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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:

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advocate]>

to argue for, recommend or urge.

Teresa advocates for the environment. She tells her friends to switch to alternative energy all the time.

Synonyms: champion, support, endorse

Antonyms: oppose

Advocate can also be used as a noun, like in this sentence: "I am an advocate for better care of our forests."



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condemn]>

to strongly say that someone or something is bad or wrong.

The president _condemned_ the violence, calling it an act of terrorism.

Synonyms: criticize, denounce

Antonyms: approve, praise, commend



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displace]>

to force people to leave home.

Years of civil war had _displaced_ thousands who now sought new homes.

Synonyms: expel, relocate, uproot



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garner]>

to acquire something after putting in a lot of effort.

The senator worked to _garner_ support for the bill by negotiating with his colleagues.

Synonyms: concentrate, gather

Antonyms: divide, disperse



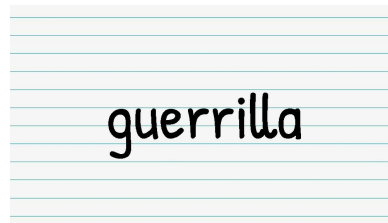
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guerrilla]>

a member of an unofficial or loosely organized group of soldiers that harasses and sabotages the enemy.

Guerrillas conducted frequent surprise attacks on the US soldiers.



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Indigenous]>

native to a certain place.

The Navajo, an _Indigenous_ tribe, lived in the Southwest for centuries before the creation of the United States.

Synonyms: native, domestic

Antonyms: nonnative



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violation]>

the act of going against or disrespecting a law, a person's rights or a holy place.

The pilot was in _violation_ of international law when she flew into foreign airspace.

Synonyms: abuse, offense

Antonyms: compliance



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