

Ancestor (Root Word): **bellum (Latin)**

Which means: **war**

Words that are Relatives:

1. **belligerently (adv)**
2. **belligerence (n)**
- 3.

Definition: **ready and eager to fight, aggressive, argumentative**

Words That Are Similar/ Synonyms:

1. **hostile, combative**
2. **antagonistic**
3. **truculent, \$\$\$\$, pugnacious, bellicose**

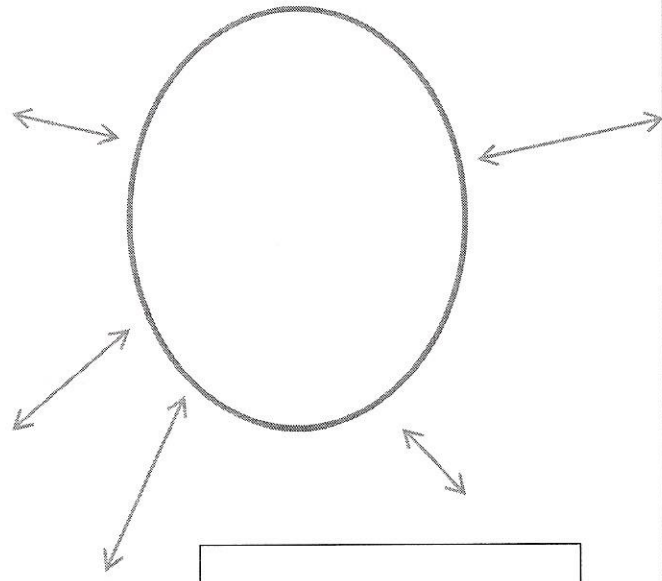
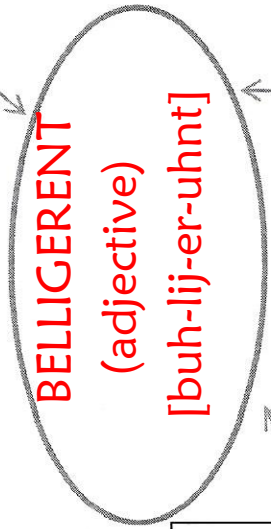
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	While the members of the President's cabinet wanted him to take a belligerent stance against a hostile neighboring country, the President sought a peaceful compromise instead.

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