



Protract

Meaning: To prolong or extend in time.

Synonyms: Prolong, extend, lengthen.

Antonyms: Shorten, curtail, abbreviate.

Example:

The negotiations were protracted, lasting over several months.

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Impunity

Meaning: Exemption from punishment or loss.

Synonyms: Immunity, exemption, freedom.

Antonyms: Accountability, liability.

Example:

The dictator acted with impunity, ignoring the laws of the land.



Tenacious

Meaning: Persistent, determined, or stubborn.

Synonyms: Resolute, steadfast, persistent.

Antonyms: Weak, yielding, irresolute.

Example:

Her tenacious pursuit of justice inspired many.



Skepticism

Meaning: Doubt or questioning attitude.

Synonyms: Doubt, disbelief, mistrust.

Antonyms: Belief, certainty, conviction.

Example:

Skepticism about the new policy grew as its flaws became evident.

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Expedite

Meaning: To speed up the progress of something.

Synonyms: Accelerate, hasten, quicken.

Antonyms: Delay, hinder, slow down.

Example:

The government promised to expedite the construction of roads.



Subjugate

Meaning: To bring under domination or control.

Synonyms: Conquer, suppress, dominate.

Antonyms: Liberate, emancipate, free.

Example:

The emperor sought to subjugate the neighboring kingdoms.



Envisage

Meaning: To imagine or expect something as a possibility.

Synonyms: Imagine, envision, foresee.

Antonyms: Ignore, overlook.

Example:

The project leader envisaged a future where technology integrates seamlessly.



Paradox

Meaning: A statement that seems contradictory but may reveal a truth.

Synonyms: Contradiction, enigma, anomaly.

Antonyms: Consistency, clarity.

Example:

The paradox of freedom is that it often comes with responsibility.



Mitigate

Meaning: To make less severe or serious.

Synonyms: Alleviate, reduce, ease.

Antonyms: Aggravate, exacerbate, intensify.

Example:

Policies were introduced to mitigate the effects of climate change.



Disparate

Meaning: Essentially different in kind; not allowing comparison.

Synonyms: Diverse, contrasting, distinct.

Antonyms: Similar, homogeneous, alike.

Example:

The coalition included people from disparate backgrounds.