

Quizlet

ILW Science for Society - Values and Issues

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Termes dans cette liste (29)

sanitation

(n, U) conditions relating to public health, especially the provision of clean drinking water and adequate sewage disposal.
Ex: "They could afford to erect new dwellings with a reasonable standard of construction and ____"



poverty

(n, U) the state of being extremely poor.
Ex: "Thousands of families are living in abject ____"
synonyms: penury, indigence, pennilessness, deprivation, need, want



consumption

(n, U) the action of using up a resource.
Ex: "industrialized countries should reduce their energy ____"
synonyms: using up, use, utilization



responsible

(adj) 1. having an obligation to do something, or having control over or care for someone, as part of one's job or role.
Ex: "The cabinet minister ____ for Education"
synonyms: in charge of, in control of, at the helm of, accountable for, liable for, charged with
2. capable of being trusted.
Ex: "a ____ adult"
synonyms: trustworthy, level-headed, rational,



decent

(adj) conforming with generally accepted standards of respectable or moral behavior.
Ex: "A ____ clean-living individual"



growth

(n) the process of increasing in size.
Ex: "the upward ____ of plants"
synonyms: growing, extension, widening, thickening, broadening, heightening, swelling, magnification



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| affordable | (adj) inexpensive; reasonably priced. Ex: "I am looking for ____accommodation" | ★ |
| an initiative | (n) an act or strategy intended to resolve a difficulty or improve a situation; a fresh approach to something. Ex: "A new ____ against car crime was annouced at the press conference." synonyms: plan, scheme, strategy, stratagem, measure | ★ |
| a challenge | (n) a call to someone to participate in a competitive situation or fight to decide who is superior in terms of ability or strength. Ex: "He accepted the ____" synonyms: dare, provocation; summons | ★ |
| a phase | (n) a distinct period or stage in a process of change or forming part of something's development. Ex: "We are reaching the final ____ of the the election campaign" synonyms: stage, period, chapter, episode, part, step, point, time, juncture | ★ |
| funding | (n, U) money provided, especially by an organization or government, for a particular purpose. Ex: "____ for the project was provided by the Housing Corporation" | ★ |
| to commit to | (v + prep) to pledge or to bind (a person or an organization) to a certain course or | ★ |

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| | <p>policy.</p> <p>Ex: "They were reluctant to ____themselves to an opinion"</p> <p>synonyms: pledge, devote, apply, give, dedicate,</p> | |
| worth | <p>(adj) sufficiently good, important, or interesting to be treated or regarded in the way specified.</p> <p>Ex: "The museums in the district are well ____visiting"</p> | ★ |
| a principle | <p>(n) a fundamental truth or proposition that serves as the foundation for a system of belief or behavior or for a chain of reasoning.</p> <p>Ex: "The basic ____s of justice"</p> <p>synonyms: truth, proposition, concept, idea, theory, postulate</p> | ★ |
| global | <p>(adj) relating to the whole world; worldwide.</p> <p>Ex: "The downturn in the ____ economy"</p> <p>synonyms: international, world, intercontinental; universal</p> | ★ |
| local | <p>(adj) relating or restricted to a particular area or one's neighborhood.</p> <p>Ex: "He enjoys researching ____history"</p> <p>synonyms: community, district, neighborhood, regional, city, town, municipal, provincial</p> | ★ |
| to prevent | <p>(v) to keep (something) from happening.</p> <p>Ex:"Action must be taken to ____ further</p> | ★ |

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| | <p>accidents"</p> <p>synonyms: stop, put a stop to, avert, nip in the bud, fend off, turn aside, stave off, ward off, head off, shut out, block, intercept, halt, arrest, check</p> | |
| to promote | <p>(v) to support or to actively encourage (a cause, venture, etc.); further the progress of.</p> <p>Ex: "Some regulation is still required to ____ competition"</p> <p>synonyms: further, advance, assist, aid, help,</p> | ★ |
| to found | <p>(v) to establish or to originate (an institution or organization).</p> <p>Ex: "The monastery was ____ed in 1665"</p> <p>synonyms: set up, start, begin, get going, initiate, institute, put in place</p> | ★ |
| to implement | <p>(v) to put (a decision, plan, agreement, etc.) into effect.</p> <p>Ex: "The scheme to ____ student loans was voted yesterday"</p> <p>synonyms: execute, apply, put into effect/action, put into practice, carry out, carry through, perform, enact, administer</p> | ★ |
| to run | <p>(v) to be in charge of; to manage.</p> <p>Ex: "Andrea ____s her own catering business"</p> <p>synonyms: administer, direct, control, be in control of, be the boss of, boss, head, lead, govern, supervise, oversee, look after</p> | ★ |

optimistic

(adj) hopeful and confident about the future.

Ex: "The ____ mood of the Sixties"

synonyms: cheerful, cheery, positive



to broaden

(v) to become larger in distance from side to side; widen.

Ex: "Her smile ____ed"

synonyms: become/make broader, become/make wider, expand, fill out, stretch (out), draw out, spread out, deepen,



a nonprofit organization

(n phrase) an organization the purpose of which is something other than making a profit. A ____ is often dedicated to furthering a particular social cause or advocating for a particular point of view.



public-private cooperation

(n phrase) a contractual arrangement between a public agency (federal, state or local) and a private sector entity. Through this agreement, the skills and assets of each sector (public and private) are shared in delivering a service or facility for the use of the general public.



to assess

(v) to evaluate or to estimate the nature, ability, or quality of.

Ex: "The committee must ____ the relative importance of the issues"

synonyms: judge, gauge, rate, estimate, appraise, form an opinion of, check out, weigh up, analyse



to foster

(v) to encourage the development of (something, especially something desirable).

Ex: "The teacher's task is to ___ learning"
synonyms: promote, further, stimulate, advance, forward, cultivate, nurture, strengthen



previous

(adj) existing or occurring before in time or order.

Ex: "She looked tired after her exertions of the ___ evening"
synonyms: preceding



following

(adj) next in time.

Ex: "The ___ day there was a ceremony in St Peter's Square"
synonyms: next, ensuing, succeeding, subsequent



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