

Word of the Week

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Contrast

Definition: the state of being very different from something else.

Synonym: difference, distinction, contradiction

Antonym: similarity, likeness, same

Part of speech:
Noun

Origin: Latin

Root: *contra*
means 'against' and
stare means 'stand'

Prefix:

Suffix: -ed,
-ing, -ingly

Sentences with the word: We compared and contrasted the two characters of the story.
Her black dress and the white background contrast hugely.

