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abate	Become less in amount or intensity. <i>This action would not have been sufficient to abate the odour nuisance.</i>
abscise	Shed flowers and leaves and fruit following formation of a scar tissue.
allay	Relieve or alleviate (pain or hunger). <i>The report attempted to educate the public and allay fears.</i>
collapse	Cause a lung or blood vessel to collapse. <i>The collapse of the old star under its own gravity.</i>
declension	(in the grammar of Latin, Greek, and certain other languages) the variation of the form of a noun, pronoun, or adjective, by which its grammatical case, number, and gender are identified. <i>This declension involves only two endings a nominative and an oblique.</i>
decline	A gradual and continuous loss of strength, numbers, quality, or value. <i>He died at his brother's of a deep decline.</i>
declivity	A downward slope. <i>A thickly wooded declivity.</i>
decrease	Decrease in size extent or range. <i>The rate of decrease became greater.</i>
depletion	Reduction in the number or quantity of something. <i>The depletion of the ozone layer.</i>
descend	Do something that one considers to be below one's dignity. <i>A flight of stairs descended a steep slope.</i>
descent	The transmission of qualities, property, or privileges by inheritance. <i>A steep badly eroded descent.</i>
deteriorate	Grow worse. <i>Relations between the countries had deteriorated sharply.</i>
diminish	Lessen the authority, dignity, or reputation of. <i>The pain will gradually diminish.</i>

diminished	Of an organ or body part diminished in size or strength as a result of disease or injury or lack of use. <i>A diminished fifth.</i>
diminution	The statement of a theme in notes of lesser duration (usually half the length of the original). <i>A permanent diminution in value.</i>
down	Downstairs. <i>She looked down.</i>
downturn	A worsening of business or economic activity. <i>A downturn in the housing market.</i>
drop	A section of theatrical scenery lowered from the flies a drop cloth or drop curtain. <i>He reckoned I dropped forty thousand pounds.</i>
foliage	Plant leaves collectively. <i>Healthy green foliage.</i>
glide	Fly in or as if in a glider plane. <i>A few gondolas glided past.</i>
lessen	Wear off or die down. <i>The warmth of the afternoon lessened.</i>
rundown	A reduction in the productivity or activities of a company or institution. <i>He gave his teammates a rundown on the opposition.</i>
sink	Cause a ship to sink. <i>You can relax on the veranda as the sun sinks low.</i>
slump	A long-term economic state characterized by unemployment and low prices and low levels of trade and investment. <i>The team went into a slump.</i>
spill	An instance of a liquid spilling or being spilt. <i>The former employee spilled all the details.</i>
subside	Descend into or as if into some soft substance or place. <i>She subsided into the chair.</i>
topple	Cause to topple or tumble by pushing. <i>She toppled over when I touched her.</i>
tumble	Dry washing in a tumble dryer. <i>The machine gently tumbles the clothes in cool air for ten minutes.</i>
waning	Pertaining to the period during which the visible surface of the moon decreases. <i>The waxing and waning of the moon.</i>

weaken

Reduce the level or intensity or size or scope of.

*The prisoner's resistance **weakened** after seven days.*