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activism]>

the act of working for a cause or issue, participating in demonstrations and organizing to change something about one's world or community.

The young girl impressed everyone with her dedication and _activism_. She sent out a petition and organized a boycott to change the grocery store's policy.

Synonyms: advocacy, championing



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

expose]>

to reveal the truth about something or someone.

I know about the politician's dishonest behavior, and I'm going to _expose_ the truth in a news article.

Synonyms: reveal, uncover

Antonyms: conceal, cover up



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foul]>

morally wrong.

The king's soldiers engaged in _foul_ actions, such as burning homes and raiding towns.

Synonyms: wicked, detestable, unjust

Antonyms: fair, just

foul

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Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

horrific]>

very bad, scary or shocking.

She couldn't sleep all night because she had _horrific_ dreams of scary monsters.

Synonyms: awful, dreadful, horrid

Antonyms: delightful, pleasant

horrific

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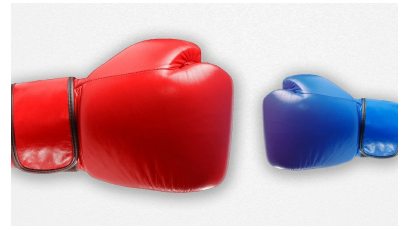
inequity]>

lack of fairness or justice,

When segregated education was legal, Black schools faced profound _inequities_.

Synonyms: injustice, unfairness

Antonyms: fairness, justice



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journalist]>

a person whose job is to write and edit news stories.

I achieved my dream of becoming a _journalist_ when I took a job covering politics for the New York Times.



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liberate]>

to set free.

One day I hope to sneak into the zoo and _liberate_ all the animals from their cages.

Synonyms: emancipate, free, release

Antonyms: imprison, hold, confine



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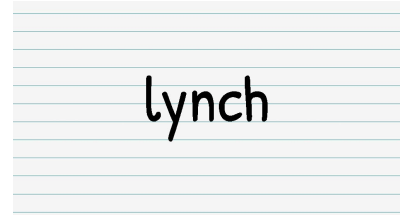
Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

lynch]>

to use mob violence to illegally kill someone suspected to be guilty of a crime.

During the Jim Crow era, angry mobs would sometimes _lynch_ Black people who did not adhere to the accepted racial order.

Synonyms: kill, execute, murder



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Make a connection between this word and another word or idea: