

Odd Word Out

For each set, pick the one word or phrase that doesn't belong and explain why. The word or phrase may be the 'odd word out' because it doesn't mean the same thing as the others, because it doesn't share the same root, prefix, or suffix as the others, or because it's not the same part of speech as the others. Target words are in **bold**.

1. **perspective** decision opinion point of view

2. portable porter port part

3. **critical** urgent active important

4. **affect** impact cause to change get better

5. understand decide what something means
take a trip **interpret**

6. requirement reward
something you must do **prerequisite**

7. **critical** **functional** **interpretable** **analyze**

8. reject **mandate** insist order

9. normal useful **constructive** helpful

10. purpose **function** role motive

11. working hard having a say
 standing up for others **representation**

12. **analyze** study closely
 place gently examine carefully

13. construct restrict structure instructor