

## Day 5: Vocab

**Harangued:** a scolding or a long or intense verbal attack; diatribe.

**Convalescent:** of or pertaining to convalescing: to recover health and strength after illness; make progress toward recovery of health.

**Abstraction:** the act of considering something as a general quality or characteristic, apart from concrete realities, specific objects, or actual instances.

**Colic:** paroxysmal pain in the abdomen or bowels.

**Wizened:** withered; shriveled: a wizened old man; wizened features.

**Veritable:** true, as a statement or tale

**Altruistic:** unselfishly concerned for or devoted to the welfare of others

**Pittance:** a small amount or share.