

Too Easy - Vocab Cards

abate verb

to make less in amount or intensity.

The sight of his tears made her anger *abate*; She just couldn't stay mad at him.

Synonyms: decrease, lessen

Antonyms: amplify, augment, intensify

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:

abate verb

to become less in amount or intensity.

Our enthusiasm for the club began to *abate* as we listened to the long list of rules and policies.

Synonyms: decrease, lessen, let up

Antonyms: intensify, revive, rise

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

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abnormal adjective

not normal or usual.

The tree has an *abnormal* growth on its trunk that is yellow and flakey. I've never seen anything like it.

Synonyms: eccentric, irregular, unusual, unique

Antonyms: natural, normal, typical



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abrupt adjective

sudden and not expected.

My brother often does unexpected tricks while biking. Once he did an *abrupt* wheelies on a mountain trail!

Synonyms: quick, sharp, sudden, unexpected

Antonyms: deliberate, gradual



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accelerate verb

to cause (a particular activity or process) to happen faster.

She chose to *accelerate* her college program and so she could graduate early.

Synonyms: hasten, speed

Antonyms: decelerate, delay, slow

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accelerate verb

to increase the speed or rate of.

The driver decided to *accelerate* his sports car to see just how fast it could go.

Synonyms: quicken, speed up

Antonyms: check, slow



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

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affliction noun

a condition of pain or suffering, or the cause of such a state.

Constant headaches can be considered an *affliction*.

Synonyms: distress, misery, suffering

Antonyms: blessing, comfort



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flabbergast verb

to cause to be extremely surprised, astonished or astounded; amaze.

Tina wrote a surprise ending to her story, hoping to *flabbergast* listeners.

Synonyms: astounded, stupefied

Antonyms: bored



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

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grim adjective

lacking cheerfulness or hope; gloomy.

The old, abandoned building was dark and *grim*.

Synonyms: dismal, dreary, gloomy

Antonyms: bright, cheerful, hopeful, lighthearted, sunny



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

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incredulous adjective

not able to believe something.

David was *incredulous* when he heard that he had won the lottery; he had forgotten he even bought a ticket.

Synonyms: skeptical, doubtful

Antonyms: credulous, trusting



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

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notify verb

to tell about; give notice of.

The contest judges will *notify* the winners by email.

Synonyms: advise, inform, tell



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

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perceive verb

to become aware of through the senses.

She could *perceive* the smell of smoke coming from the kitchen, so she called the fire department.

Synonyms: detect, discern, distinguish, know, notice, observe, sense, spot



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robust adjective

strong, healthy, and full of energy.

The strong and *robust* bison was able to run as fast as a horse.

Synonyms: fit, healthy, hearty, rugged, strong, sturdy

Antonyms: feeble, frail, sickly, soft, weak



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rupture verb

to break or tear open.

He used a pin to *rupture* the balloon, and water burst out.

Synonyms: break, burst, bust

Rupture can also be used as a noun: "The rupture of the dam caused a flood."



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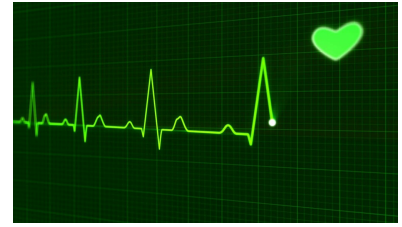
Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

throb verb

to beat or pulse quickly and strongly.

I was so nervous before my presentation that I could feel my heart *throb* in my chest.

Synonyms: beat, pulse



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:

trivial adjective

not valuable or important; insignificant.

Our problems seem very *trivial* compared to those of people who don't have enough food.

Synonyms: commonplace, insignificant, petty, slight, small, unimportant

Antonyms: big, grave, gross, important, momentous, serious, valuable, worthwhile

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

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wince verb

to draw suddenly back or away from something painful or frightening.

The size of the needle in the doctor's hand made the little boy *wince*.

Synonyms: flinch, recoil



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