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

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

