

look down your nose at	used to say that there are good reasons why something might be true although some people may disagree
sponsor (n)	someone who receives or is given something
recipient	a person, organization, or country that supports an activity and helps it to succeed
burden	to aim something at someone
beat the odds	to refuse to consider something seriously because you think it is silly or unimportant
arguably	to consider a person or a group to have less merit or to be less deserving of respect than another person or group
targeted	to overcome expectations
dismissed	something that is significantly troublesome or problematic
permeable	the place where the tops of your legs meet the front of your body
cornea	produced by combining different artificial substances, rather than being naturally produced
groin	the transparent protective covering on the outer surface of your eye
thread (v)	to close an entrance or a container with something that stops air, water, etc., from coming into or out of it
seal (v)	to pass something through a hole or other cavity
synthetic	allowing water, gas, etc., to pass through

fiber	a very thin piece of skin that covers or connects parts of the body or of a plant cell
membrane	
sustain	parts of plants that you eat but cannot digest, which help food to move quickly through your body
composition	
interchangeably	expected or planned
intended	the way in which something is made up of different parts, things, members, etc., or the different parts, things, members, etc. themselves
	to damage, hurt, defeat
	so that one thing can substitute for another thing
wound (n)	an injury to the skin
associate with	likely
incidence	to make something stronger by adding something to it
costlier	
probable	to make a connection in your mind between two different things
reinforce	more expensive
	the number of times something happens, especially something bad