



Top 100 Vocabulary Words

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A

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Abate	Abating, Abater	To reduce in intensity; to lessen
☐ Abet	Abetment, Abettor	To support or encourage
☐ Abhor	Abhorrer	To hate something
☐ Abnegate	Abnegation	To deny or to give up the right or privilege to something
☐ Abscond	Absconder	To escape, run away, or let go of something
☐ Advocate	Advocation, Advocative, Advocator	To support or argue for a cause
☐ Allude	Allusion	To refer to something indirectly; commonly used in literature
☐ Ambiguity	Ambiguous	Something that can be understood or interpreted in more than one manner
☐ Analogy	Analogous, Analogousness	A comparison of two otherwise unlike things based on resemblance of a particular aspect; widely used in literature
☐ Apprehend	Apprehension, Apprehensibility	To arrest someone recognize the meaning of an idea or a thing
☐ Articulate	Articulative, Articulator	To explain something clearly

B

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Bane		Something capable of causing destruction or ruin
☐ Bereft		Lacking something needed, wanted, or expected; a person grieving death of a loved one
☐ Bias	Biasness	To possess an inclined outlook towards an object or an idea
☐ Berate		To scold someone strongly
☐ Brevity	Brief	Something or event that is short in length or duration



C

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Cache	Caching	A secure place that is used to store objects secretly
☐ Capitalize	Capitalization	To profit from a resource or an opportunity
☐ Capitulate	Capitulation	To surrender on terms agreed upon in advance
☐ Credible	Credibility	Something that can be trusted on the basis of logic or rationale
☐ Corroborate	Corroboration, Corroboratory, Corroborative	To support with evidence or authority
☐ Complacent	Complacency	Accepting something after being self-satisfied
☐ Contrue		To construct or interpret meaning out of a sentence or words
☐ Contentious	Contentiousness	Inclined towards argument or dispute
☐ Covet	Covetable, Coverter	Want or desire

D

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Dearth		Lack or absence of something
☐ Debunk	Debunker	To expose the falseness of a fact
☐ Defunct		Extinct or no longer functioning
☐ Didactic	Didactical, Didacticism	Something that is intended to be taught
☐ Delegate	Delegation, Delegatee, Delegator	A representative; to entrust work or responsibility to another person
☐ Dispel		To drive away something (can also be a belief system or a myth)
☐ Doctrine	Indoctrinate	Something that can be trusted on the basis of logic or rationale
☐ Dogma	Dogmatic	Something considered an established opinion (can be a belief or a set of moral codes)



E

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☐ Eclectic.....		Composed of elements drawn from various sources; can be used to refer to a person who pursues an eclectic method or approach
☐ Embezzle.....	Embezzled, Embezzlement	To take something (usually money or property) dishonestly for one's own use
☐ Elicit.....	Elicitation, Elicitor	To draw out an answer or explanation often by skillful questioning or discussion
☐ Empirical.....		Something capable of being derived, verified, or disproved by observation or experiment
☐ Emulate.....	Emulator	To try to be like or better than something
☐ Espouse.....	Espouser	To take up and support as a cause; to marry someone
☐ Extort.....	Extortion	To take something forcefully from a person
☐ Expedite.....	Expedition	To speed up the process or progress of an even
☐ Extraneous.....	Extraneousness	Alien; something that exists or comes from outside
☐ Equivocal.....	Equivocality	Something that is unclear or uncertain in its meaning

F

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Foil.....		A very thin sheet of metal; something or someone that serves as a contrast to another
☐ Fallacy.....	Fallacious	A false or mistaken idea
☐ Fortuitous.....	Fortuitousness	Fortunate or lucky
☐ Flagrant.....		So bad as to be impossible to overlook



G

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Grandiloquent ..	Grandiloquence	A lofty, extravagant, or bombastic style, especially used in literature
☐ Gratuitous	Gratuitousness	Something that is required by the circumstance but done or provided freely

H

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Hapless	Haplessness	Unfortunate
☐ Hegemony	Hegemonic	The social, cultural, ideological, or economic influence exerted by a dominant group
☐ Heterogenous ..	Heterogeneity	Something originating from an outside source; something consisting of different elements from various sources
☐ Hubris		A heightened sense of self-pride or overconfidence

I

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☐ Idiosyncrasy	Idiosyncratic	A way of behaving or thinking that is characteristic of a person
☐ Impetuous	Impetuousness	Impulsive
☐ Impute	Imputable, Imputability	To blame someone unjustly
☐ Incumbent	Incumbency	Someone who occupies a particular position or place
☐ Incite		To move to action; to make something happen
☐ Insurgent	Insurgency	Someone who revolts against civil authority or an established government; a rebel



L

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MEANING

- ☐ **Licentious**.....Licentiousness
- ☐ **Linchpin**.....
- ☐ **Litigate**.....Litigation, Litigancy

Someone who disregards moral, ethical or legal restraints

Someone or something that holds together multiple pieces or people together

To decide and settle in a court of law

M

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MEANING

- ☐ **Maxim**.....
- ☐ **Multifarious**....

Universal truth, fundamental principle, or rule of conduct, or proverb

Something or an event that has multiple variety

N

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MEANING

- ☐ **Nadir**.....
- ☐ **Noxious**..... Noxiousness

The lowest point of something

Something that is harmful or destructive

O

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MEANING

- ☐ **Opine**..... Opinion
- ☐ **Ostensible**..... Ostensibility
- ☐ **Ostracism**..... Ostracize

To put forth one's point-of-view about something

To demonstrate or exhibit

The state of being outcasted or barred from a community or group



P

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Paradigm	Paradigmatic	An example showing how something is to be done; a model
☐ Partisan	Partisanship	A person who is strongly devoted to a particular cause or group
☐ Pejorative		A word or phrase that has negative connotations
☐ Penchant		Having persistent knack or interest in something
☐ Placid	Placidity	Free of disturbance; calm
☐ Prerogative		An exclusive or special right, power, or privilege
☐ Prompt		Something that asks someone to do or operate; being ready and quick to act
☐ Prosecute	Prosecution	To carry on a legal action against an accused person to prove his or her guilt; to follow up to the end

Q

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Quaint		Something marked by beauty, skillful design or being strikingly old-fashioned
☐ Quixotic		Impractical especially in the foolish pursuit of ideals

R

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☐ Refute		To deny or disregard
☐ Relegate	Relegation	To banish or send into exile; to carry out a decision
☐ Requisition	Requisite	To require or demand something, especially by an authority



S

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Sanctity	Sanctum	The quality of being holy or sacred
☐ Sanctuary		A safe or a sacred place
☐ Sanguine		To be sure and certain of something; something that has the color of blood
☐ Serendipity	Serendipitous	The gift of finding valuable things not looked for
☐ Solicit	Sollicitous, Solicitation	To approach with a request or plea, to make a petition to, especially a judicial body
☐ Spur		Impulsive; to move to action
☐ Serrptitious		Done, made, or acquired by stealth and secrecy

T

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Tirade		A long violent angry speech
☐ Torpid	Torpidity	Someone lacking in energy or enthusiasm
☐ Torrent	Torrential	A violent or forceful flow of wind or water
☐ Travesty		An inferior imitation of something

U

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Ubiquitous		Existing or being everywhere at the same time
☐ Undermine		To weaken or ruin secretly or gradually
☐ Utilitarian	Utilitarianism	Someone who believes that the value of something lies in its usefulness



V

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Veracity	Veracious, Veraciousness	Being true
☐ Vestige	Vestigial	A trace or mark left by something
☐ Vilify		To utter slanderous and abusive statements against

W

WORDS	WORD FORMS	MEANING
☐ Warrant	Warranty	To give proof of the authenticity or truth of something