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| anachronism | A person who seems to be displaced in time; who belongs to another age. <i>The town is a throwback to medieval times an anachronism that has survived the passing years.</i> |
| backslide | Relapse into bad ways or error. <i>There are many things that can cause slimmers to backslide.</i> |
| backward | Having made less than normal progress. <i>Lovers of the past looking fondly backward.</i> |
| backwards | At or to or toward the back or rear. <i>Penny glanced backwards.</i> |
| behind | A kick that sends the ball over a behind line or a touch that sends it between the inner posts scoring one point. <i>England were still 382 runs behind.</i> |
| converse | Conversation. <i>It will be difficult in these converses not to talk of secular matter.</i> |
| degeneracy | The state of being degenerate in mental or moral qualities. <i>The degeneracy of later Roman work.</i> |
| degeneration | The state of being degenerate in mental or moral qualities. <i>Overgrazing has caused serious degeneration of grassland.</i> |
| discontinuity | The state of having intervals or gaps; lack of continuity. <i>There is no significant discontinuity between modern and primitive societies.</i> |
| dorsal | On or relating to the upper side or back of an animal, plant, or organ. <i>A dorsal view of the body.</i> |
| inverse | Produced from or related to something else by a process of inversion. <i>Numerous studies have shown an inverse relationship between exercise and the risk of heart disease.</i> |
| later | At a time in the near future; soon or afterwards. <i>Later on it will be easier.</i> |

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| past | A past tense or form of a verb. <i>Forget the past.</i> |
| posterior | Further back in position; of or nearer the rear or hind end. <i>A date posterior to the first Reform Bill.</i> |
| posthumous | Occurring or coming into existence after a person's death. <i>A posthumous daughter.</i> |
| <u>regress</u> | Calculate the coefficient or coefficients of regression of a variable against or on another variable. <i>A regress to the nursery.</i> |
| <u>regression</u> | A lessening of the severity of a disease or its symptoms. <i>There was 46.7 per cent complete regression in the placebo group.</i> |
| regressive | Adjusted so that the rate decreases as the amount of income increases. <i>Regressive aspects of recent local government reform.</i> |
| <u>relapse</u> | (of a sick or injured person) deteriorate after a period of improvement. <i>Two of the patients in remission relapsed after 48 months.</i> |
| retrace | Trace (something) back to its source or beginning. <i>I wanted to retrace a particular evolutionary pathway.</i> |
| retreat | Make a retreat from an earlier commitment or activity. <i>The bishop is away on his annual retreat.</i> |
| <u>retroactive</u> | Affecting things past. <i>A big retroactive tax increase.</i> |
| retrograde | Show retrograde motion. <i>The retrograde form of these inscriptions.</i> |
| retrogression | The process of returning to an earlier state, typically a worse one. <i>A retrogression to 19th century attitudes.</i> |
| <u>retrospect</u> | Contemplation of things past. <i>In retrospect.</i> |
| retrospective | (of a statute or legal decision) taking effect from a date in the past. <i>Retrospective self justification.</i> |
| return | A key pressed on a computer keyboard to simulate a carriage return in a word processing program or to indicate the end of a command or data string. <i>Return a compliment.</i> |
| reversion | A property to which someone has the right of reversion. <i>The reversion of property.</i> |

revert Return to (a previous state, practice, topic, etc.)
*It is impossible that a fishlike mammal will actually **revert** to being a true fish.*

throwback An organism that has the characteristics of a more primitive type of that organism.
*A lot of his work is a **throwback** to the fifties.*