

able	able to be
abolitionists	people who believed that slavery should be against the law
apprentice	someone who works for another person to learn a trade
arming	providing with weapons
assisted	helped
captives	prisoners
cargo	freight carried by a vehicle
casual	unconcerned
colonies	territories governed by a parent country; the thirteen territories that became the original United States
com	together

con	with
conflict	a struggle; a war
contacts	people who can help; connections
courier	a messenger on important business
de	undo
dread	grim fear
drilling	doing exercises to become efficient soldiers
e	break
encoded	put something into code
encouraged	gave support to someone's efforts or plans

enslavement	being owned and controlled by another person
ex	out
express	fast, direct, and nonstop
fierce	ferocious
graph	write
ible	capable, worthy of
im	not
in	not
influential	having the power and controlled by another person
intend	to plan or have in mind

inter	between
ion	act, result, or state of (makes a noun)
ist	one who practices; that which
just	honorable and fair
kin	people related by blood or marriage
liberty	freedom from the control of others
ment	act of, state of, result (makes a noun)
mis	wrong
non	not
oppose	to act against something

or	one who, that which
Patriot	a person who loves and defends his or her country; a colonist who was against British rule
peered	looked at with concentration
peril	danger
pre	before
privateers	ships that are privately owned but are urged to attack enemy ships during a war
rebels	people who oppose or defy the government that exists
retreats	acts of moving away from an enemy attack
revolution	promoting radical, political, or social change
rupt	break

sentries	soldiers who watch for danger
sign	mark
skirmish	a small, short fight between enemies
skittish	nervous and jumpy
spect	to look at
steeled	strengthened
struct	build
sub	under, down
sur	over, above
suspect	to mistrust or wonder about

tacking	changing direction while sailing
taxes	required fees to support the government
tele	distance
timid	fearful or easily frightened
vid	to see
vis	to see