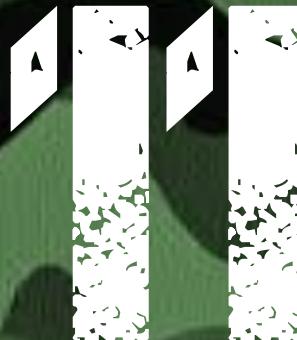


VOCAB



thistle

'θɪsl̩

The field was covered in **thistle**, its sharp spines making it hard to walk through.



contentious

kən'tenʃəs

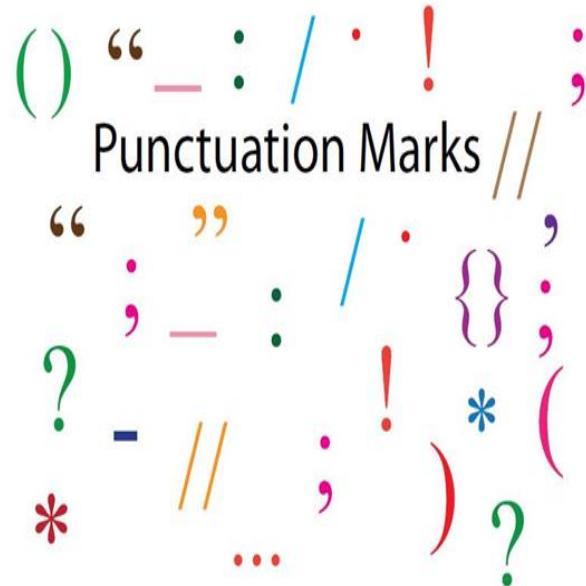
The meeting turned **contentious** when they discussed the new company policy.



punctuate

'pʌŋktʃueɪt

Applause would **punctuate** his speech at regular intervals.

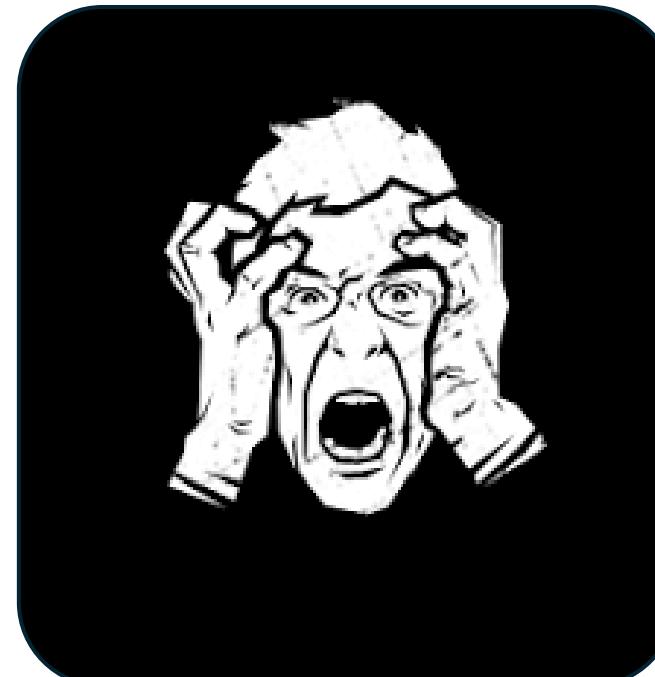


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unnerving

ʌn'nr̩vɪŋ

Her intense stare was completely
unnerving.



outset

'autset

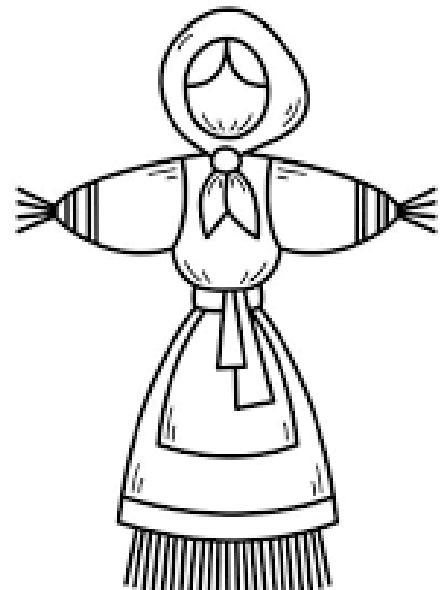
From the **outset**, it was clear the project would be challenging.



effigy

'efɪdʒi

Protesters burned an **effigy** of the politician in the square.



articulated

a:r'tɪkjuleɪtɪd

He **articulated** his thoughts clearly during the debate.



overhang

,əvər'hæŋ

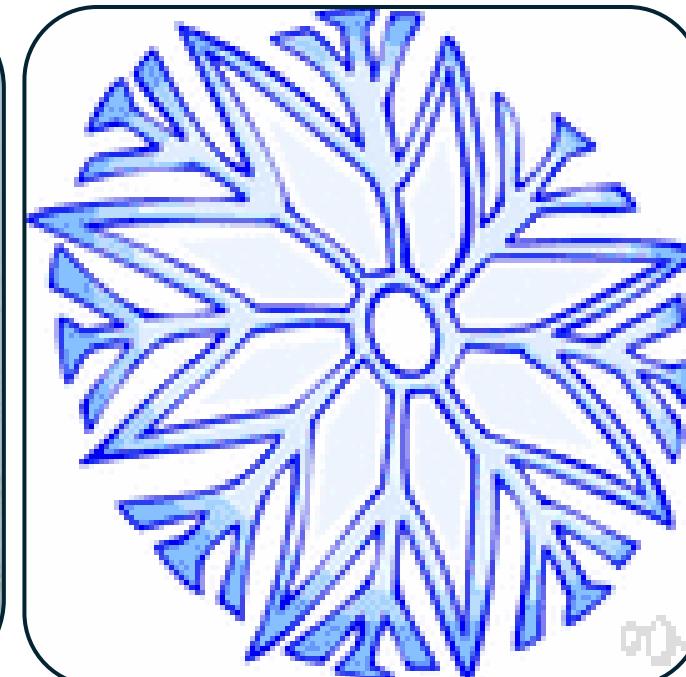
The **overhanging** cliff cast a shadow over the beach.



Flake

fleɪk

Paint began to **flake off** the old fence.



crimp

krīmp

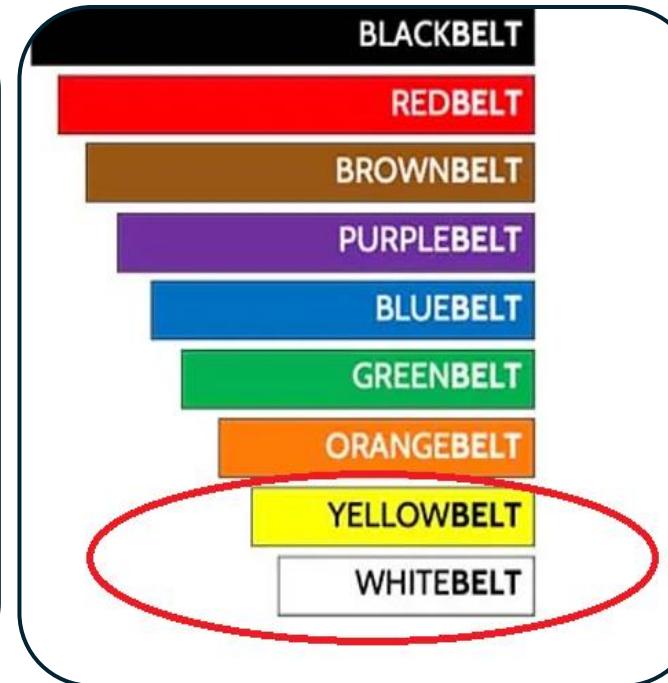
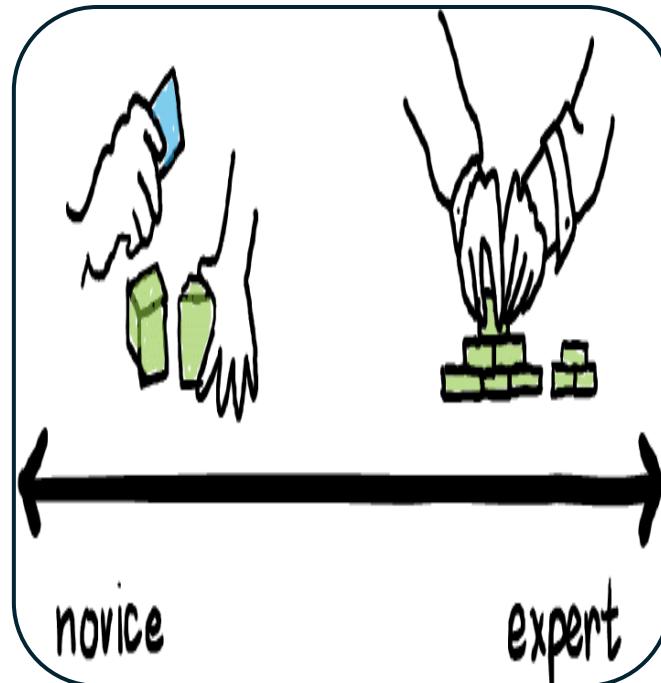
She used a tool to **crimp** the metal edges together.



novice

'na:vɪs

The class is designed for **novices** who have no prior experience in coding.



hypocritical

,hɪpə'krɪtɪkl

It was **hypocritical** of him to criticize others for lying when he does it himself.



lump
lʌmp

He found a strange **lump** under his skin and went to the doctor.



peat

pi:t

Farmers in the region still use **peat** for heating their homes.



vanguard

'vængə:rd

She was in the **vanguard** of the environmental movement.



tinge

tɪndʒ

His voice had a **tinge** of sadness when he spoke about the past.



supplant

sə'plænt

Digital maps have **supplanted** paper ones in most households.



vinification

,vɪnɪfɪ'keɪʃn

Vilification

The **vinification** process is crucial to the taste of the wine.



makeover

'meɪkəʊvər

The kitchen underwent a total
makeover and now looks brand new.



prolific

prə'lifɪk

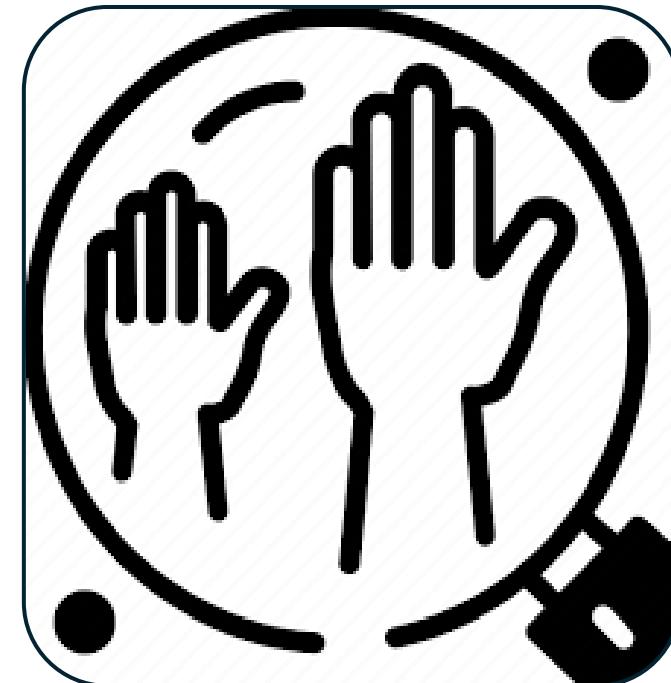
She was a **prolific** writer, publishing several novels each year.



proponent

prə'pənənt

He's a strong **proponent** of renewable energy.



sterile

'sterəl

The tools must be kept **sterile** to prevent infection.



fleece

fliːs

He wore a soft **fleece** jacket to stay warm.



exorbitant

ɪg'zɔ:rbitənt

The hotel charged an **exorbitant** fee for room service.



flaunt

flo̞nt

He loved to **flaunt** his wealth with
flashy cars and jewelry.



resin

'rezn

The tree's **resin** hardened into amber over time.



horticultural

ˌhɔrtɪ'kʌltʃərəl

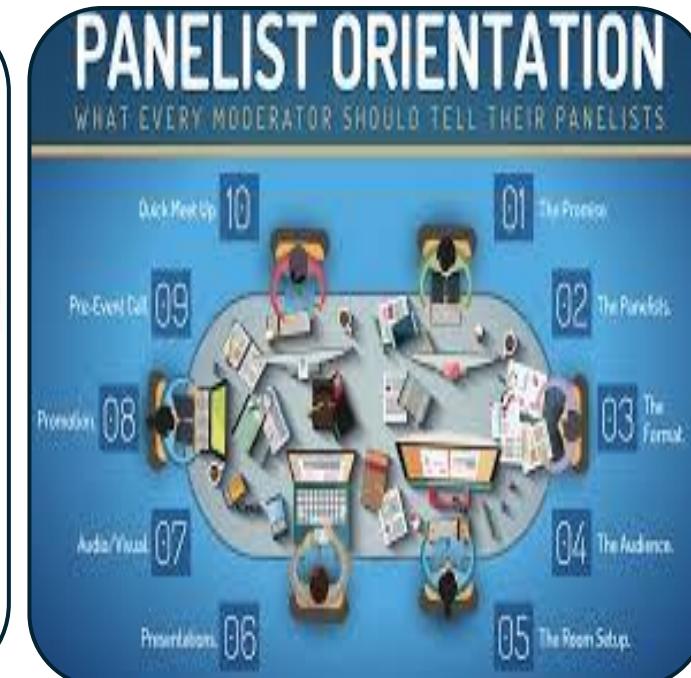
She attended a **horticultural** workshop on urban gardening.



panelist

'pænəlist

Each **panelist** shared their views on the topic during the discussion.



petrified

'petrifɪəd

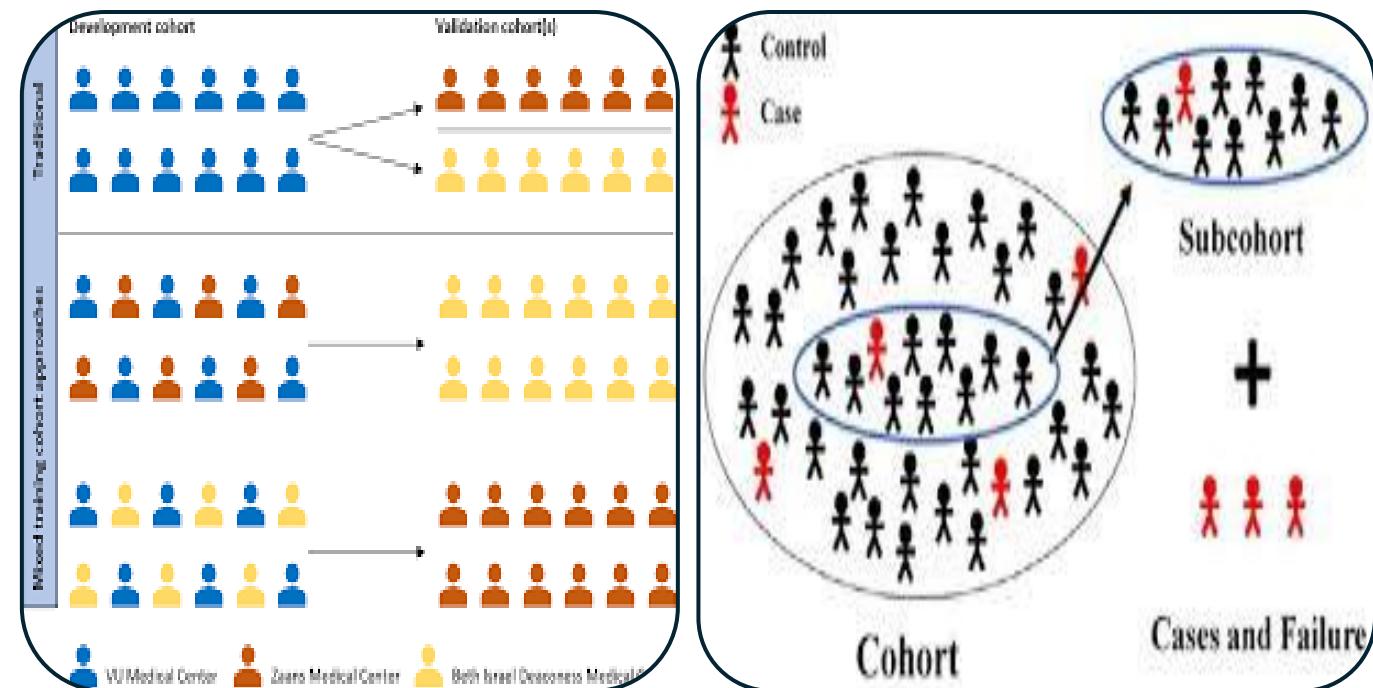
She was **petrified** of heights and refused to go on the Ferris wheel.



cohort

'kəuhɔrt

He and his **cohort** of classmates all graduated together.



egalitarian

i,gælɪ'teriən

The company promotes an **egalitarian** culture where everyone is treated equally.



equitable

'ekwɪtəbl

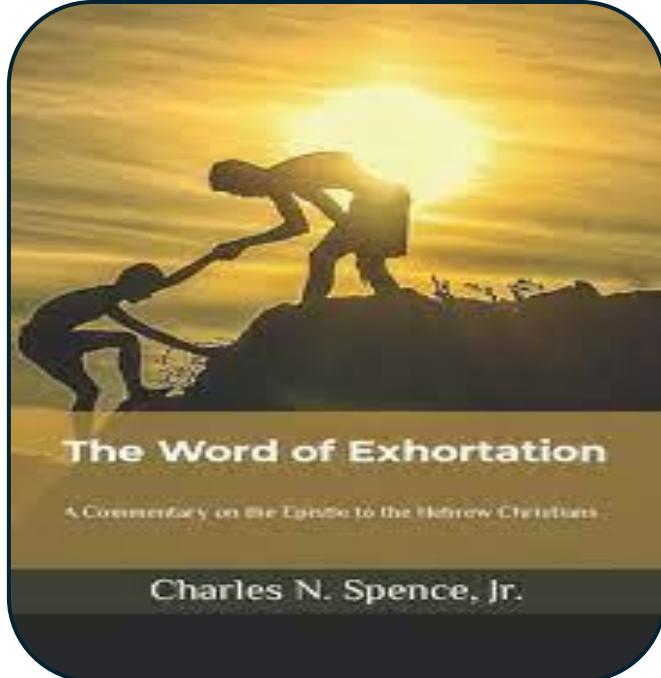
We aim to create an **equitable** solution that benefits everyone.



exhortation

,egzɔ:r'teɪʃn

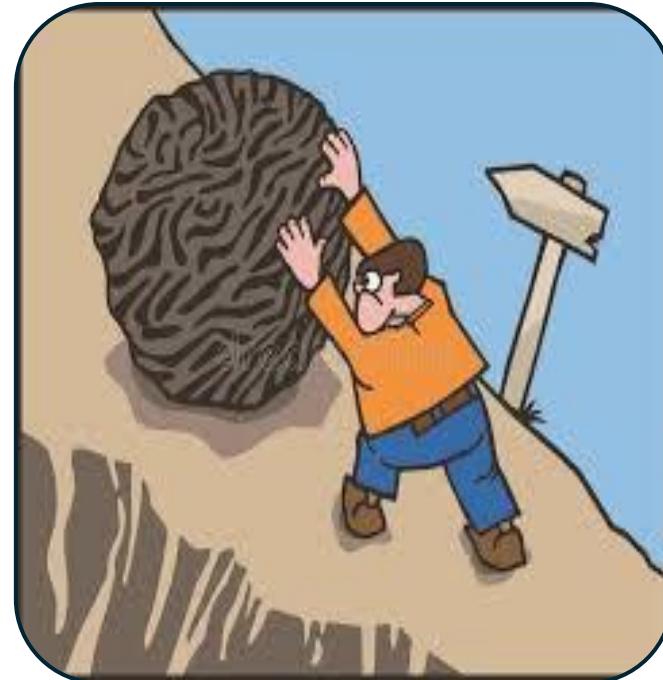
His passionate **exhortation** inspired
the team to keep going.



toil

tɔɪl

They had to **toil** for hours in the hot sun to complete the job.



adrift

ə'drɪft

After quitting his job, he felt **adrift** with no clear direction in life.



cog

ka:g

The **cogs** of the old clock had to be oiled regularly to keep it running.



farce

fərs

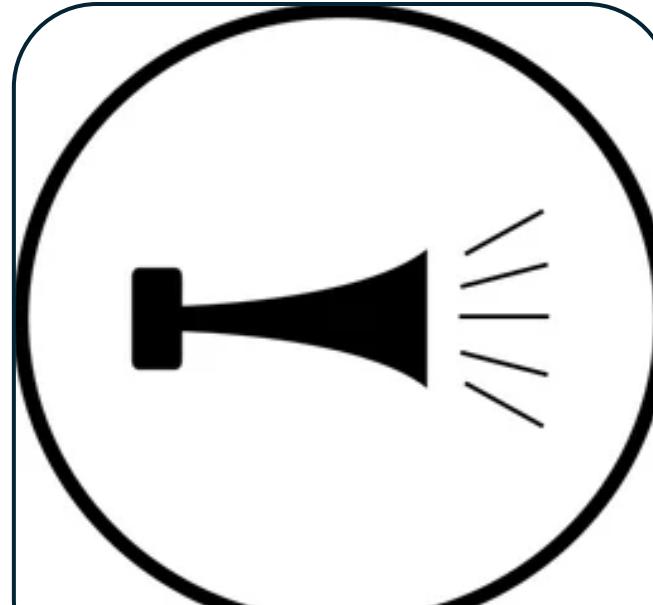
The trial turned into a complete **farce**, with the judge laughing at the evidence.



stridently

'straɪdntli

She **stridently** opposed the new law during the protest.



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Dismissive

dis'misiv

He gave a **Dismissive** wave and walked away, ignoring her question.



contrived

kən'traɪvd

The movie's ending felt **contrived** and unrealistic.

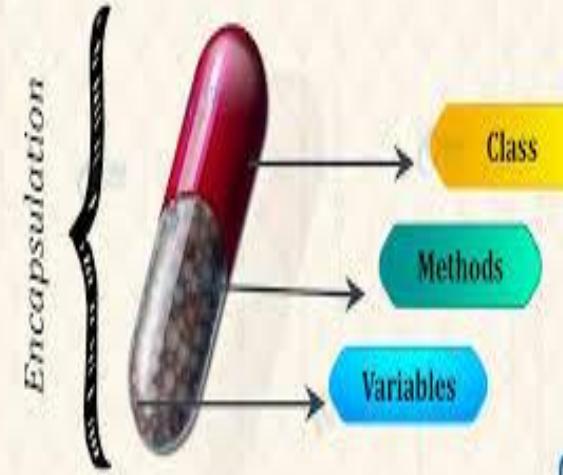


encapsulate

ɪn'kæpsjuleɪt

This short paragraph **encapsulates** the main idea of the article.

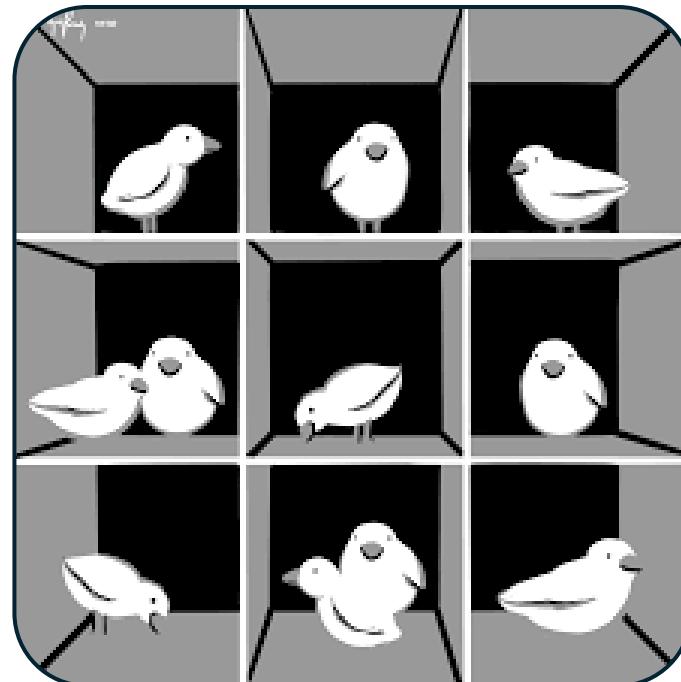
Encapsulation in Java



pigeonhole

'pɪdʒɪnhəʊl

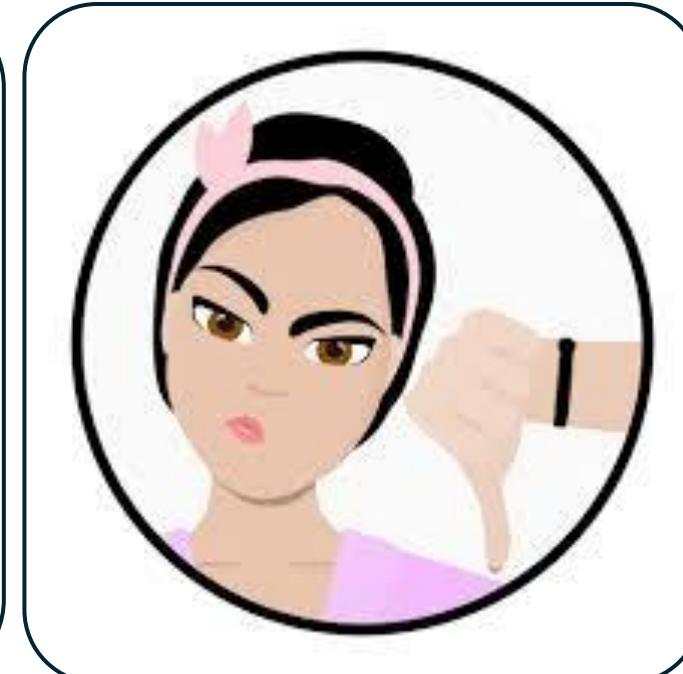
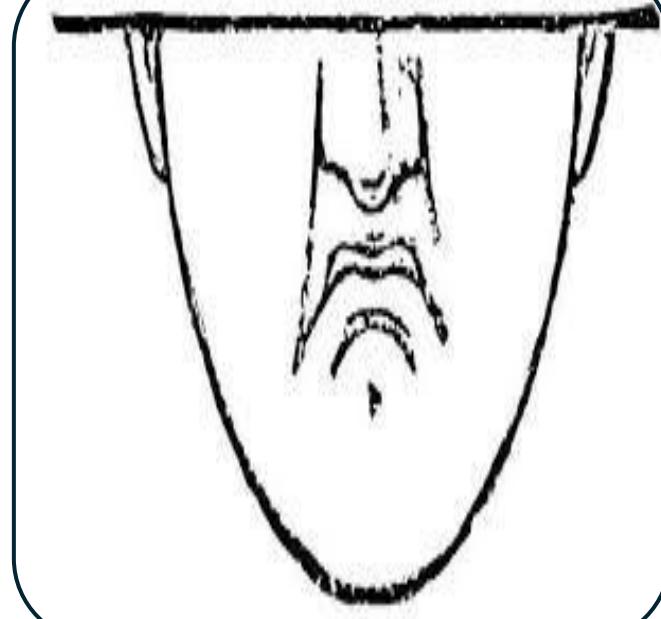
Stop **pigeon-holding** people based on their appearance; they're more complex than that.



contemptuous

kən'temptʃuəs

He gave a **contemptuous** laugh when asked to apologize.



dispassionate

dɪs'pæʃənət

A judge must remain **dispassionate** and base decisions only on the facts.



filament

'fɪləmənt

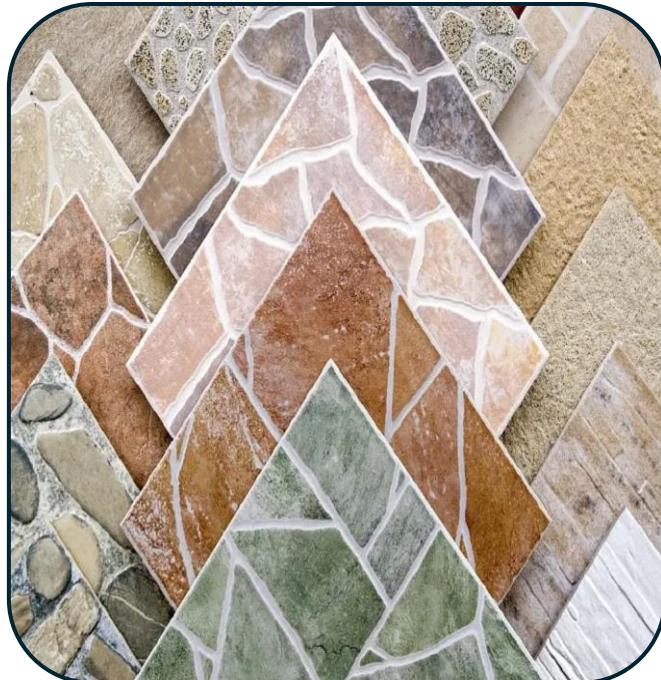
The light bulb burned out when the
filament broke.



tile

tail

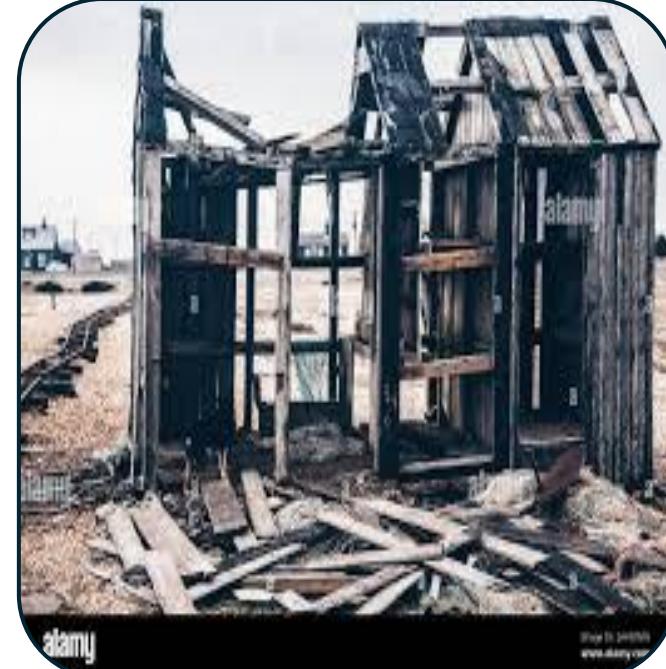
She replaced the cracked **tile** on the kitchen floor.



dilapidated

di'læpɪdeɪtɪd

They lived in a **dilapidated** house that
badly needed repairs.



overhear

əvər'hɪr

I happened to **overhear** them talking about the surprise party.



covert

'kəʊvərt

The spy conducted a **covert** mission to retrieve secret documents.



lawsuit

'lɔ:su:t

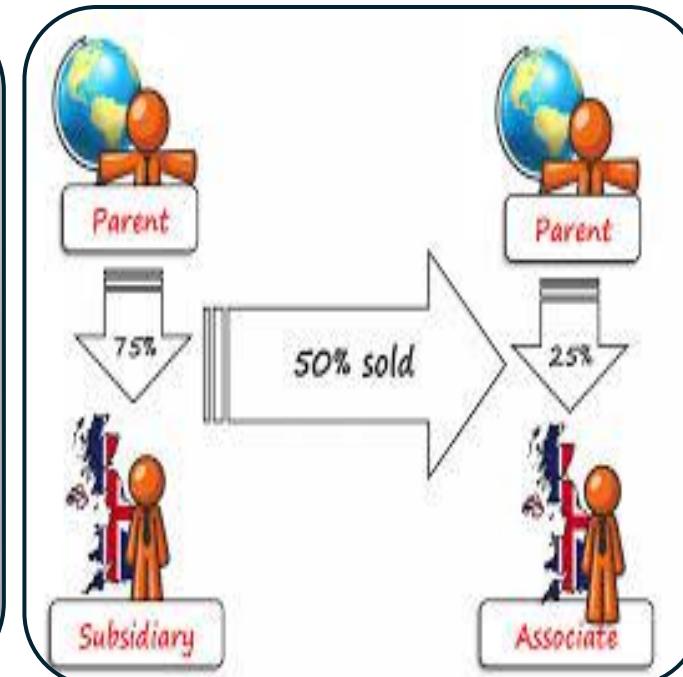
The company is facing a **lawsuit** over its unsafe products.



subsidiary

səb'sɪdieri

The tech firm is a **subsidiary** of a larger multinational corporation.



transplant

træns'plænt

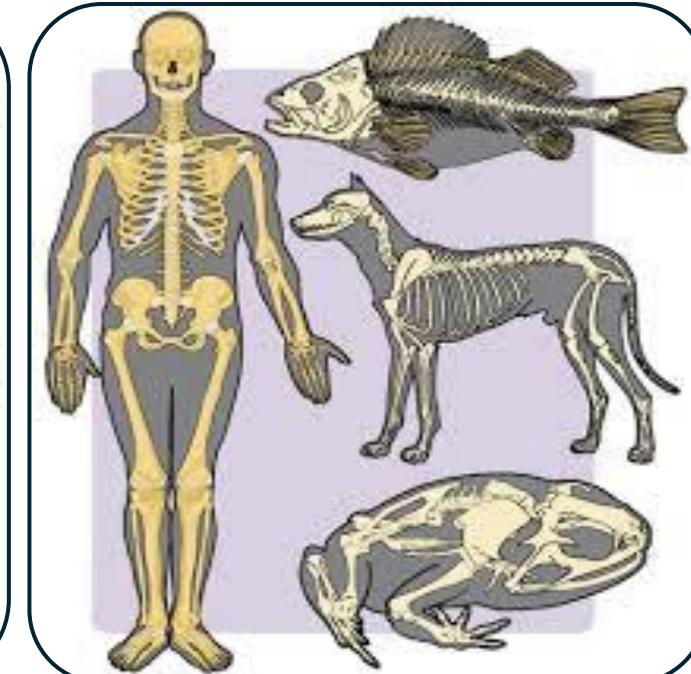
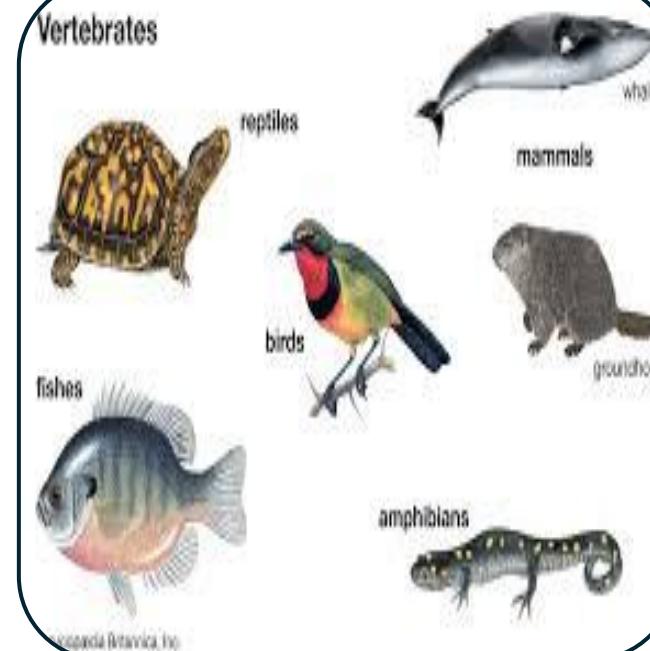
He received a heart **transplant** after months on the waiting list.



vertebrate

'vɜ:tɪbrət

Humans, like all mammals, are **vertebrates** with a backbone.



aloof

ə'lu:f

He remained **aloof** during the conversation, barely saying a word.



bas-relief

,bæs rɪ'li:f

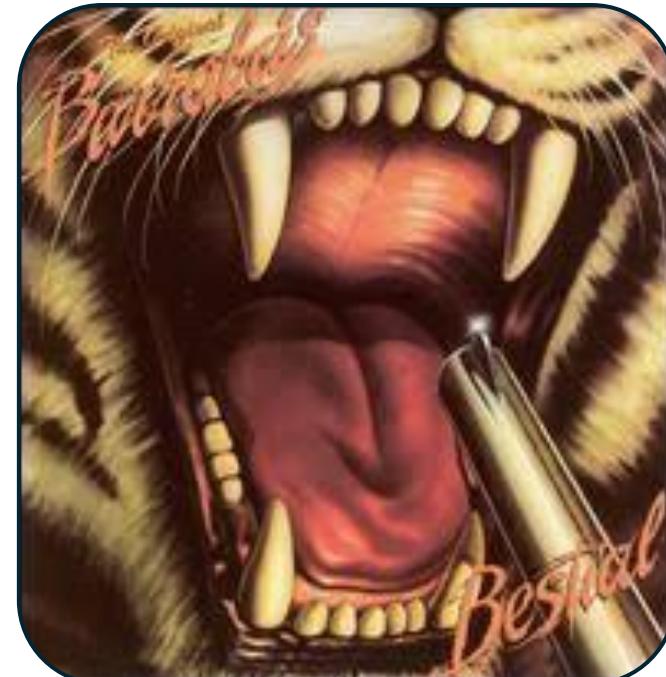
The museum featured a Roman **bas-relief** sculpture carved into marble.



bestial

'bestʃəl

The soldiers were punished for their
bestial acts during the conflict.



contend

kən'tend

Several teams are **contending** for the championship title.



banquet

'bæŋkwɪt

They held a grand **banquet** to celebrate the wedding.



encompass

ɪn'kʌmpəs

The job will **encompass** a wide range of responsibilities.



impeachment

ɪm'pi:t̬mənt

The president faced **impeachment** over allegations of corruption.



heed

hi:d

You should **heed** the weather warnings
and stay indoors.



rebuke

ri'bjuk

The manager issued a sharp **rebuke** to the employee for being late.



meteor

'mi:tɔ:r

A bright **meteor** flashed across the night sky.



inexplicable

,ɪnɪk'splɪkəbl̩

Her sudden change in attitude was completely **inexplicable**.



infiltrate

'ɪnfiltreɪt

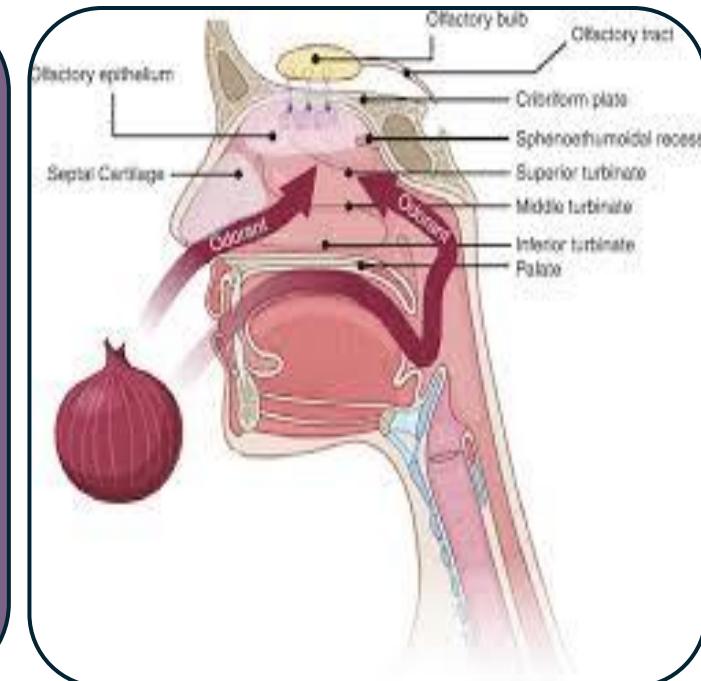
The spy **infiltrated** the enemy's ranks without being noticed.



olfaction

oul'fæk.ʃən

Dogs have a highly developed sense of **olfaction**, allowing them to detect scents humans can't.



inscribe

in'skraɪb

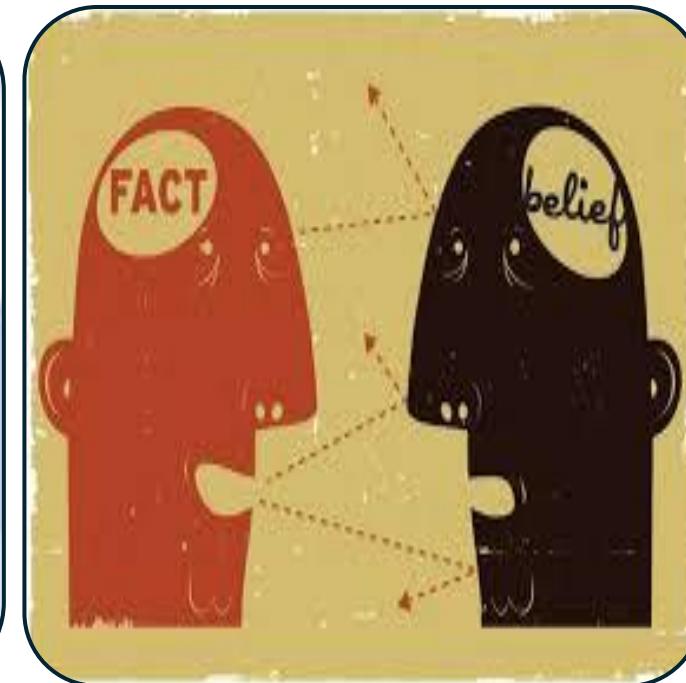
He **inscribed** a personal message inside the cover of the book.



dissonance

'dɪsənəns

There was a clear **dissonance** between their words and actions.



subside

səb'saɪd

The storm began to **subside** after several hours of heavy rain.



solace

'sə:ləs

She found **solace** in music after the loss of her father.



procession

prə'seʃn

A solemn **procession** followed the hearse through the town.



hearth

ha:rθ

They gathered around the **hearth** to warm themselves on a cold night.



improbable

im'prə:bəbl

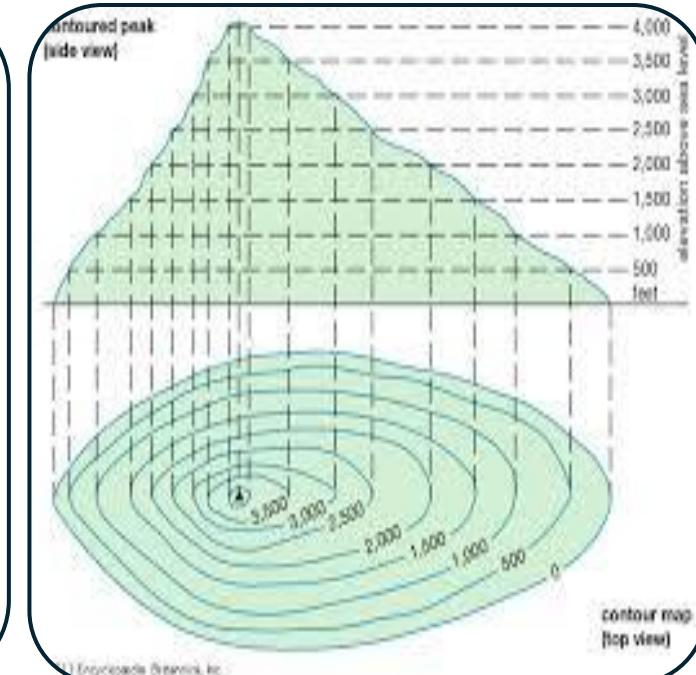
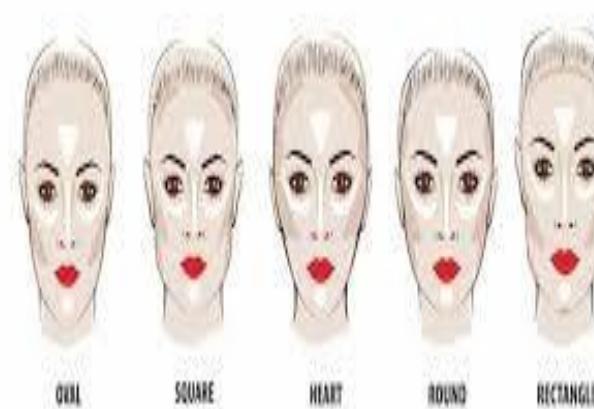
It's highly **improbable** that he'll finish the race after such an injury.



contour

'ka:ntur

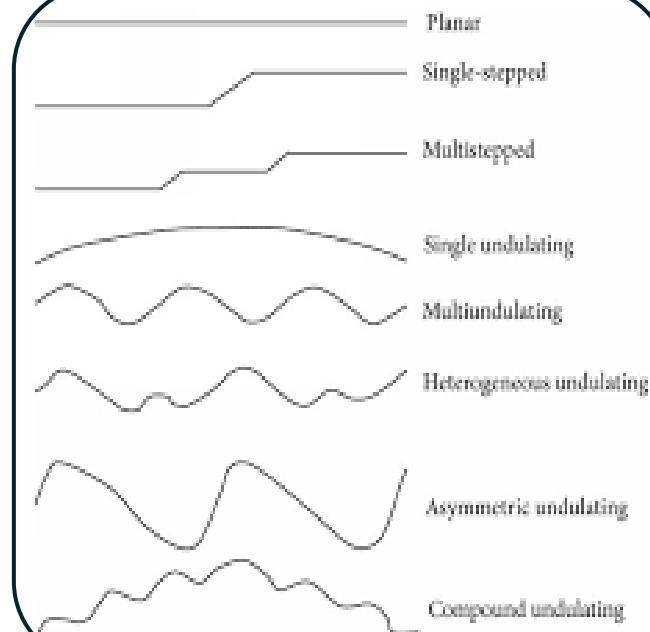
The **contour** of the landscape made hiking both challenging and beautiful.



undulating

'ʌndʒəleɪtɪŋ

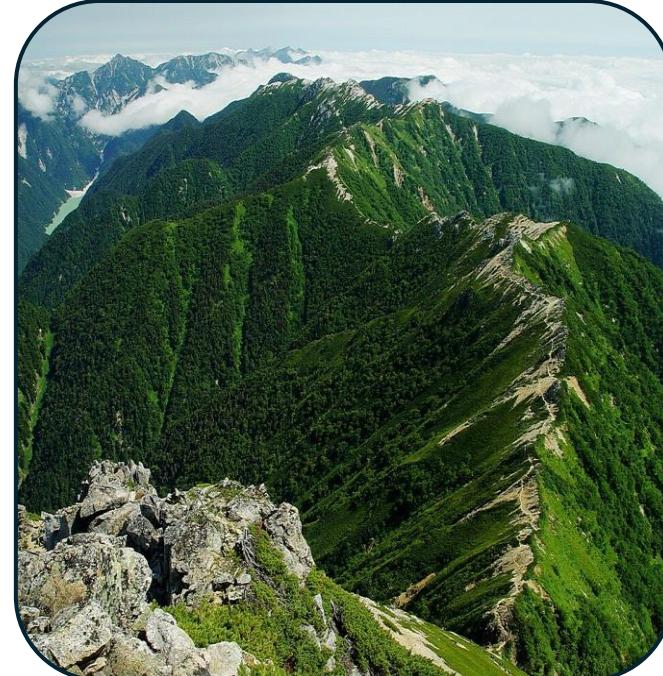
The **undulating** hills stretched out toward the horizon.



ridge

rɪdʒ

We hiked along the mountain **ridge** to get a better view.



groove

gru:v

He carved a deep **groove** into the wood for the inlay.



GROOVE



termite

'tɜːrmɪt

The wooden beams were damaged by
a **termite** infestation.



forensic

fə'renzik

Forensic evidence was crucial in solving the case.



apprise

ə'praɪz

Please **apprise** me of any changes to
the schedule.

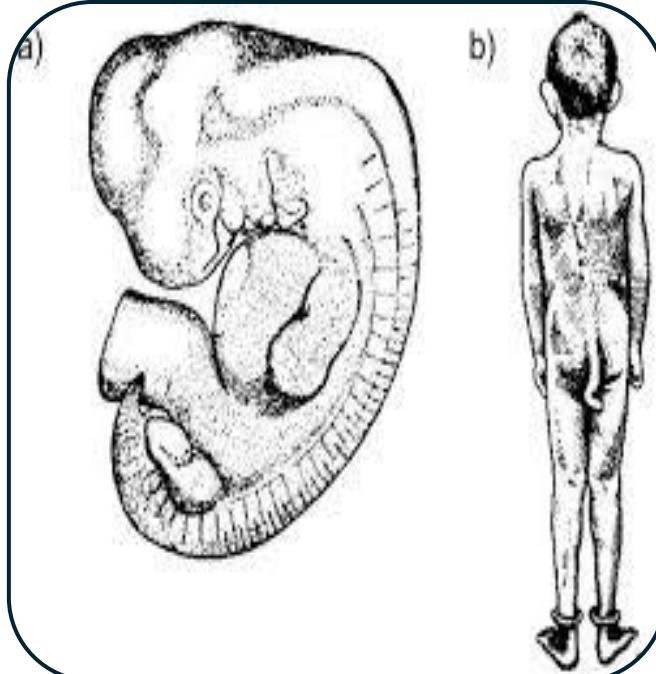


"Take this report and put it into the form of a bumper sticker."

atavistic

,ætə'vestɪk

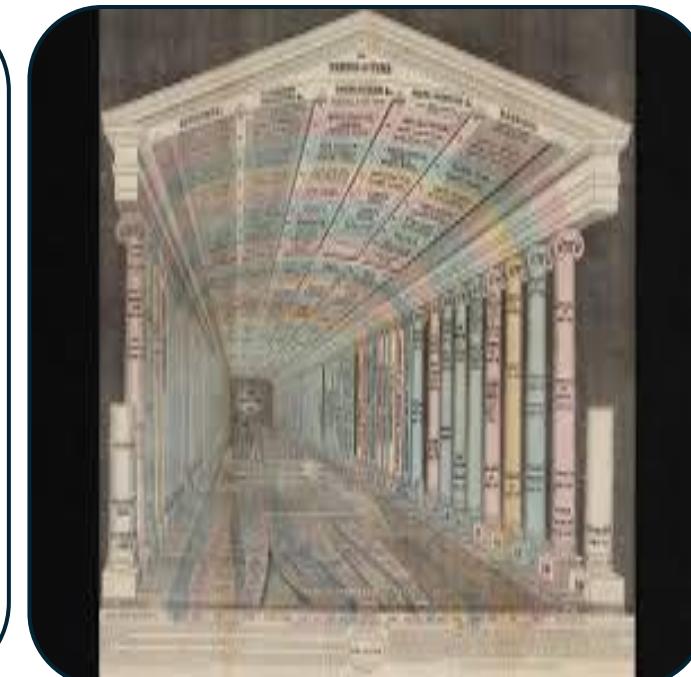
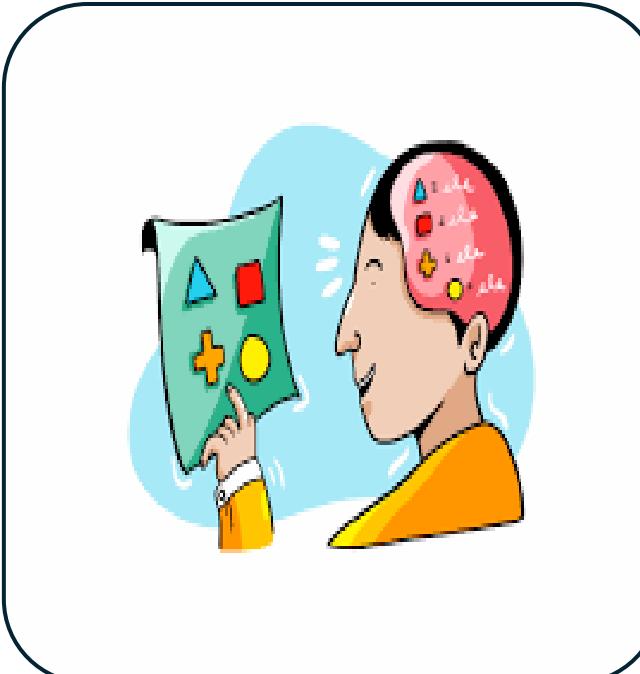
He had an **atavistic** fear of the dark
that he couldn't explain.



mnemonic

ni'mənɪk

“My Very Educated Mother Just Served Us Noodles” is a **mnemonic** for the planets.



swell

swel

Her ankle began to **swell** after the fall.



proletariat

,prəʊlə'terɪət

The novel focused on the struggles of the **proletariat** during the industrial revolution.



tout

taut

The product was **touted** as a revolutionary solution to climate change.

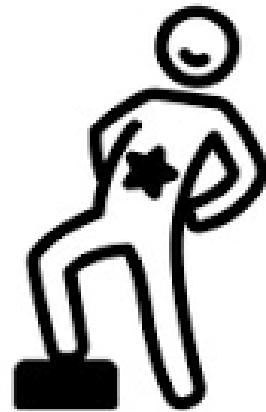


vaunted

'vɔ:ntid

usually before noun

The team's **vaunted** defense failed in the final minutes of the game.



morbid

'mɔ:rbið

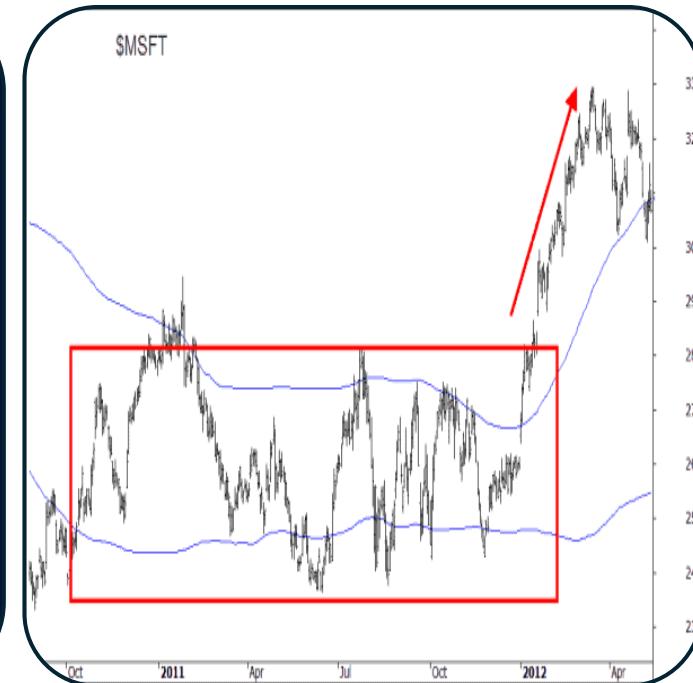
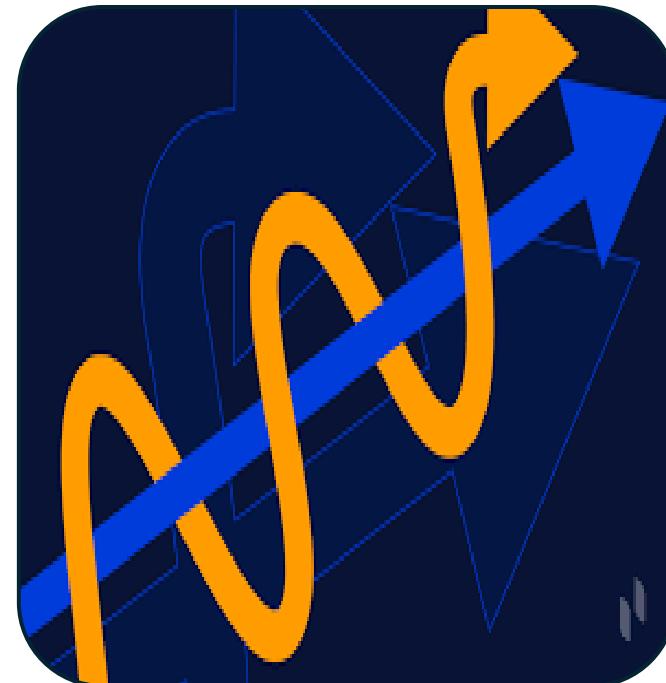
He had a **morbid** fascination with crime documentaries.



reversion

ri'v3:r3n

His behavior showed a **reversion** to childhood habits



ethereal

r'θɪriəl

The music had an **ethereal** quality, like it was from another world.



critter

'krɪtər

We found a little **critter** hiding under
the porch.



kaleidoscope

kə'laidəskəʊp

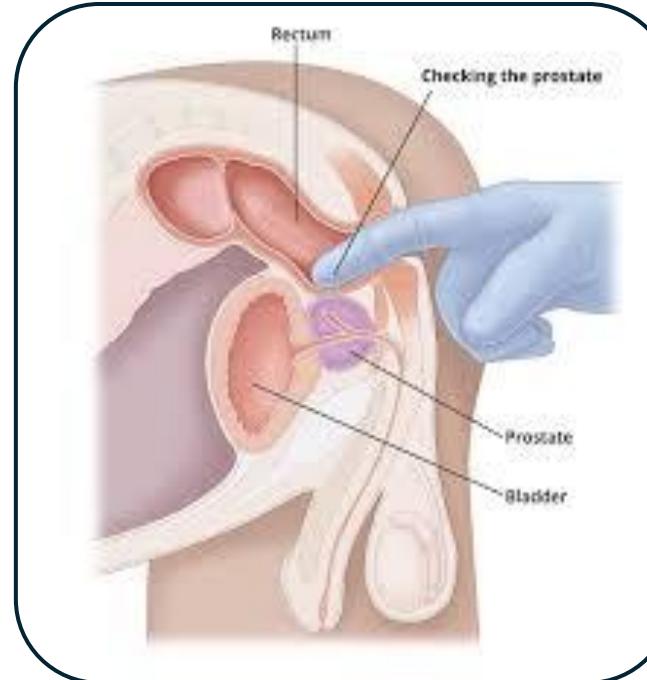
The market was a **kaleidoscope** of colors, sounds, and smells.



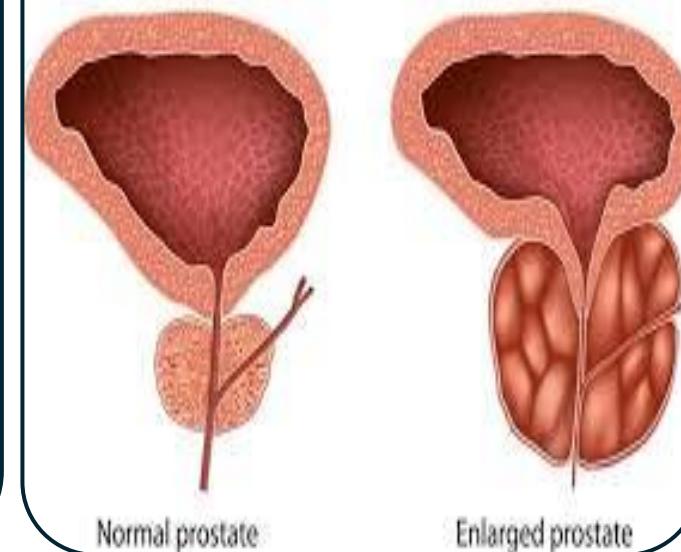
prostate

'pra:steɪt

The doctor explained the importance of regular **prostate** exams for men over 50.



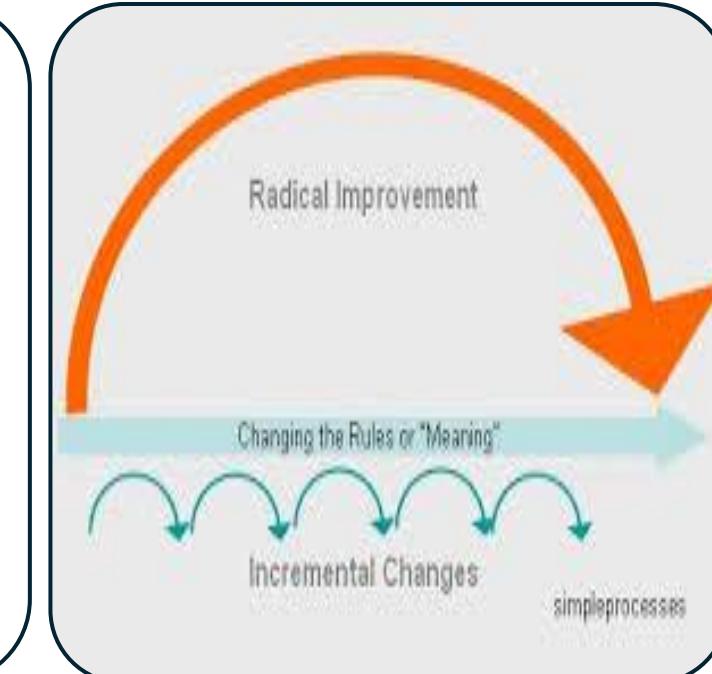
Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia



radical

'rædɪkl

The new policy represented a **radical** shift from tradition.



reconnaissance

ri'kə:nisns

The drone was sent on a **reconnaissance** mission to gather intelligence.



untethered

ʌn'teð.ərd

After quitting his job, he felt **untethered** and unsure of what to do next.



turf

tɜːrf

The gangs were fighting over control of the **turf** in the neighborhood.



steed

sti:d

The knight mounted his **steed** and rode into battle.



ambrosia

æm'brəsɪə

The dessert was so delicious, it tasted like **ambrosia**.



dim

dim

The clouds **dimmed** the brightness of the sun.



dangle

'dæŋgl

Her earrings **dangle** just below her jawline.



faltering

'fɔ:lterɪŋ

His voice was **faltering** as he delivered the bad news.



vengeance

'vendʒəns

He vowed to take **vengeance** on those who had wronged his family.

AVENGE

To take action in response to a wrong done to them out of a desire for justice.



REVENGE

To take action that is motivated by anger or malice.



acquittal

ə'kwɪtl̩

The jury's **acquittal** of the defendant shocked the courtroom.



snide

snaid

She made a **snide** remark about his outdated clothes.



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intercom

'ɪntərkə:m

Please use the **intercom** to let me know when you arrive.



Analgesic

,ænəl'dʒi:zɪk

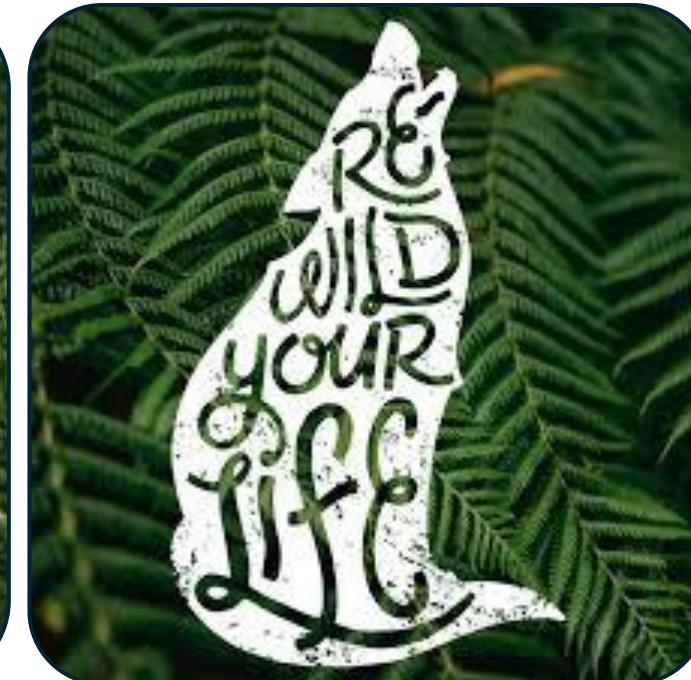
Analgesics were prescribed to relieve her chronic pain.



rewild

,ri: 'waɪld

The project aims to **rewild** parts of the countryside to restore biodiversity.



maize

meɪz

The field was planted with **maize** to feed livestock.

