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**backwards** At or to or toward the back or rear.

Count **backwards** from twenty to ten.

Add a flaw or blemish to make imperfect or defective.

Her face was **blemish**ed.

Commit to memory; learn by heart.

*I conned him into giving me your home number.* 

**damage** Suffer or be susceptible to damage.

The snow **damage**d the roof.

damaging (sometimes followed by `to') causing harm or injury.

**Damaging** to career and reputation.

Spoil the surface or appearance of (something), for example by

**<u>deface</u>** drawing or writing on it.

He **deface**d library books.

**defect** A shortcoming, imperfection, or lack.

Genetic **defect**s.

The amount by which something, especially revenue, falls short; a

**deficiency** deficit.

*Water is the critical deficiency in desert regions.* 

A mark against a person for misconduct or failure; usually given in

**demerit** school or armed forces.

The merits and **demerit**s of these proposals.

**disadvantage**Put at a disadvantage hinder harm.

Situations of serious social and economic **disadvantage**.

Spoil the appearance of.

disfigure

The vandals disfigured the statue.

A feature that renders something less acceptable; a disadvantage or

drawback problem.

The main **drawback** of fitting catalytic converters is the cost.



error Part of a statement that is not correct.

The book was full of **error**s.

failing Failure to reach a minimum required performance.

Pride is a terrible **failing**.

of a rock formation be broken by a fault or faults.

It was John s **fault**.

flaw Add a flaw or blemish to make imperfect or defective.

He had his **flaw**s but he was great nonetheless.

flawed Having or characterized by a fundamental weakness or imperfection.

A **flawed** hero.

harm Cause or do harm to.

I can t see any **harm** in it.

**inadequacy** Unsatisfactoriness by virtue of being inadequate.

Juvenile offenses often reflect an **inadequacy** in the parents.

injury

An accident that results in physical damage or hurt.

She suffered an **injury** to her back.

insufficiency A lack of competence.

**Insufficiency** of adequate housing.

misconceive Interpret in the wrong way.

Criticism of the trade surplus in Washington is **misconceive**d.

misunderstanding Putting the wrong interpretation on.

There must have been some kind of **misunderstanding**.

**neurotoxin** Any toxin that affects neural tissues.

nitpick

Be overly critical; criticize minor details.

The state is **nitpick**ing about minor administrative matters.

Denoting or relating to people whose behaviour causes difficulties to

**problem** themselves and others.

Motivation of staff can also be a **problem**.

A fault or failure to meet a certain standard, typically in a person's

**shortcoming** character, a plan, or a system.

He is so forthright about his **shortcoming**s it s hard to chastise him.

(of movement) at an angle.

sideways

He would be moved **sideways** rather than demoted.

unforced Not resulting from undue effort; not forced.

An **unforced** cheerfulness.

**upside** An upward movement of share prices.

**Upside** potential.