

1. Definition:

_____ means relating to what must happen because of a law or rule

Part of speech:

Adjective

Examples:

- the government have agreed to raise the _____ minimum wage
- we get four weeks' _____ holiday a year

2. Definition:

someone's _____ is the fact of their being removed from their job

Part of speech:

Noun

Examples:

- he won compensation for unfair _____
- his such an offence would justify instant _____
- unfair _____ constructive _____

3. Definition:

a _____ is a place where very young children are looked after while their parents are at work

Part of speech:

Noun

Examples:

- we have a _____ at work where I can leave my daughter
- the _____ opens at 8 in the morning

4. Definition:

a _____ is something that you get for free from your employer, for example free or cheap food, a car, or medical insurance

Part of speech:

Noun

Examples:

- we all get subsidised travel, which is a nice _____
- the company's employees enjoy a number of _____

5. Definition:

_____ of the workforce is when an employer doesn't use so many permanent staff and employs workers on short-term contracts

Part of speech:

Noun uncount

Examples:

- Even with all this outsourcing and _____, there are still 300,000 workers employed in the industry.
- employers were accused of having secret _____ plans

6. Definition:

_____ is time off work that someone gets when a close relative is seriously ill or has died

Part of speech:

Noun uncount

Examples:

- he was allowed home from the army on _____
- when he returned from _____ he found that everything had changed

7. Definition:

if you _____ someone who has died, you feel sad that they are dead and behave quietly and respectfully for a while

Part of speech:

Verb

Examples:

- she was widely _____ throughout Japan
- following his death in 1965, the whole nation _____
- the community _____ the loss of one its most popular characters

Collocates:

- _____ someone's death
- _____ for someone

8. Definition:

if you _____ something, you say that you strongly disapprove of it and think it is bad or morally wrong

Part of speech:

Verb

Examples:

- politicians from all sides _____ the violence
- the killings were strongly _____ by the church

9. Definition:

if someone in authority _____ someone something, they give it to them or allow them to have it

Part of speech:

Verb

Examples:

- the local council have _____ permission for the building to be demolished
- the judge _____ her a divorce on the grounds of her husband's unreasonable behaviour

Collocates:

- _____ permission
- _____ a request

10. Definition:

_____ is regular failure to be at work or at school

Part of speech:

Noun uncount

Examples:

- we've launched a crackdown on _____
- we have a happy workforce with low rates of _____

11. Definition:

_____ is hard physical work

Part of speech:

Noun uncount

Examples:

- the new machinery will save a lot of time and _____
- he came home tired out by the _____ of building a wall

12. Definition:

_____ is paper, pens, envelopes and other things that are used for writing

Part of speech:

Noun uncount

Examples:

- lots of people take _____ home from work
- you'll find everything you need in the _____ cupboard
- I just need some basic office _____

13. Definition:

a _____ is a kind of court that has authority to make decisions about particular problems

Part of speech:

Noun

Examples:

- an employment _____
- the _____ ruled that he had been unfairly dismissed
- he took his case to an industrial _____ (one that deals with employment rights)

Collocates:

- employment/industrial/military _____