Unit 3 Week 1 Vocabulary

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| Word | Definition | Sentence |
| Appreciation | When you understand the value of something, you have an **appreciation** for it.  | Gram showed her **appreciation** for my help by giving me a hug. |
| Blurted | If he **blurted** out the answer, he said it suddenly. | By mistake, I **blurted** out the secret about the surprise. |
| Complimenting | When you say something nice about someone, you are **complimenting** that person.  | **Complimenting** me when I do well makes me feel great. |
| Congratulate | **Congratulate** means “to give praise or good wishes for something that has happened.” | After Niki lost the race, she went over to **congratulate** the winner.  |
| Contradicted  | The baker’s story **contradicted**, or disagreed with, the butcher’s story.  | The witness **contradicted** what he had said earlier, and the lawyer pointed it out.  |
| Critical  | A person who it **critical** will find fault or have an opinion that something is wrong.  | A **critical** person often finds fault with what others do and points it out.  |
| Cultural  | When you research your family’s **cultural** past, you learn about your family’s customs, beliefs, and traditions.  | Languages, foods, and celebrations are examples of **cultural** differences.  |
| Misunderstanding | When friends have a **misunderstanding**, they fail to understand one another.  | Mira wore the wrong clothes as a result of a **misunderstanding**.  |