

**Word of the Week**

## Word of the Week



You may have seen this image before  
Can you remember what word it is trying to represent?

Word of the Week

Equity  
(noun)

Are you familiar with this word?

What does it mean?

Can you use it in a sentence?

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**Equity** (noun)

## Definition

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## Examples

“The preferential option for the poor is a Catholic social teaching that encourages equity by prioritising the needs of the poor and vulnerable.”

“In making these decisions we should be governed by the principle of equity.”

“The goal is to achieve equity in education, so every student has the same opportunities to succeed.”

**Can you come up with your own?**

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## Synonyms

Fairness

Justice

Fair-mindedness

## Antonyms

Inequity

Imbalance

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Mission of the Month

**Preferential  
option for  
the poor**

A preferential option for the poor means that we work towards **equity** by thinking first about the needs of those who are the most vulnerable. Jesus taught that when we feed the hungry, welcome the stranger, clothe the naked, look after the sick and visit those imprisoned, we are looking after Him. We believe in putting people in most need first.

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## Task

Add **equity** to your word of the week record sheet (page 18 of your planner).

Use this time to check you have all of the words from last half term recorded as well.

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### Record (verb)

To set down in writing for later reference.

“Use this page to record Word of the Week”

Week	Word
1	Inception
2	Notation
3	Dignity
4	Oracy
5	Nostalgia
6	Kaleidoscope
7	Equity

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## Challenge

Discuss with your partner which of these images represents **equity** and explain why.

What words could the other images represent?

