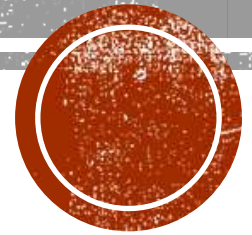


# COLONIAL LITERATURE

Vocab Group #1



# DISSEMBLE

- Verb
- To conceal facts, intentions, or feelings under some pretense (lie)
- When she asked where my essay was, I dissembled and said that the dog ate it.



# CONJURE

- Verb
- To practice magic, especially to summon spirits
- The girls gathered around the candle to conjure the spirit of the Great Manitou.



# FACTION

- Noun
- A group acting together against another group or individual
- The faction in favor of no pizza in the school cafeteria won.



# SUBSERVIENT

- Adjective
- Quick to obey an authority figure or person in power
- The subservient dog rolled over and exposed his belly to us at the shelter.



# ECSTATIC

- Adjective
- Extreme, joyous excitement (jubilant)
- We were ecstatic to hear there would half days on every Friday for the rest of the year.



# PALLOR

- Noun
- Paleness of face, usually indicating illness
- His pallor was alarming so we called for an ambulance.



# CONTEMPTUOUS

- Adjective
- Feeling or expressing hatred or disgust
- His contemptuous tone and the look in his eyes told us that he hated us.





# BEWILDERED

- Adjective OR Verb
- Confused
- I was bewildered by the latest math unit, so I went to the teacher for help.
- She bewildered me with the riddle and I couldn't figure it out.



# VILE

- Adjective
- Revolting, repulsive, disgusting
- Her vile behavior and words made me block her on Facebook and unfriend her in real life.



# PLACIDLY

- Adverb
- Peacefully, calmly
- We placidly watched the boats drift down the calm river.

