

AFFRONTED - offended the modesty or values

ALACRITY - liveliness and eagerness

ANTHROPOLOGY - science of the origins and social relationships of humans

BARREN - completely wanting or lacking

BELLIGERENT - characteristic of an enemy or one eager to fight

BURGLE - enter and rob a dwelling

CONTRIVE - make or work out a plan for; devise

CRESTFALLEN - brought low in spirit

DILIGENT - quietly and steadily persevering in detail or exactness

DRENCHED - abundantly covered or supplied with

GINGHAM - a clothing fabric in a plaid weave

HELIOTROPE - green chalcedony (quartz) with red spots that resemble blood

HIGHBOY - a tall chest of drawers divided into two sections and supported on four legs

LEGACY - a gift of personal property by will

LUGUBRIOUSNESS - the quality of excessive mournfulness and uncheerfulness

MEDITATIVELY - in a meditative manner

OMNISCIENT - knowing everything

PARLOR - a room in a private establishment where people can sit and talk and relax

PHOSPHATE - a salt of phosphoric acid

PINCE-NEZ - spectacles clipped to the nose by a spring

RADIANT - emanating or as if emanating light

RETIRED - no longer active in your work or profession

SAVANT - a learned person

SENTIMENTALITY - the quality of being falsely emotional in a maudlin way

TORRENT - an overwhelming number or amount

TRAIPSE - walk or tramp about

TRELLIS - latticework used to support climbing plants

UNOBTRUSIVELY - in a way that is not conspicuous or attracting attention