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boycott]>

the act of protesting by refusing to buy or use something.

The activist helped organize a _boycott_. People refused to buy the store's produce until they changed their policies.





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:

civil rights]>

the rights that every citizen of a country or society has or should have.

There are many people who fought throughout history to protect our _civil rights_, including Martin Luther King Jr. and John Lewis.



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

civil rights movement]>

African Americans' struggle to gain equality to white people in the 1950s and 1960s in the United States.

During the 1950s and 1960s, people throughout the United States were involved in the _civil rights movement_ and worked tirelessly to gain equality for African Americans.



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:

dream]>

an ambition or ideal.

Her _dream_ is to study medicine so that she can work in a hospital. She's already working hard to accomplish this!

Synonyms: aspiration, hope, desire

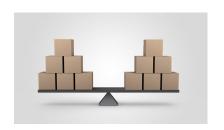


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equal]>

the same as.

Most humans have an _equal_ number of fingers on each hand: five and five.



Synonyms: same, equivalent

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:

minister]>

a religious leader who is trained to carry out or help with ceremonies and services.

The _minister_ of the church leads the service.

Synonyms: pastor, clergy, chaplain



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

nonviolence]>

the practice of refusing to use violence to achieve goals.

Instead of engaging in harmful tactics like fighting, the protesters made their demands known through nonviolence .



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

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protest]>

to publicly show disagreement with something, usually in an organized group with other people.

After the court's decision, people went to the streets to _protest_. They were unhappy with what had occurred and wanted to make their voices heard.

Synonyms: demonstrate, fight, oppose Antonyms: agree, accept, support



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

Rosa Parks]>

American Civil Rights Activist who refused to give up her seat on a bus in Montgomery Alabama in 1955, which was the beginning of the Montgomery Bus Boycott.

One of the most famous figures of the Civil Rights Movement, _Rosa Parks_ refused to give up a bus seat for a white passenger and inspired others to fight against unequal treatment.



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

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segregation]>

the act, process, or policy of separating people of different races, sexes, religions, etc.

For many years, laws in the United States allowed _segregation_. There were separate schools and even water fountains for White people and Black people.

Synonyms: separation, discrimination

Antonyms: integration

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