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AOW Vocabulary Explosion

Each week you will receive a new list of vocabulary words from your bi-weekly article. *All responses should be neatly polished and show both thought and effort for full credit!*

Vocabulary Words:

prerequisite	pernicious
enfranchisement	pioneered
infrastructure	barrier
heightened	validation
unimpeachable	fundamental

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Vocabulary In Context: For each of the following sentences, determine the meaning of the bold face word. Fill in the table. DO NOT USE A DICTIONARY!

Sentence	Definition of bold word (from the sentence)	Context Clues
These days, that list includes		
more than just pencils and		
notebooks; increasingly, access		
to a home Internet connection		
is a prerequisite for academic		
success.		
The digital divide is pernicious		
to the Latino community.		
That's why, like voting rights,		
the digital divide has now		
become a front burner civil		
rights issue and a fundamental		
barrier to full		
enfranchisement.		
The U.S. Department of		
Housing and Urban		
Development (HUD) is rolling		
out the program in 28 pilot		
communities, and Sec. Julian		
Castro is following the model		
pioneered by an earlier		
program that the NAACP has		

The program also partners with	
civic organizations and leaders	
in neighborhoods across the	
country that have both the	
"street cred" and the	
infrastructure to effectively	
teach digital literacy skills to	
participating families.	
It's a validation of research that	
has shown that cost is not the	
only barrier (or even the most	
significant barrier) standing	
between low-income families	
and broadband adoption.	
In the Latino community, this	
digital literacy gap is	
heightened by language	
barriers.	
Nearly every single family that	
has enrolled in Internet	
Essentials say it has improved	
their children's grades- an	
unimpeachable validation of	
the importance of home	
broadband.	
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The digital is a fundamental	
civil rights issue.	

Tuesday Night "Must Do" Assignment is due on **Thursday** to be checked in class. <u>Choose a</u>

<u>MINIMUM of 3 words you do not know from the vocabulary list.</u>

Definition in your own	words	Create a picture for the word.
Synonym Antonym		Use the word in a sentence.