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activist]>

a person who advocates for social or political change.

Jessica is a community activist. She works hard for issues she cares about and helps organize others to make real change.

Synonyms: advocate



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:

boycott]>

an often organized effort to avoid doing or buying something as an act of protest.

In Montgomery, Alabama in 1955, many Black Americans participated in a boycott of city buses, refusing to ride them in protest of segregated seating.

Synonyms: embargo, strike

Boycott can also be used as a noun, like in this sentence: "When I heard about the company's unfair working conditions, I decided to boycott all of their products."



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culture]>

the beliefs, art, customs, food, etc., of a group or society.

The traditions I follow and foods I eat are important parts of my _culture_.

Synonyms: customs, traditions



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deportation]>

the act of sending a person out of the country, usually because they are not a citizen.

The mayor threatened the _deportation_ of all undocumented immigrants.



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immigrant]>

a person who moves to a new country to live permanently.

Like many kids living in America, I am the son of an _immigrant_. My parents moved to the US from Jamaica.

Synonyms: migrant

Antonyms: native



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:

legacy]>

an inheritance or gift; something handed down from an ancestor or from the past.

James Brown was more than an amazing musician; his _legacy_ lives on in all of the music he has influenced.

Synonyms: tradition, heritage



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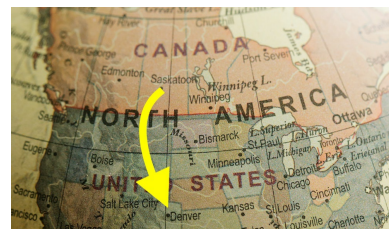
migrant]>

someone who moves from one place to another, especially to find work.

The _migrant_ moved to a different country to find better job opportunities.

Synonyms: immigrant, emigrant

Antonyms: native



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

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strike]>

a form of protest in which a group of employees stops working until their employer agrees to their demands.

Teachers in several states have gone on _strike_ to demand better pay and working conditions.

Synonyms: walkout, work stoppage



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union]>

an organized group of workers, usually formed to protect their communal rights.

The workers are part of a _union_ that negotiates for fair contracts.



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