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| canard | A deliberately misleading fabrication. <i>The old canard that LA is a cultural wasteland.</i> |
| communicate | Transmit (heat or motion). <i>Communicate a disease.</i> |
| confusion | A situation of panic or disorder. <i>The confusion of tongues at the Tower of Babel.</i> |
| controversial | Giving rise or likely to give rise to controversy or public disagreement. <i>A controversial decision on affirmative action.</i> |
| debunk | Expose the falseness or hollowness of (an idea or belief). <i>She debunks all the usual rubbish about acting.</i> |
| error | The state or condition of being wrong in conduct or judgement. <i>She was quick to point out my errors.</i> |
| fallacy | A misconception resulting from incorrect reasoning. <i>The potential for fallacy which lies behind the notion of self esteem.</i> |
| fault | Of a rock formation be broken by a fault or faults. <i>Her superiors could not fault her dedication to the job.</i> |
| flawed | Having a blemish or flaw. <i>A flawed hero.</i> |
| foreigner | A person not belonging to a particular place or group; a stranger or outsider. |
| forlorn | Marked by or showing hopelessness. <i>A forlorn cause.</i> |
| improper | Not appropriate for a purpose or occasion. <i>It was considered improper to leave one s house on Christmas Day.</i> |
| isolated | Single; exceptional. <i>Isolated farms and villages.</i> |

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| lonely | Marked by dejection from being alone. <i>Passing long lonely hours looking on to the street.</i> |
| misapprehend | Fail to understand (a person or their words) correctly; misinterpret. <i>They seemed not to mind that their more profound utterances were misapprehended as self help maxims.</i> |
| misconceive | Judge or plan badly, typically on the basis of faulty understanding. <i>Criticism of the trade surplus in Washington is misconceived.</i> |
| <u>misconception</u> | An incorrect conception. <i>Public misconceptions about antibiotic use.</i> |
| misconstrue | Interpret (a person's words or actions) wrongly. <i>She misconstrued my remarks.</i> |
| <u>misplaced</u> | Put in the wrong place or position. <i>A million dollars had been lost because of a misplaced comma.</i> |
| mistrial | A trial rendered invalid through an error in the proceedings. <i>The judge dismissed the charge and declared a mistrial.</i> |
| misunderstand | Fail to interpret or understand the words or actions of (someone) correctly. <i>Don't misunderstand me I'm not implying she should be working.</i> |
| <u>misunderstanding</u> | Putting the wrong interpretation on. <i>A misunderstanding of the government's plans.</i> |
| <u>nerd</u> | A single-minded expert in a particular technical field. <i>I was a serious nerd until I discovered girls and cars.</i> |
| <u>outcast</u> | A person who is rejected (from society or home). <i>She went from trusted pal to ostracized outcast overnight.</i> |
| <u>outsider</u> | Someone who is excluded from or is not a member of a group. <i>He started as a rank outsider.</i> |
| oversight | The action of overseeing something. <i>Effective oversight of the financial reporting process.</i> |
| pariah | A member of an indigenous people of southern India originally functioning as ceremonial drummers but later having a low caste. <i>The country is becoming an international pariah state.</i> |
| solecism | A breach of good manners; an instance of incorrect behaviour. |
| <u>stranger</u> | A person who is not a member or official of the House of Commons. <i>He must have been a stranger to the village.</i> |
| <u>underdog</u> | A person who has little status in society. <i>What is it like to be an underdog in America.</i> |