



Permissive (adjective)

Meaning: Allowing or characterized by great freedom of behavior.

Synonyms: Lenient, liberal, tolerant, indulgent.

Antonyms: Strict, restrictive, authoritarian, prohibitive.

Example:

The teacher had a permissive attitude towards students' tardiness.



Halt (verb)

Meaning: To stop or bring to a standstill.

Synonyms: Stop, cease, terminate, suspend.

Antonyms: Continue, proceed, advance, initiate.

Example:

The heavy rain caused the workers to halt construction activities.



Litigation (noun)

Meaning: The process of taking legal action; a lawsuit.

Synonyms: Lawsuit, legal action, legal proceedings.

Antonyms: Agreement, settlement, compromise.

Example:

The company was involved in litigation over patent infringement.



Interim (adjective)

Meaning: Temporary; intended to be used or accepted for a short time only.

Synonyms: Provisional, temporary, transitional.

Antonyms: Permanent, lasting, enduring.

Example:

An interim government was established until elections could be held.



Prohibitive (adjective)

Meaning: (Of a price or cost) excessively high; difficult or impossible to pay.

Synonyms: Exorbitant, excessive, steep.

Antonyms: Affordable, reasonable, moderate.

Example:

The cost of the concert tickets was prohibitive for many fans.

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Sanctuary (noun)

Meaning: A place of refuge or safety.

Synonyms: Refuge, haven, shelter, asylum.

Antonyms: Danger, peril, threat.

Example:

The church provided sanctuary to the refugees during the conflict.



Betrayal (noun)

Meaning: The act of being disloyal or treacherous.

Synonyms: Treachery, disloyalty, deceit.

Antonyms: Loyalty, faithfulness, allegiance.

Example:

His disclosure of confidential information was seen as a betrayal of trust.



Outreach (noun)

Meaning: The act of reaching out to assist or involve others.

Synonyms: Engagement, connection, contact.

Antonyms: Isolation, withdrawal, detachment.

Example:

The NGO's outreach program helped educate underprivileged children.



Deteriorate (verb)

Meaning: To become progressively worse.

Synonyms: Worsen, decline, degrade.

Antonyms: Improve, enhance, ameliorate.

Example:

Without proper maintenance, the building's condition will deteriorate.



Provisional (adjective)

Meaning: Arranged or existing for the present, possibly to be changed later

Synonyms: Temporary, interim, tentative.

Antonyms: Definitive, permanent, final.

Example:

They were granted provisional approval to start the project.

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