

Subject-related Words

Cards D01-D20 contain words that relate to particular areas of study.

We can't all be experts in every field, and yet the core vocabulary of a variety of subjects is part of the vocabulary of educated people.

These cards help you to familiarize yourself with words from ten different areas including Law, Psychology, Music and Art.

By learning to associate each word in a set with a subject area you will find the word and its meaning easier to remember. For example, if you remember that *catharsis* is used in psychology, you should find it easier to remember that it is used to mean releasing pent up emotions.

Target:

Take two weeks to learn these 20 cards.

Subject-related Words

D 01

The Law (I)

Affidavit	a written declaration made under oath
Arbitration	third party resolution of a dispute
Codicil	an addition at the end of a will
Collateral	money or securities used to guarantee a loan
Embezzlement	defrauding someone of money
Exculpate	prove not guilty; remove blame
Impeach	to bring an accusation against (esp. a public official)
Indemnify	act as a guarantor; insure; pay compensation
Indictment	formal accusation of a serious crime
Libel/slander	unproven accusations that damage a person's reputation (libel is written; slander is spoken)

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D 02

The Law (II)

Lien	right over someone's property, usually in payment of a debt
Litigation/litigant	a lawsuit/one who starts legal proceedings
Perjury	telling lies under oath
Plaintiff	the person who brings a complaint to law (as opposed to the defendant)
Prima facie	obvious; apparently clear without need of proof
Rider	an addition to a law
Statute	a law
Suborn	bribe a witness
Subpoena	a summons to court
Writ	written court order