

Unit 2

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Definitions

adjourn	(<i>v.</i>) to stop proceedings temporarily; move to another place
alien	(<i>n.</i>) a citizen of another country; (<i>adj.</i>) foreign, strange
comely	(<i>adj.</i>) having a pleasing appearance
compensate	(<i>v.</i>) to make up for; to repay for services
dissolute	(<i>adj.</i>) loose in one's morals or behavior
erratic	(<i>adj.</i>) not regular or consistent; different from what is ordinarily expected; undependable
expulsion	(<i>n.</i>) the process of driving or forcing out
feint	(<i>n.</i>) a deliberately deceptive movement; a pretense; (<i>v.</i>) to make a deceptive movement; to make a pretense of
fodder	(<i>n.</i>) food for horses or cattle; raw material for a designated purpose
fortify	(<i>v.</i>) to strengthen, build up
illegible	(<i>adj.</i>) difficult or impossible to read
jeer	(<i>v.</i>) to make fun of rudely or unkindly; (<i>n.</i>) a rude remark of derision
lucrative	(<i>adj.</i>) bringing in money; profitable
mediocre	(<i>adj.</i>) average, ordinary, undistinguished
proliferate	(<i>v.</i>) to reproduce, increase, or spread rapidly
subjugate	(<i>v.</i>) to conquer by force, bring under complete control
sully	(<i>v.</i>) to soil, stain, tarnish, defile, besmirch
tantalize	(<i>v.</i>) to tease, torment by teasing
terse	(<i>adj.</i>) brief and to the point
unflinching	(<i>adj.</i>) firm, showing no signs of fear, not drawing back