

Vocabulary (69 words // 5 words per week)

premise (xvii)	compelled (xxi)		by the same token (xxi)
a leap of imagination (16)	banal (167)	to abstain from (103)	after a while (70)
	daunting (70, 219)	to activate (153)	eventually (201)
commission (103)		to afford (74)	instead of (211)
to appreciate (16)			in time (201)
cultivar (vs. cultivator) . . . . .		.to cultivate	over time
distinction (81) . . . . .		.to distinguish	supposedly (5)
destiny (157)		to endure (155)	
domestication (157) . . . . .	domesticated (16) . . . . .	.to domesticate	
foliage (55)		to expire (97)	
	implicated (226)	to exploit (19, 81)	
hypothesis (68)	inevitable (223)	to give credit where credit is due (47)	
indifference to (64)	irresistible (71)	to give way to (101)	
magnitude (42)	mad (crazy) (85)	to hallucinate	
		to induce (171)	
intoxication . . . . .	.intoxicating . . . . .	.to intoxicate	
intoxicant			
paradox (33)	novel (189)	to obscure (118)	
perversion (90) . . . . .	.perverse (99)		
perversity (93)			
principle (75)	profound (167)	to pin down (73)	
staple (202)	prone to (99)	to prevail (136, 231)	
	sustainable (221)		
taboo	underrated (160)	to recount (88)	
turmoil (97)	universal (139)	to speculate (69)	
	viable (232)	to substitute for (7)	
	vulnerable (191)	to suspend (170)	
		to weigh in on (204)	
		to yield (153)	

Phrases

- to be shaped by human desire (81)
- to saddle with debt (190)
- to jeopardize health (190)
- to compromise the safety of (190)

Concepts

- artificial vs natural selection (xxiii)
- grafting (9, 10, 12, 44)
- Dionysus / Apollo (36-43)
- biodiversity (53)
- glamour (Ch 2) (85)
- mania (frenzy – 94)

financial speculation/ speculative bubble (101, 105)

genetic engineering

