

Vocabulary Cheatsheet

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
acquire	to get or obtain something	obtain, gain, get
ancient	very old, from a long time ago	old, historic, antique
attempt	to try to do something	try, endeavor, aim
beneficial	helpful or good	helpful, advantageous, useful
brisk	quick and energetic	quick, lively, speedy
cautious	careful to avoid danger	careful, wary, prudent
complex	consisting of many connected parts	complicated, intricate, elaborate
compose	to make something by putting parts together	create, write, form
demand	the need or desire for something	need, requirement, request
delightful	very pleasing or charming	charming, lovely, pleasant
essential	absolutely necessary	necessary, crucial, vital
frequent	happening often	regular, repeated, common
genuine	real, not fake	real, authentic, sincere
harsh	severe or unpleasant	severe, rough, stern
illustrate	to explain with examples or pictures	show, demonstrate, explain
maintain	to keep in good condition	preserve, keep, continue
obvious	easily seen or understood	clear, apparent, evident
precise	exact and accurate	exact, accurate, specific
reluctant	unwilling, hesitant	unwilling, hesitant, resistant
significant	important or meaningful	important, notable, meaningful
sufficient	enough for a purpose	enough, adequate, ample

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thorough	complete and careful	complete, detailed, exhaustive
unique	one of a kind	singular, special, distinctive
vivid	producing clear, strong images	bright, clear, striking
warn	to tell someone about danger	alert, advise, caution
yield	to give or produce something	produce, provide, give
adapt	to adjust to new conditions	adjust, modify, accommodate
analyse	to examine carefully	examine, study, inspect
apparent	clearly visible or understood	obvious, evident, clear
attain	to achieve or reach	achieve, accomplish, reach
brief	short in duration or length	short, concise, succinct
capable	having ability	able, competent, skilled
contrast	difference between things	difference, distinction, comparison
contribute	to give or add to	give, donate, add
courage	bravery	bravery, boldness, valor
curious	eager to know or learn	inquisitive, inquiring, interested
declare	to state formally	announce, proclaim, state
deliver	to bring something to a person	bring, provide, distribute
depend	to rely on	rely, count on, trust
detect	to discover or notice	discover, find, notice
divide	to separate into parts	split, separate, partition
emerge	to come out or appear	appear, arise, surface
encourage	to give support or confidence	support, motivate, inspire
enhance	to improve or increase	improve, boost, increase

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establish	to set up or start	set up, found, create
evaluate	to judge or assess	assess, judge, appraise
examine	to inspect closely	inspect, check, study
expand	to increase in size or scope	enlarge, grow, extend
expose	to reveal or make visible	reveal, uncover, show
familiar	well-known or common	known, recognized, acquainted
fortunate	lucky	lucky, blessed, favored
frequent	happening often	regular, repeated, common
generate	to produce or create	produce, create, cause
hesitate	to pause before doing something	pause, waver, falter
identify	to recognize or name	recognize, name, determine
improve	to make better	enhance, develop, upgrade
include	to contain or have	contain, involve, encompass
inform	to give information	tell, notify, advise
inspire	to motivate or encourage	motivate, encourage, stimulate
intend	to plan or aim	plan, aim, propose
interpret	to explain the meaning	explain, translate, clarify
introduce	to present or make known	present, announce, bring in
maintain	to keep in good condition	preserve, keep, continue
measure	to determine size or amount	assess, gauge, evaluate
observe	to watch carefully	watch, notice, monitor
obtain	to get or acquire	acquire, gain, receive
perform	to carry out or execute	carry out, execute, accomplish
prefer	to like better	choose, favor, select
prepare	to make ready	ready, arrange, organize

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
prevent produce	to stop from happening to create or make	stop, hinder, avoid create, generate, manufacture
protect recognize	to keep safe to identify or know	guard, defend, shelter identify, acknowledge, notice
reduce reflect require	to make smaller or less to think deeply or mirror to need or demand	lessen, decrease, lower ponder, think, mirror need, demand, necessitate
respond simplify	to reply or react to make easier	reply, answer, react make easier, reduce, streamline
suitable	appropriate or fitting	appropriate, proper, fitting
support tolerate understand	to give assistance to allow or endure to grasp meaning	help, assist, aid endure, accept, bear comprehend, grasp, know
utilize various	to use effectively several different kinds	use, employ, apply diverse, different, multiple
verify	to confirm or check	confirm, check, validate
abandon	to leave behind or give up	leave, forsake, relinquish
ability	the skill or power to do something	skill, talent, capability
able	having the power, skill, or means	capable, competent, proficient
abnormal	not normal	unusual, irregular, atypical
absent	not present	away, missing, gone
absolute	complete or total	complete, total, entire
abstract	existing in thought but not physical	theoretical, conceptual
abundant	existing in large quantity	intangible plentiful, copious, ample
accept	to receive willingly	receive, take, agree

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
accurate	correct, exact	precise, correct, exact
achieve	to successfully complete	accomplish, attain, realize
acknowledge	to recognize or admit	recognize, admit, accept
adapt	to adjust to new conditions	adjust, modify, accommodate
adequate	enough or sufficient	sufficient, enough, satisfactory
adjacent	next to or adjoining	neighboring, beside, near
adjust	to change to fit or adapt	modify, adapt, alter
administer	to manage or run	manage, govern, direct
advance	to move forward or improve	progress, proceed, promote
advantage	benefit or gain	benefit, profit, edge
adventure	an exciting or unusual experience	journey, expedition, quest
advice	guidance or recommendation	recommendation, suggestion, counsel
advocate	to support or speak for	support, promote, champion
affect	to influence	influence, impact, alter
afford	to be able to pay for	pay for, manage, provide
against	in opposition to	versus, opposed to, contrary
agency	an organization or business	organization, bureau, company
aggressive	ready to attack or assertive	forceful, assertive, hostile
agree	to have the same opinion	consent, accept, approve
aid	to help or support	help, assist, support
aim	to direct or intend	intend, plan, target
alert	quick to notice or respond	attentive, watchful, vigilant

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
alike	similar or the same	similar, same, comparable
alive	living, not dead	living, existing, active
allow	to permit	permit, let, authorize
almost	nearly	nearly, close to, about
alone	without others	solitary, solo, unaccompanied
along	moving in a line or direction	beside, with, alongside
already	previously	previously, before, earlier
also	in addition	too, additionally, as well
alter	to change	change, modify, adjust
alternative	another option	substitute, replacement, choice
although	in spite of the fact that	though, even though, whereas
always	at all times	constantly, continually, forever
amazing	causing great surprise or wonder	astonishing, incredible, wonderful
among	in the middle of	amidst, surrounded by, between
amount	quantity or total	quantity, total, sum
analysis	detailed examination	examination, study, inspection
ancient	very old	old, historic, antique
anger	strong feeling of displeasure	rage, fury, resentment
angle	the space between two lines	slant, perspective, viewpoint
announce	to make known	proclaim, declare, state
annual	yearly	yearly, every year, once a year
another	one more	additional, extra, second

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
answer	a reply or response	reply, response, solution
anticipate	to expect or predict	expect, foresee, predict
anxiety	worry or nervousness	worry, unease, concern
any	one, some, or every	some, whichever, all
apart	separated	separated, away, divided
apparent	obvious or easily seen	obvious, evident, clear
appeal	to ask earnestly	request, plead, attract
appear	to come into view	seem, show up, emerge
apply	to make a request or use	request, use, employ
appoint	to assign a position	assign, designate, choose
approach	to come near	move toward, advance, reach
appropriate	suitable or fitting	suitable, proper, fitting
approve	to agree or accept	accept, endorse, authorize
area	a region or space	region, zone, section
argue	to discuss or debate	debate, dispute, reason
arise	to come into being	emerge, appear, occur
arrange	to organize	organize, plan, order
arrive	to reach a place	reach, come, get to
article	a piece of writing	item, piece, report
artistic	creative or aesthetic	creative, imaginative, aesthetic
aspect	a part or feature	feature, facet, component
assess	to evaluate	evaluate, judge, appraise
assist	to help	help, aid, support

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
assume	to suppose or take for granted	suppose, presume, believe
assure	to promise or make certain	guarantee, promise, convince
astonish	to surprise greatly	amaze, astound, stun
attach	to fasten or connect	connect, join, affix
attempt	to try	try, endeavor, strive
attend	to be present	participate, go to, be present
attract	to draw attention	lure, entice, appeal
authority	power to control	power, command, control
available	ready for use	ready, accessible, obtainable
average	typical or usual	typical, normal, standard
avoid	to stay away from	evade, escape, prevent
aware	knowing or conscious	conscious, cognizant, informed
bachelor	a man who has not married / an undergraduate degree	single, unmarried / undergraduate, degree
balance	a state of stability or equality	stability, equilibrium, equality
ban	to prohibit	forbid, prohibit, exclude
basic	fundamental or simple	fundamental, essential, primary
bear	to carry or endure	carry, endure, support
beauty	quality of being pleasing	attractiveness, charm, loveliness
because	for the reason that	since, as, due to
become	to begin to be	grow, turn into, develop
before	earlier than	prior to, ahead of, preceding
behave	to act in a certain way	act, conduct, perform

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
belief	an opinion or conviction	opinion, conviction, view
believe	to accept as true	trust, accept, consider
benefit	advantage or gain	advantage, profit, good
beside	next to	alongside, next to, near
best	of the highest quality	finest, top, greatest
better	of superior quality	improved, superior, preferable
between	in the middle of two	among, amid, separating
beyond	further than	past, farther than, outside
bias	prejudice or preference	prejudice, favoritism, partiality
big	large in size	large, huge, enormous
bill	an invoice or proposed law	statement, invoice / legislation, act
bind	to tie or restrict	tie, fasten, constrain
biography	a written account of someone's life	life story, profile, memoir
birth	the process of being born	nativity, delivery, origin
bitter	having a sharp taste or feeling	acrid, harsh, resentful
black	of the darkest color	dark, ebony, jet
blame	to assign responsibility for a fault	accuse, hold responsible, fault
blend	to mix together	mix, combine, merge
block	an obstruction or section	barrier, obstruction, section
blood	the fluid circulating in the body	plasma, circulation, life fluid
blue	of the color between green and violet	azure, cerulean, navy
board	a flat surface or group of directors	panel, committee, plank
body	the physical structure of a person or thing	form, structure, physique

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
bold	brave or strong in appearance	courageous, daring, confident
bond	a connection or tie	connection, link, tie
book	a set of written pages	volume, publication, text
border	the edge or boundary	boundary, edge, margin
born	brought into life	delivered, birthed, created
borrow	to take and return later	take, loan, obtain temporarily
both	the two together	the pair, the two, both of them
bother	to annoy or worry	annoy, disturb, trouble
bottle	a container for liquids	flask, container, jar
bottom	the lowest part	base, foot, underside
bound	tied or destined	tied, constrained, destined
branch	part of a tree or division	limb, division, section
brand	a type of product or mark	label, trademark, make
brave	courageous	courageous, bold, valiant
break	to separate or pause	shatter, fracture, interrupt
bright	giving off light or intelligent	luminous, clever, vivid
bring	to carry toward	carry, deliver, fetch
broad	wide or extensive	wide, expansive, extensive
brother	a male sibling	sibling, kin, male relative
budget	financial plan	finances, plan, allocation
build	to construct	construct, create, develop
burden	a heavy load or responsibility	load, weight, responsibility

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
burn	to destroy with fire or heat	ignite, incinerate, scorch
business	trade or company	commerce, enterprise, company
busy	actively engaged	occupied, active, engaged
but	except, however	however, except, nevertheless
buy	to purchase	purchase, acquire, obtain
by	near or via	near, through, via
calculate	to determine mathematically	compute, figure out, estimate
call	to name or contact	summon, contact, phone
calm	peaceful or quiet	peaceful, serene, tranquil
campaign	organized effort for a cause	drive, operation, initiative
can	to be able to	able, capable, manage
cancel	to call off	annul, revoke, terminate
capable	having ability	competent, skilled, able
capacity	maximum ability or amount	ability, capability, volume
capital	city where government is located / money	metropolis, city / funds, wealth
capture	to catch or seize	seize, catch, apprehend
care	attention or concern	attention, concern, caution
career	profession or occupation	profession, vocation, occupation
careful	cautious	cautious, attentive, meticulous
carry	to transport	transport, convey, bear

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
case	instance or container	instance, situation, example / container, box
cast	to throw or assign	throw, toss / assign, select
catch	to capture	seize, grab, capture
cause	reason or bring about	reason, motive, induce
caution	care to avoid danger	care, prudence, alertness
cease	to stop	stop, halt, end
celebrate	to observe or honor	observe, honor, commemorate
center	middle point	middle, core, hub
central	main or important	main, core, principal
century	period of 100 years	100-year period, era, age
certain	sure or definite	sure, definite, confident
challenge	difficult task	test, difficulty, obstacle
chance	opportunity or possibility	opportunity, possibility, likelihood
change	to make different	alter, modify, transform
character	personality or symbol	personality, nature / symbol, letter
charge	to demand payment or accuse	bill, demand / accuse, blame
chart	diagram or map	diagram, graph, map
check	examine or verify	examine, inspect, verify
child	young human	kid, youngster, minor
choice	option or selection	option, alternative, selection
choose	to select	select, pick, decide
circle	round shape	ring, loop, round
claim	to state or demand	assert, declare, demand

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
class	group or category	group, category, grade
clean	free from dirt	tidy, spotless, neat
clear	easy to understand or see	obvious, evident, transparent
climb	to go up	ascend, scale, mount
close	near or shut	near, nearby / shut, seal
clothes	garments	apparel, garments, attire
cloud	visible mass of vapor	vapor, mist, fog
club	group or organization	organization, association, society
coach	trainer or bus	trainer, instructor / bus, vehicle
coal	fossil fuel	fuel, carbon, mineral
coast	land near the sea	shore, seaside, shoreline
coat	outer garment	jacket, overcoat, layer
collect	to gather	gather, accumulate, amass
color	hue or shade	hue, shade, tint
combine	to join together	unite, merge, blend
come	to move toward	arrive, approach, reach
comfort	ease or consolation	ease, consolation, solace
command	order or control	order, direct, instruct
comment	remark or opinion	remark, observation, note
commercial	related to business	business, trade, industrial
common	usual or shared	usual, ordinary, shared
communicate	to convey information	convey, express, inform
community	group of people	society, group, population

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
company	business or group	firm, business, corporation
compare	to examine similarities	contrast, evaluate, examine
compete	to try to win	contend, rival, challenge
complete	finished or whole	finish, accomplish, entire
complex	complicated	complicated, intricate, elaborate
compose	to create or make up	create, form, constitute
concern	worry or interest	worry, interest, anxiety
conclude	to finish or decide	finish, end, decide
condition	state or requirement	state, situation, requirement
conduct	behavior or carry out	behavior, management / perform, execute
confirm	to verify	verify, affirm, validate
connect	to join or link	link, join, attach
consider	to think about	think about, contemplate, reflect
consist	to be made of	be composed of, contain, comprise
contain	to hold or include	hold, include, encompass
continue	to keep going	persist, maintain, carry on
contract	agreement or shrink	agreement, deal / shrink, reduce
control	power to direct	manage, govern, command
convert	to change form	change, transform, alter
cool	moderately cold or calm	chilly, cold / calm, composed
cope	to manage or deal with	manage, handle, deal

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
correct	accurate or fix	right, accurate / fix, amend
cost	price or expense	price, expense, charge
create	to make or produce	make, produce, generate
credit	acknowledgment or funds	acknowledgment, recognition / funds, money
crime	illegal act	offense, felony, wrongdoing
criminal	lawbreaker	offender, lawbreaker, felon
critical	very important or judgmental	crucial, essential / judgmental, fault-finding
cross	to go across	traverse, pass, go over
crowd	large number of people	group, multitude, gathering
crucial	extremely important	vital, essential, critical
culture	customs or arts	civilization, society, arts
current	happening now or flow	present, contemporary / flow, stream
damage	harm or injury	harm, destruction, injury
dance	to move rhythmically to music	sway, move, perform
danger	risk of harm	risk, hazard, threat
dark	without light	dim, shadowy, gloomy
data	information collected	information, facts, figures
date	day of the month or appointment	day, time, occasion
daughter	female child	girl, child, offspring
day	24-hour period	period, daytime, date
dead	no longer alive	lifeless, deceased, departed
deal	agreement or trade	agreement, transaction, bargain

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
debate	discussion of opposing views	argument, discussion, dispute
decade	10-year period	10 years, period, era
decide	to make a choice	choose, determine, resolve
decision	choice made	choice, judgment, resolution
declare	to announce officially	announce, proclaim, state
decrease	to reduce	reduce, lessen, diminish
deep	extending far down	profound, bottomless, intense
defend	to protect or support	protect, guard, uphold
define	to describe meaning	describe, explain, characterize
degree	unit of measurement or level	level, rank, step
delay	to postpone	postpone, defer, put off
deliver	to bring or hand over	bring, transport, provide
demand	to request strongly	request, insist, require
demonstrate	to show or explain	show, display, exhibit
deny	to refuse or reject	refuse, reject, contradict
depend	to rely on	rely, trust, hinge
describe	to explain in words	explain, depict, portray
design	to plan or create	plan, create, draft
desire	wish or want	wish, want, longing
destroy	to ruin or damage	ruin, demolish, annihilate
detail	small part or fact	feature, item, point
determine	to decide or find out	decide, establish, ascertain
develop	to grow or improve	grow, expand, progress

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device	tool or machine	tool, gadget, apparatus
devote	to dedicate	dedicate, commit, allocate
dialogue	conversation between people	conversation, discussion, talk
difference	distinction or dissimilarity	distinction, dissimilarity, contrast
difficult	hard to do	hard, challenging, tough
dinner	main meal of the day	meal, supper, feast
direct	straight or manage	straight, straightforward / manage, lead
direction	course or guidance	course, path, orientation
discover	to find or learn	find, detect, uncover
discuss	to talk about	talk, debate, deliberate
disease	illness	illness, sickness, ailment
display	to show or exhibit	show, exhibit, present
distance	space between points	length, space, gap
distinct	clearly different	separate, unique, clear
divide	to separate	separate, split, partition
do	to perform or act	perform, act, execute
doctor	medical professional	physician, medic, practitioner
document	written record	record, report, paper
dog	domestic animal	canine, pet, hound
door	entrance or barrier	entrance, gate, portal
double	twice as much	twofold, dual, twin
down	lower position	below, downward, beneath
draw	to sketch or attract	sketch, illustrate / attract, pull
dream	thoughts during sleep or aspiration	vision, aspiration, hope

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
dress	clothing or attire	clothing, outfit, garment
drink	liquid to consume	beverage, liquid, sip
drive	to operate a vehicle	steer, operate, travel
drop	fall or decrease	fall, descend, decline
dry	without moisture	arid, parched, dehydrated
during	throughout a period	throughout, in the course of, amid
dust	fine particles	dirt, powder, particles
duty	responsibility	responsibility, obligation, task
each	every one	every, all, every single
earn	to receive money or reward	receive, gain, obtain
earth	planet or ground	world, globe / ground, soil
ease	comfort or relief	comfort, relief, simplicity
east	direction or region	sunrise direction, orient / region, area
easy	simple or effortless	simple, effortless, uncomplicated
economic	related to money	financial, fiscal, commercial
economy	wealth management	finances, market, system
edge	border or margin	border, rim, boundary
education	learning or instruction	schooling, learning, teaching
effect	result or influence	result, outcome, impact
effort	attempt or energy used	attempt, exertion, endeavor
either	one or the other	one, any, whichever
elaborate	detailed or develop	detailed, intricate / develop, expand
elect	choose by vote	choose, select, vote

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
element	part or component	component, part, aspect
elevate	to raise or improve	raise, lift, uplift
else	other / different	other, additional, different
emerge	to appear or arise	appear, arise, surface
emphasize	to stress or highlight	stress, highlight, underscore
employ	to hire or use	hire, engage, utilize
enable	to make possible	allow, permit, facilitate
encourage	to support or inspire	support, inspire, motivate
end	finish or limit	finish, conclude, terminate
energy	power or vitality	power, vigor, strength
engage	to participate or attract	participate, involve, occupy
enhance	to improve or increase	improve, boost, strengthen
enjoy	to take pleasure in	take pleasure in, relish, appreciate
enough	sufficient	sufficient, adequate, plenty
ensure	to make certain	guarantee, assure, secure
enter	to go in	go in, access, penetrate
entire	whole or complete	whole, complete, total
environment	surroundings	surroundings, habitat, setting
equal	same in value or status	same, equivalent, identical
equipment	tools or machinery	tools, apparatus, devices
escape	to get away	flee, get away, evade
especially	particularly	particularly, notably, specifically
establish	to set up or start	found, create, set up

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
estimate	to approximate	approximate, calculate, guess
evaluate	to assess or judge	assess, judge, appraise
even	flat or equal / also	level, flat / also, additionally
event	occurrence or happening	occurrence, happening, occasion
ever	at any time	at any time, always, continuously
every	all / each	all, each, every single
evidence	proof	proof, confirmation, indication
exact	precise	precise, accurate, correct
example	instance or model	instance, model, case
excellent	extremely good	outstanding, superb, exceptional
except	excluding	excluding, apart from, aside from
exchange	trade or swap	trade, swap, interchange
excite	to arouse or thrill	thrill, stimulate, arouse
exercise	physical activity / practice	activity, practice, training
exist	to be or live	be, live, occur
expect	to anticipate	anticipate, await, look for
experience	knowledge gained / event	knowledge, skill / event, occurrence
expert	skilled person	specialist, professional, master
explain	to make clear	clarify, describe, illustrate
express	to show or convey	convey, communicate, articulate
extend	to make longer or reach out	lengthen, prolong, stretch

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
extra	additional	additional, supplementary, more
eye	organ of sight	sight organ, optic, vision
face	front of something / confront	front, surface / confront, tackle
fact	truth or reality	truth, reality, information
fail	to be unsuccessful	flunk, be unsuccessful, collapse
fair	just or reasonable	just, impartial, equitable
fall	to drop or decrease	drop, descend, decrease
familiar	well-known	known, recognized, acquainted
family	group of relatives	relatives, household, kin
famous	well-known	renowned, celebrated, notable
far	distant	distant, remote, away
fast	quick	quick, rapid, swift
fat	with much body weight	overweight, plump, chubby
fault	mistake or defect	mistake, error, defect
favor	support or preference	support, preference, assistance
fear	anxiety or dread	dread, anxiety, apprehension
feature	characteristic or highlight	characteristic, attribute, highlight
federal	related to national government	national, central, governmental
feel	perceive or sense	sense, perceive, experience
female	woman or girl	woman, girl, feminine
fence	barrier	barrier, enclosure, railing

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
few	small number	several, a small number, some
field	area of land / area of study	area, land / area, domain
fight	to battle or struggle	battle, struggle, combat
figure	number or person / calculate	number, digit / calculate, determine
fill	to make full	occupy, load, stuff
final	last or ultimate	last, ultimate, concluding
find	to discover or locate	discover, locate, detect
fine	good quality / small particles	excellent, good / tiny, small
finish	to complete	complete, end, conclude
fire	combustion or dismissal	blaze, flame / dismiss, terminate
first	initial or earliest	initial, earliest, primary
fit	suitable or healthy	suitable, appropriate / healthy, strong
five	number 5	5, quintet, V
fix	to repair or set	repair, mend, attach
flag	piece of cloth / symbol	banner, standard / emblem, signal
flat	level or smooth	level, smooth, even
floor	surface to walk on	surface, level, ground
flow	movement of liquid or air	movement, stream, circulation
focus	center of attention	concentrate, center, emphasize
follow	to come after	pursue, track, attend
food	substance to eat	nourishment, meal, cuisine
foot	lower extremity or measure	leg, lower limb / unit, step

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
for force	indicating purpose strength or influence	intended for, in order to, because of strength, power, pressure
formal formulate fortunate foundation frament frame frequent frustrate function fundamental furnish future gain general generate genuine gesture global goal	following established conventions to create or develop methodically lucky or favorable base or principle small piece structure or border happening often to hinder or annoy purpose or role basic or essential to provide or supply time to come to obtain or increase broad or widespread to produce or cause real or authentic movement expressing idea or feeling worldwide target or objective	official, conventional, proper devise, develop, construct lucky, blessed, advantageous base, basis, groundwork piece, shard, portion structure, skeleton, outline repeated, regular, common thwart, hinder, irritate purpose, role, operation basic, essential, primary provide, equip, supply forthcoming, upcoming, prospective acquire, earn, achieve universal, overall, widespread produce, create, induce authentic, real, sincere motion, signal, sign worldwide, international, universal aim, objective, target

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
gradual	happening slowly	slow, progressive, stepwise
grant	to give or allow	give, bestow, allow
graphic	visual or explicit	visual, vivid, explicit
grasp	to hold firmly / understand	seize, clutch / comprehend, understand
guarantee	a promise or assurance	assurance, pledge, warranty
guideline	recommendation or rule	recommendation, principle, instruction
habit	regular practice	routine, custom, pattern
halt	stop or pause	stop, cease, pause
handle	manage or deal with	manage, deal with, control
harm	injury or damage	damage, injury, hurt
harsh	severe or rough	severe, stern, strict
highlight	emphasize or important part	emphasize, underline, feature
hinder	to obstruct or delay	obstruct, impede, inhibit
historical	relating to history	past, bygone, historical
honest	truthful	truthful, sincere, frank
hostile	unfriendly or aggressive	antagonistic, aggressive, unfriendly
household	family or domestic unit	family, domestic, home
humanitarian	concerned with human welfare	compassionate, charitable, philanthropic
humble	modest or lowly	modest, unpretentious, meek
identify	recognize or establish identity	recognize, determine, distinguish
ignore	to disregard	disregard, neglect, overlook
illustrate	to explain with examples or pictures	demonstrate, depict, explain

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
impact	strong effect	effect, influence, consequence
implement	to put into action	execute, apply, enforce
imply	to suggest indirectly	suggest, indicate, hint
importance	significance	significance, value, relevance
impose	to force or enforce	enforce, dictate, inflict
impress	to affect strongly	amaze, astonish, influence
improve	make better	enhance, develop, refine
incentive	motivation or reward	motivation, inducement, stimulus
include	to contain or involve	contain, involve, comprise
income	earnings	earnings, salary, revenue
increase	to become greater	rise, grow, boost
indicate	to show or point out	show, point out, signal
individual	single person or entity	person, entity, single
induce	to cause or persuade	cause, bring about, persuade
inevitable	unavoidable	unavoidable, certain, inescapable
influence	power to affect	effect, impact, control
inform	to give information	notify, tell, update
infrastructure	basic facilities and systems	framework, system, foundation
initial	first or beginning	first, primary, original
innovate	to create new ideas	invent, create, introduce
input	information or contribution	contribution, data, advice
inspect	to examine carefully	examine, scrutinize, check

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
inspire	to motivate or encourage	motivate, encourage, stimulate
install	to set up	set up, establish, implement
instance	example or case	example, case, occurrence
institute	organization or establish	organization, academy / establish, found
instruct	to teach or direct	teach, guide, direct
intellectual	relating to the mind or intelligence	mental, cognitive, cerebral
intense	extreme or strong	extreme, strong, powerful
interact	to communicate or work together	communicate, engage, collaborate
interest	curiosity or stake	curiosity, concern, stake
interpret	explain meaning	explain, clarify, translate
intervene	to come between	step in, interfere, mediate
introduce	to present or bring in	present, announce, launch
invest	to put resources into	fund, allocate, finance
involve	to include or engage	include, engage, incorporate
issue	topic or problem	topic, matter, problem
item	individual thing	object, article, unit
journal	periodical or diary	magazine, periodical, diary
justify	to show or prove right	defend, explain, warrant
keen	eager or sharp	eager, enthusiastic / sharp, acute
key	essential or main	essential, crucial, central

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
knowledge	understanding or information	understanding, awareness, familiarity
label	tag or categorize	tag, mark / categorize, classify
launch	to start or send forth	start, initiate, introduce
law	system of rules	regulation, statute, legislation
lead	to guide or direct	guide, direct, command
league	group or association	association, alliance, federation
learn	to gain knowledge	study, acquire, understand
legal	related to law	lawful, legitimate, authorized
legitimate	lawful or reasonable	lawful, valid, proper
leisure	free time	free time, recreation, relaxation
length	measurement from end to end	extent, distance, span
lessen	to reduce	decrease, diminish, reduce
level	height, degree, or standard	height, degree, standard
liberal	open-minded or generous	open-minded, progressive / generous, tolerant
limit	boundary or restriction	boundary, restriction, constraint
literature	written works	writings, texts, publications
gainful	profitable or beneficial	profitable, advantageous, rewarding
generate	to produce or cause	produce, create, induce
generic	general or not specific	general, common, standard
gesture	movement to express meaning	motion, signal, sign

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
globalize	to make worldwide	internationalize, universalize, expand
goal	objective or aim	target, objective, aim
gradual	happening slowly	slow, progressive, stepwise
grapple	struggle or wrestle	struggle, wrestle, tackle
gratify	to please or satisfy	please, satisfy, delight
grievance	complaint or injustice	complaint, grievance, objection
guise	outward appearance	appearance, semblance, pretense
harass	to trouble or annoy	bother, disturb, persecute
hasten	to hurry or accelerate	accelerate, hurry, speed up
haughty	arrogantly proud	arrogant, proud, superior
hazard	danger or risk	danger, risk, peril
heighten	to increase or intensify	intensify, increase, raise
herald	to announce or signal	announce, signal, proclaim
hesitate	to pause or be reluctant	pause, falter, waver
hierarchy	ranking or order	ranking, pecking order, structure
highlight	emphasize or main feature	emphasize, feature, underline
hinder	to obstruct or delay	obstruct, impede, inhibit
hostile	unfriendly or antagonistic	antagonistic, aggressive, unfriendly
hypothesis	proposed explanation	theory, proposition, assumption
ideal	perfect or standard	perfect, exemplary, model
identify	recognize or establish	recognize, distinguish, determine
illuminate	to light up or clarify	light, clarify, explain

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
illustrate	to show or explain	demonstrate, depict, explain
imitate	to copy	copy, emulate, mimic
impact	influence or effect	influence, effect, consequence
implement	to carry out	execute, apply, enforce
implicit	implied or understood	implied, unspoken, inferred
impose	to enforce or burden	enforce, dictate, inflict
incentive	motivation or reward	motivation, inducement, stimulus
incline	to lean or favor	slope, tilt / favor, prefer
include	to contain or involve	contain, involve, comprise
income	earnings	earnings, revenue, salary
incorporate	to include or combine	integrate, combine, merge
indicate	to point out or show	show, signify, demonstrate
indispensable	absolutely necessary	essential, crucial, vital
induce	to bring about or persuade	cause, bring about, persuade
inevitable	unavoidable	unavoidable, certain, inescapable
influence	power to affect	impact, effect, control
inform	to notify or tell	notify, tell, update
infrastructure	basic systems	framework, system, foundation
inherent	existing naturally	intrinsic, innate, built-in
initiative	plan or enterprise	plan, enterprise, project
innovate	to create new ideas	invent, create, introduce

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
insight	deep understanding	understanding, perception, awareness
inspect	to examine	examine, scrutinize, check
inspire	to motivate	motivate, encourage, stimulate
instigate	to provoke or initiate	provoke, incite, start
institute	to establish or organization	establish, create / organization, academy
instruct	to teach or direct	teach, guide, direct
integrate	combine or unify	combine, unify, merge
intellectual	relating to the mind	mental, cognitive, cerebral
intensify	to increase	strengthen, heighten, escalate
interact	communicate or collaborate	communicate, engage, cooperate
interfere	to intervene negatively	meddle, intrude, intervene
intermediate	middle level	middle, moderate, average
internal	inside or within	inner, inside, intrinsic
interpret	explain or translate	explain, clarify, translate
intervene	to come between	step in, mediate, interfere
intimate	close or personal	close, familiar, private
intricate	complex	complicated, elaborate, detailed
introduce	present or bring in	present, launch, announce
invest	allocate or fund	fund, finance, allocate
investigate	examine carefully	examine, inspect, explore
involve	include or engage	include, engage, incorporate
ironically	in a contradictory way	paradoxically, unexpectedly, surprisingly

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
issue	problem or topic	problem, matter, concern
itemize	list individually	list, enumerate, catalog
justify	to show or prove right	defend, explain, warrant
keen	eager or sharp	eager, enthusiastic / sharp, acute
key	essential or main	essential, crucial, central
kick	strike with foot	strike, punt, boot
kind	type or considerate	type, sort / considerate, compassionate
knowledge	understanding or awareness	understanding, awareness, familiarity
label	tag or categorize	tag, mark / categorize, classify
labor	work or effort	work, toil, employment
lack	absence or shortage	absence, shortage, deficiency
land	ground or property	ground, terrain / property, estate
landscape	scenery or area	scenery, view, panorama
language	system of communication	speech, dialect, tongue
large	big or extensive	big, huge, enormous
last	final or continue	final, ultimate / continue, persist
late	delayed or recent	delayed, overdue / recent, last
lateral	side or sideways	side, sideways, horizontal
launch	start or introduce	start, initiate, introduce
lawful	legal or legitimate	legal, legitimate, authorized

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
lead	guide or cause	guide, direct, command / cause, result in
league	group or association	association, alliance, federation
learn	gain knowledge	study, acquire, understand
leave	go away or allow	depart, exit / allow, permit
legacy	inheritance or tradition	inheritance, heritage, tradition
legal	relating to law	lawful, legitimate, authorized
legitimate	valid or justifiable	lawful, valid, proper
leisure	free time	free time, recreation, relaxation
lengthy	long or extended	long, extended, prolonged
lessen	reduce	decrease, diminish, reduce
lethal	deadly	deadly, fatal, mortal
level	height or standard	height, degree, standard
liberal	open-minded or generous	open-minded, progressive / generous, tolerant
license	official permission	permit, authorization, certificate
light	illumination or not heavy	illumination, brightness / not heavy, airy
limit	boundary or restriction	boundary, restriction, constraint
linear	in a straight line	straight, sequential, consecutive
link	connection or relationship	connection, tie, bond
listen	pay attention to sound	hear, attend, heed
literacy	ability to read/write	reading skill, education, knowledge

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
literary	relating to literature	written, artistic, textual
literature	written works	writings, texts, publications
lively	full of energy	energetic, animated, spirited
logic	reasoning	reasoning, rationale, sense
long	extended or lengthy	extended, lengthy, prolonged
look	see or examine	see, observe, examine
loose	not tight or free	slack, free, untied
lose	fail to keep	misplace, fail, forfeit
lot	a large amount or area	many, plenty, batch / area, plot
lure	attract or entice	attract, entice, tempt
luxury	great comfort	comfort, opulence, extravagance
maintain	keep in good condition	preserve, uphold, sustain
major	main or significant	main, principal, significant
manage	handle or control	handle, control, direct
mandatory	required or compulsory	required, compulsory, obligatory
manifest	show clearly or obvious	display, reveal / obvious, clear
mature	fully developed	grown, developed, adult
mediate	intervene to resolve	arbitrate, intervene, negotiate
migrate	move from one place to another	relocate, move, travel
minimize	reduce to smallest degree	reduce, lessen, diminish
mitigate	make less severe	alleviate, lessen, reduce
mobile	able to move easily	movable, portable, flexible
modify	change or adjust	alter, adjust, adapt

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
monitor	observe or check	observe, oversee, watch
motive	reason for action	reason, purpose, incentive
multiply	increase in number	increase, proliferate, reproduce
mutual	shared by two or more	shared, reciprocal, joint
mysterious	difficult to understand	enigmatic, puzzling, secretive
navigate	find way or direct	steer, guide, traverse
negate	make ineffective	nullify, cancel, invalidate
negotiate	discuss to reach agreement	bargain, discuss, arrange
nominal	small or in name only	minimal, titular, symbolic
notable	worthy of attention	remarkable, noteworthy, significant
notorious	famous for bad reason	infamous, well-known, disreputable
novel	new or unusual	new, original, innovative
nullify	cancel or invalidate	invalidate, annul, negate
nurture	care for or encourage growth	cultivate, foster, encourage
objective	goal or unbiased	aim, purpose / impartial, unbiased
oblige	require or do favor	require, compel / accommodate, help
obscure	unclear or hidden	unclear, unknown, ambiguous
observe	watch carefully	watch, notice, monitor
obtain	get or acquire	acquire, get, procure
occupy	reside in or take up space	inhabit, fill, reside
offense	crime or insult	crime, wrongdoing / insult, affront

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
official	authorized or formal	authorized, formal, approved
omit	leave out or exclude	leave out, exclude, skip
once	one time or formerly	one time, formerly, previously
ongoing	continuing	continuing, persistent, current
open	not closed / receptive	unlocked, accessible / receptive, transparent
operate	control or function	run, manage, work
opinion	belief or view	belief, view, judgment
opponent	adversary or rival	adversary, rival, competitor
opportunity	favorable chance	chance, prospect, possibility
optimistic	hopeful or positive	hopeful, confident, positive
optional	not required	voluntary, elective, discretionary
order	command or arrangement	command, instruction / arrangement, sequence
organize	arrange systematically	arrange, structure, coordinate
original	first or unique	first, initial / unique, novel
outcome	result or effect	result, consequence, effect
outstanding	excellent or remarkable	excellent, exceptional, remarkable
overcome	succeed in dealing with	conquer, defeat, prevail
oversee	supervise or watch	supervise, manage, monitor
overview	general summary	summary, survey, outline
qualify	meet requirements or be eligible	meet, satisfy, be eligible

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
quantify	measure or express in numbers	measure, calculate, assess
quest	search or pursuit	search, pursuit, endeavor
question	ask or doubt	ask, inquire / doubt, challenge
queue	line or sequence	line, row, sequence
quick	fast or prompt	fast, rapid, speedy
quiet	making little noise	silent, calm, still
radical	extreme or fundamental	extreme, revolutionary, thorough
range	scope or variety	scope, span, variety
rapid	fast or sudden	fast, swift, quick
rare	uncommon or exceptional	uncommon, exceptional, unique
rate	measure or assess	measure, assess, evaluate
rational	reasonable	reasonable, logical, sensible
react	respond to stimulus	respond, reply, act
readily	easily or willingly	easily, willingly, promptly
realistic	practical or plausible	practical, feasible, plausible
reason	cause or justification	cause, justification, explanation
rebel	oppose authority	resist, oppose, revolt
recall	remember or retrieve	remember, recollect, retrieve
receive	get or accept	get, obtain, accept
recent	happening not long ago	latest, new, modern
recognize	identify or acknowledge	identify, acknowledge, notice
recommend	suggest or endorse	suggest, advise, endorse
recover	regain or heal	regain, regain, heal
reduce	make smaller or less	lessen, decrease, diminish

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
refer	mention or direct	mention, direct, indicate
reflect	mirror or think	mirror, show / ponder, consider
reform	improve or change	improve, change, amend
refuse	decline or reject	decline, reject, deny
regard	consider or respect	consider, view / respect, esteem
region	area or district	area, district, zone
register	enroll or record	enroll, record, sign up
regulate	control or supervise	control, supervise, manage
reinforce	strengthen or support	strengthen, support, fortify
reject	refuse or dismiss	refuse, dismiss, deny
relate	connect or narrate	connect, link / narrate, recount
release	free or make available	free, liberate / publish, issue
relevant	connected or appropriate	connected, pertinent, applicable
rely	depend on	depend, trust, count on
remain	continue or stay	continue, stay, persist
remark	comment or notice	comment, observation, note
remedy	solution or cure	solution, fix, cure
remind	cause to remember	prompt, recall, alert
remote	distant or unlikely	distant, far, isolated
remove	take away	take away, eliminate, extract
render	provide or cause to be	give, provide / make, cause
renew	make new again	restore, refresh, revive
repeal	revoke or cancel	revoke, cancel, annul
replace	substitute or take the place of	substitute, change, exchange

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
report	account or information	account, statement, record
represent	stand for or depict	symbolize, depict, act for
reproduce	copy or produce again	copy, duplicate, replicate
require	need or demand	need, demand, necessitate
rescue	save from danger	save, recover, deliver
research	study systematically	study, investigate, examine
reserve	set aside or retain	set aside, retain, keep
reside	live in a place	dwell, inhabit, occupy
resist	oppose or withstand	oppose, withstand, endure
resolve	solve or decide	solve, settle, determine
respect	admiration or regard	esteem, admiration / regard, honor
respond	reply or react	reply, react, answer
restore	bring back or repair	reinstate, renew, repair
restrict	limit or control	limit, confine, constrain
result	outcome or consequence	outcome, consequence, effect
retain	keep or hold	keep, maintain, preserve
reveal	make known or visible	disclose, show, expose
reverse	turn back or opposite	invert, overturn, opposite
review	examine or assess	examine, assess, evaluate
revise	correct or improve	correct, amend, modify
revolve	rotate or circle around	rotate, orbit, turn
rigorous	strict or thorough	strict, thorough, exacting

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
risky	involving danger	dangerous, hazardous, uncertain
robust	strong or healthy	strong, sturdy, resilient
rough	uneven or harsh	uneven, coarse, harsh
routine	regular procedure	procedure, practice, habit
rudimentary	basic or elementary	basic, fundamental, primitive
rule	principle or regulation	principle, law, regulation
rural	relating to countryside	countryside, pastoral, rustic
rush	hurry or move quickly	hurry, dash, sprint
safeguard	protect or defense	protect, defend, secure
saturate	soak or fill thoroughly	soak, drench, fill
scarcely	hardly or barely	hardly, barely, almost not
scheme	plan or program	plan, strategy, system
scope	range or extent	range, extent, breadth
scrutinize	examine carefully	examine, inspect, analyze
secure	safe or obtain	safe, protected / obtain, acquire
segment	part or section	part, section, portion
select	choose carefully	choose, pick, elect
sensible	reasonable or practical	reasonable, rational, practical
sensitive	easily affected or aware	delicate, responsive, aware
sequence	order or series	order, series, succession
serve	perform duty or provide	assist, perform, deliver
setback	obstacle or reversal	obstacle, problem, hindrance

Word	Meaning	Synonyms / Alternatives
settle	resolve or establish	resolve, establish, colonize
severe	harsh or extreme	harsh, strict, intense
significant	important or meaningful	important, notable, meaningful
similar	alike or comparable	alike, comparable, analogous
simultaneous	happening at same time	concurrent, synchronous, coincident
simplify	make easier	clarify, make easier, reduce
simulate	imitate or reproduce	imitate, mimic, replicate
skilled	proficient or expert	proficient, expert, capable
skeleton	framework or structure	framework, structure, outline
slight	small or minor	small, minor, negligible
soar	rise rapidly	rise, increase, ascend
social	relating to society	societal, communal, public
society	community or organization	community, group, civilization
solve	find solution	resolve, answer, settle
sophisticated	advanced or complex	advanced, refined, complex
source	origin or supply	origin, originator, supplier
spare	extra or refrain from harm	extra, surplus / refrain, save
specialize	focus on specific area	focus, concentrate, master
specific	precise or particular	precise, particular, exact
speculate	guess or theorize	hypothesize, guess, conjecture