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<u>alibi</u>	Provide an alibi for. <i>She has an alibi for the whole of yesterday evening.</i>
<u>attest</u>	Give testimony in a court of law. <i>The witnesses must attest and sign the will in the testator s presence.</i>
<u>attributable</u>	(of a work or remark) able to be ascribed to a particular author, artist, or speaker. <i>The collapse of the movement was attributable to a lack of morale.</i>
<u>clarification</u>	The act of removing solid particles from a liquid. <i>The remaining changes are small clarifications.</i>
confirm	Administer the rite of confirmation to. <i>The report confirms that a diet rich in vitamin C can help to prevent cataracts.</i>
develop	Cause to grow and differentiate in ways conforming to its natural development. <i>Well developed breasts.</i>
<u>elucidate</u>	Make free from confusion or ambiguity; make clear. <i>In what follows I shall try to elucidate what I believe the problems to be.</i>
enlighten	Give (someone) spiritual knowledge or insight. <i>Christopher had not enlightened Francis as to their relationship.</i>
<u>equivocate</u>	Use ambiguous language so as to conceal the truth or avoid committing oneself. <i>The government have equivocated too often in the past.</i>
equivocation	Intentionally vague or ambiguous. <i>I say this without equivocation.</i>
evasion	The action of evading something. <i>His evasion of his clear duty was reprehensible.</i>
expatiate	Speak or write in detail about. <i>She expatiated on working class novelists.</i>

explanation	Thought that makes something comprehensible. <i>Freud tried to make sex the explanation for everything.</i>
explicate	Analyse and develop (an idea or principle) in detail. <i>These essays seek to explicate and contextualize Kristeva s writings.</i>
<u>explicit</u>	Of a person stating something in an explicit manner. <i>Let me be explicit.</i>
fabrication	The act of constructing something (as a piece of machinery). <i>The story was a complete fabrication.</i>
hydrostatics	The branch of mechanics concerned with the hydrostatic properties of liquids.
<u>interpretation</u>	An explanation or way of explaining. <i>This action is open to a number of interpretations.</i>
<u>justification</u>	The act of defending or explaining or making excuses for by reasoning. <i>He made a speech in justification of his career.</i>
<u>justify</u>	Show or prove to be right or reasonable. <i>In most European languages you justify text by adding space between letters and words.</i>
palliation	Easing the severity of a pain or a disease without removing the cause.
pretext	An artful or simulated semblance. <i>The rebels had the perfect pretext for making their move.</i>
prevarication	A statement that deviates from or perverts the truth.
prove	Prove formally demonstrate by a mathematical formal proof. <i>If they are proved guilty we won t trade with them.</i>
rationale	A set of reasons or a logical basis for a course of action or belief. <i>The rationale for capital punishment.</i>
rationalization	The simplification of an expression or equation by eliminating radicals without changing the value of the expression or the roots of the equation. <i>They justify themselves with ingenious rationalizations.</i>
<u>rationalize</u>	Think rationally; employ logic or reason. <i>We rationalized the factory s production and raised profits.</i>
reason	Decide by reasoning draw or come to a conclusion. <i>There is a close connection between reason and emotion.</i>
validate	Make or declare legally valid. <i>Without Patti to validate my feelings they seemed not to exist.</i>
<u>why</u>	The cause or intention underlying an action or situation especially in the phrase the whys and wherefores. <i>Why don t I give you a lift.</i>

