Refer to the spelling rules in Appendix B-II and III.

A. Fill in each blank with a noun derived from the verb in the question.

Example: - Did the new doctor treat the patient?

- Yes, he did, and his **treatment** was very successful.

1. A: Has the reading teacher assigned anything for tomorrow?
    B: Yes, he has, and the _____is ten pages long.
2. A: Did they arrange the new furniture in the office?
    B: Yes, they did, and the _____took a long time.
3. A: Do you agree with the teacher's excellent advice?
    B: Yes, I am in complete _____with him.

4. A: Is the director placing the students in classes according to their ability?
    B: Yes, he is, and the _____will be fair.

5. A: Will he entertain the guests with his tricks?
    B: Yes, he will, and the _____ will probably be very enjoyable.
6. A: Can she move her injured leg?
    B: No. In fact, there will not be any _____ in that leg for a while.
7. A: Can I pay for it here?
    B: No. You have to make your _____ (s) downstairs at the cashier's.
8. A: Is the director involved in this project?
    B: No. I don't think the director has any direct _____ with this project.
9. A: Has the English Department been established?
    B: Yes. In fact, since its _____ 500 students have been enrolled.
10.   A: Has he committed himself to this project?
    B: Yes. In fact, he has no intention of backing up from his _____.

B. Give the noun forms of the following verbs. Then use each in a sentence together with the word or phrase in the parentheses.

Example: assign (give)   assignment
The teacher gave a long assignment today.

1. punish (capital)   _____

2. state (make)   _____

3. excite (filled with) _____

4. astonish (express)   _____

5. accomplish (celebrate)   _____

6. improve (see)   _____

7. appoint (doctor)   _____

8. achieve (test)   _____

9. require (legal)   _____

10. argue (accept)   _____

C. Fill in each blank with one of the words in the box. Use either the singular or the plural form according to the context. Use each word once.

commitment	arrangement
appointment	astonishment
advertisement	excitement
requirement	statement
assignment	

Jack was looking for a job. He saw a (n) _____ in the newspaper. This was an international company looking for electrical engineers. They were planning to hire people between the ages of 25-30. The employers require 3 years of experience. Jack seemed to fulfill all these _____. He decided to apply for this job; therefore, he wrote an application letter including all the factual _____ about himself. He immediately took the letter to the personnel department of this international company. He wanted to see the general director. Therefore, he asked for a (n) _____. The secretary at the office made the necessary _____ and said, " Can you come for an interview this afternoon?" He looked at the secretary with great _____ because, he was not expecting everything to happen so quickly. He expressed his _____ by saying, "Sure, I can." He was very happy and left the company filled with great _____. When he came home, he said, " Everything is fine but what is going to be my _____ to this company?"

D. Write a paragraph about your activities on an ordinary day. Try to use at least six nouns ending in –MENT in your paragraph.
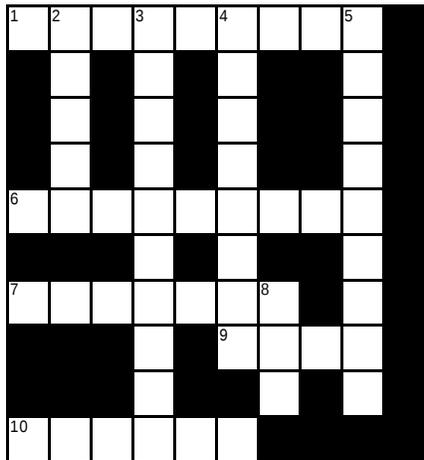
E. Fill in the blanks in the following poem by the words given in the box.

treatment	agreement	movement
astonishment	entertainment	arrangement

My cat needs _____
So after some _____ (s)
I play with her.
Especially when I give her a new toy,
I always see a (n) _____
   in her glittering eyes.
She has so cute _____ (s)
So everybody likes my cat.
We are all in _____
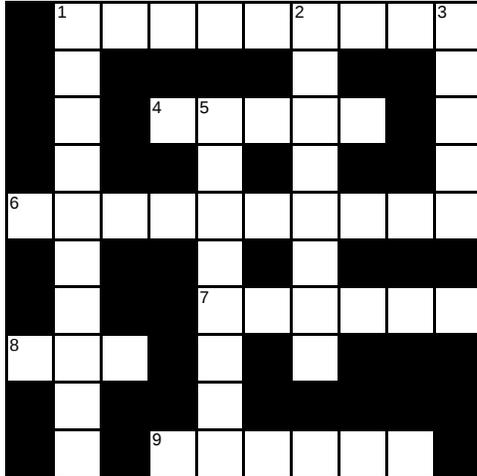She's the joy of our lives.

E. Puzzles to solve

Puzzle 1

Across

1   The process of agreeing (9)
6   A negative _____includes the word "not". (9)
7   monthly _____ (7)
9   _____-age (4)
10 If you're ill, go to the health __(6)

Down

2   big, important (5)
3   the process of getting excited (10)
4   the process of moving (8)
5   medical _____ (9)
8   _____ minus two is eight. (3)

Puzzle 2

Across
1 the act of putting something into a place (9)
4 Lovers ____their initials on trees. (5)
6 The teacher gave a long _____. (10)
7 the first day of the week (6)
8 a _____ apple (3)
9 I live on Pine _____. (6)

Down
1 the act of punishing (10)
2 We use hand __s when we speak. (8)
3 close fitting, very firm (5)
5 David got into a big _____ with his wife. (8)