

1. **abdicate** (v) To give up a high office.

2. **assume** (v) 1. To take for granted; to suppose.

2. To take over; to occupy.

3. To pretend to have.

3. **bungle**



(v) To do something badly or without skill.

4. **dominate** (v) 1. To rule or control; to have a very important place or position.

2. To rise high above.

5. **former** (adj) Coming before in time; having been at an earlier time.

(n) The first of two just mentioned.

6. **guardian**



(n) 1. One who protects.

2. One who legally has the care of another person.

7. **hoist** (v) To lift or raise, especially by using a rope.

(n) Something used to lift, as a crane or pulley.

8. **intercept**



(v) To stop or seize something while it is on its way somewhere.

9. **jubilee** (n) The celebration of an anniversary, especially a fiftieth anniversary or beyond.

10. **kin** (adj) Related by birth or marriage.

(n, pl) Relatives; family.

11. **pardon** (v) 1. To forgive.

2. To free from legal punishment.

(n) The act of forgiving or freeing from legal punishment.

12. **proclaim**



(v) To make known publicly; to announce.

13. **provoke** (v) 1. To annoy or make angry.

2. To call forth; to rouse.

14. **reign**



(v) 1. To rule as a queen or king.

2. To be widespread.

(n) 1. The rule of a queen or king; the time during which a person rules.

15. **riot**

(n) 1. Public disorder or violence.

2. A great and seemingly disordered quantity of something.

(v) To take part in a disorder.
