

Fighting Words: Word Relationships

Familiarizing yourself with the terms below will aid you in writing about war.

ANTONYMS: Match each term with its antonym.

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| 1. ____ advance | a. civilians |
| 2. ____ deploy | b. defense |
| 3. ____ offense | c. peace |
| 4. ____ soldiers | d. retreat |
| 5. ____ war | e. withhold |

SYNONYMS: Match each term with its synonym.

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| 6. ____ attack | f. allegiance |
| 7. ____ combat | g. altercation |
| 8. ____ patriotism | h. armed forces |
| 9. ____ skirmish | i. arms |
| 10. ____ trench | j. dugout |
| 11. ____ troops | k. engagement |
| 12. ____ weaponry | l. onslaught |