WWI Vocabulary

ISOlationist – a person favoring a policy of remaining apart from the affairs or interests of other groups, especially the political affairs of other countries.

Much as then, there is a growing isolationism among the public that the foreign-policy elite had better heed.



Depression – Depression (major depressive disorder) is a common and serious medical illness that negatively affects how you feel, the way you think and how you act.

Depression is bad for you.





people, through their unions, negotiate contracts with their employers to determine their terms of employment, including pay, benefits, hours, leave, job health and safety policies, ways to balance work and family, and more.

My grandpa had to do Collective Bargaining.



Deficit spending – government spending, in excess of revenue, of funds raised by borrowing rather than from taxation.

The mayor does all the Deficit Spending.



Surrealism – a 20th-century avant-garde movement in art and literature which sought to release the creative potential of the unconscious mind, for example by the irrational juxtaposition of images.

My grandma got to see a Surrealism painting.



Uncertainty principle - we cannot know both the position and speed of a particle, such as a photon or electron, with perfect accuracy

My math teacher talks about Uncertainty Principle

