Susan B. Anthony & Perseverance - Vocab Cards

abolition]>

the ending of slavery in the United States.

Before the Civil War, many of those who did not believe in slavery fought for _abolition_.



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:

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



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amendment]>

a change or addition to a legal document, like a bill or constitution.

The US Founding Fathers didn't put free speech in the original Constitution, but they eventually added an _amendment_ guaranteeing it to all citizens.



Synonyms: change, revision, modification

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:

awareness]>

knowledge that something, such as a situation or problem, exists.

We need to raise _awareness_ of pollution in this city. Most people don't know that the air quality is so low!

Synonyms: knowledge, attention, consiousness Antonyms: disregard, ignorance, unconsiousness



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

ballot]>

the paper on which a vote is marked.

I went to my polling place to cast my _ballot_ in our local election this morning.



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:

fine]>

a sum of money charged as punishment for an offense.

My library book is so overdue, the librarian charged me a \$20 fine!



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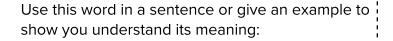
perseverance]>

loyally continuing to do something despite delays or difficulties.

She was rewarded for her _perseverance_ when, after many failed attempts, she finally broke the world record.

Synonyms: endurance, grit, persistence

Antonyms: apathy, weakness





Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

Quaker]>

a member of the Religious Society of Friends, a historically Christian group founded in 1650, known for for their peaceful principles.

Jonah's _Quaker_ family values peace, integrity, equality and community in their everyday life.



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:

suffrage]>

the right to vote in political elections.

My great-grandmother marched for a woman's right to vote as part of the women's suffrage movement.



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:

women's rights]>

the rights claimed by and for women. They include legal, political and social rights equal to those given to men.

Susan B. Anthony, Elizabeth Cady Stanton and many others fought for _women's rights_ because they believed that men and women should be treated equally under the law.



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