The Enlightenment - Vocab Cards

absolute]>

total and unlimited.

The queen's power is absolute . She can do whatever she wants.

Synonyms: total, unlimited

Antonyms: limited

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

absolute

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

Enlightenment]>

a philosophical movement in the 18th century marked by the belief in science and logic over religion and tradition.

The _Enlightenment_, a philosophical movement that advocated for the use of reason and rational thought, greatly influenced the supporters of the French Revolution.

Synonyms: Age of Reason

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liberty]>

the state of being free from governmental or authoritarian control.

Every July 4th, we celebrate American _liberty_ and remember when our country gained freedom from England.

Synonyms: independence, freedom Antonyms: imprisonment, subjection



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philosophe]>

one of a group of 18th century French Enlightenment philosophers and intellectuals.

Philosophes like Montesquieu, Voltaire, and Rousseau spent their lives coming up with ways French society could be restructured.



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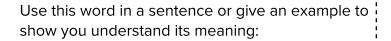
reason]>

the ability to consider facts to make logical judgments.

Tracey loved going to escape rooms. Finding clues and using _reason_ to figure out puzzles excited her.

Synonyms: logic, rationality, sense

Antonyms: superstition, ignorance, irrationality





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revolution]>

an attempt by many people to overthrow an established government or system.

The goal of the _revolution_ was to remove the corrupt government. That's why people had planned the rebellion.

Synonyms: revolt, coup, rebellion

Antonyms: calmness, order, harmony, stagnation

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Scientific Revolution]>

a period of advances in European sciences, mathematic and philosophy from 1500-1700.

We still study discoveries made during the _Scientific Revolution_, a period of great advancement in science and math that took place from 1500-1700.



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social contract]>

an implicit agreement among people in society to conduct themselves in a certain way.

There may not be any official rules, but there's a _social contract_ in our community that ensures we treat each other with respect and empathy.



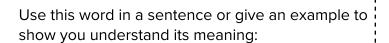
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society]>

an organized group of people brought together by shared customs, religion, laws, location, etc.

In modern _society_, Internet access is a critical part of people's lives.







Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

tolerance]>

the ability or willingness to accept someone or something, especially actions or beliefs that you might not agree with or are different from your own.

The US Constitution establishes religious _tolerance_ by giving citizens the right to freedom of religion.

Synonyms: acceptance

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