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admonish verb

to warn or caution.

The teacher had to *admonish* the young children to step carefully on the icy sidewalk.

Synonyms: advise, caution, warn



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:

admonish verb

to find fault with or correct in a mild but firm way.

He had to *admonish* us after we spoke so loudly in the library.

Antonyms: applaud, commend, praise

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anonymous adjective

having an unknown name or identity.

In the dark, creepy room, my dad seemed *anonymous*. I was scared and didn't recognize him!

Synonyms: incognito, nameless, secret



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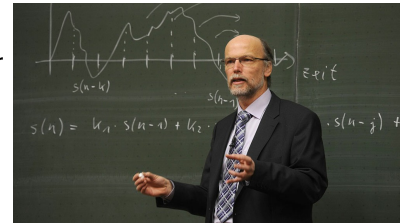
astute adjective

smart; perceptive; keen in understanding and judgment; shrewd.

Complicated legal issues are involved, and you'll need an *astute* lawyer if you have any hope of winning.

Synonyms: bright, insightful

Antonyms: gullible, idiotic, ignorant, obtuse, stupid



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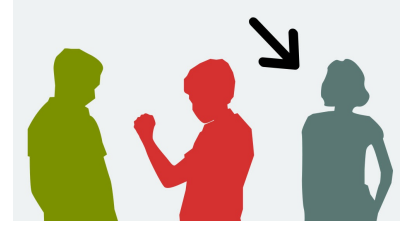
bystander noun

someone who happens to be present when something takes place but does not take part in it.

The *bystander* who saw one boy bully another decided to tell her teacher.

Synonyms: observer, spectator, witness

Antonyms: participant



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

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casualty noun

a person who is hurt or killed in an accident.

There was a train accident, but luckily there was not a single *casualty*.

Synonyms: sufferer, victim

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deceased adjective

no longer alive; dead.

I only have one living grandparent; the three others are *deceased*.

Synonyms: dead, departed, late

Antonyms: alive

Deceased can also be used as a noun, like in this sentence: "The minister spoke highly of the deceased at her funeral."



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

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downright adverb

extremely; completely.

She's not just grumpy; she's *downright* mean!

Synonyms: absolutely, altogether, completely, entirely, thoroughly, totally, wholly

Downright can also be used as an adjective, like in this sentence: "It's a downright shame that you have to go so soon."

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

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grimy adjective

covered or filled with dirt; extremely dirty.

The store and buildings quickly became *grimy* because they were next to the industrial buildings and smokestacks.

Antonyms: clean, pure



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

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homage noun

special respect, honor, or esteem, publicly displayed or expressed.

All the monks paid *homage* to their guru.

Synonyms: deference, praise, reverence, salute, tribute

Antonyms: dishonor



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hurtle verb

to move with great speed and often with great noise.

The comet will *hurtle* through space toward the planet for hundreds of years.

Synonyms: barrel, speed



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

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legitimate adjective

valid or justified; deserved.

I felt that my complaint about the heat in our classroom was *legitimate*, but the custodian wouldn't listen to me.

Synonyms: accepted, customary, fair, justified, rightful, warranted

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legitimate adjective

allowed by the law or by rules; legal.

In soccer, touching the ball with your hand is only *legitimate* if you are the goalie.

Synonyms: lawful, legal

Antonyms: illegal, illegitimate, invalid

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lethal adjective

intended to cause or capable of causing death or extreme harm; deadly.

Taken in large doses, this drug could be *lethal*, so be very careful.

Synonyms: deadly, deathly, fatal, killing, mortal, poisonous

Antonyms: harmless



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

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magnitude noun

size or extent.

The *magnitude* of the universe can make us feel small.

Synonyms: dimension, extent, greatness, scope, significance, size

Antonyms: insignificance, unimportance



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stodgy adjective

lacking imagination, liveliness, or interest; dull; colorless.

She thought her mother's plain clothes were *stodgy*.

Synonyms: dreary, formal

Antonyms: avant-garde, interesting, lively

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utmost adjective

of the highest or greatest degree, amount, or intensity; greatest.

We must make the *utmost* effort to finish this book before the exam.

Synonyms: absolute, maximum

Antonyms: little, slightest

Utmost can also be used as a noun, like in this sentence: "My patience was tested to the utmost by my annoying little brother."

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