



1. **absence** the state of being away or not present



2. **agent** a person or thing that takes an active role or produces a certain effect



3. **appeal to** to ask for something urgently; be attractive or interesting



4. **bond** a strong connection or relationship between people or things



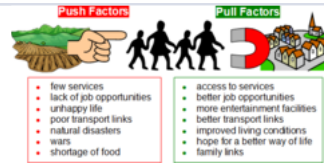
5. **collapse** to fall down or inward suddenly; to fail completely





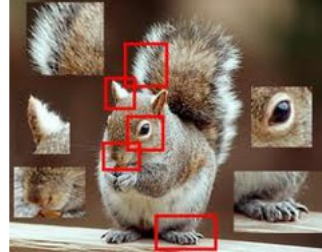
6. **complex** composed of many interconnected parts; not simple





12. **feature**

an important part or characteristic of something



13. **finance**

management of money, particularly in relation to companies, organizations, or governments



14. **gradually**

slowly over a period of time



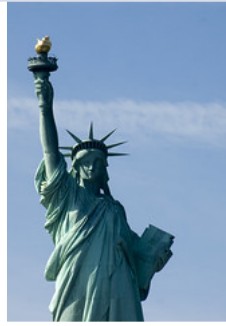
15. **guarantee**

a promise that something will happen or that something is true



16. **liberty**

the state of being free within society from oppressive restrictions imposed by authority on one's behavior or political views



17. mechanism

a natural or established process by which something takes place or is brought about



18. moral

concerning what is right and wrong in behavior



19. motion

the action or process of moving or being moved



20. occur

to happen or take place



21. prolong

to make something last longer



22. **promote** to help something happen, develop, or increase



23. **resent** to feel bitterness or indignation at (a circumstance, act, or person)



24. **role** the function or part played in a particular situation or process



25. **series** a number of similar or related events or things, one following another



26. **specialized** designed for a particular purpose or activity



27. standing

the current position or reputation of someone or something in relation to others



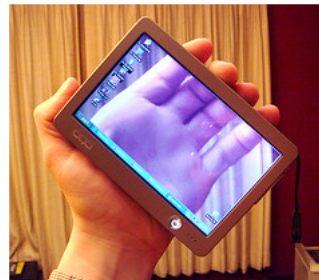
28. transform

to make a marked change in the form, nature, or appearance of



29. transparent

clear enough to see through; easy to understand or recognize



30. welfare

the health, happiness, and fortunes of a person or group.

