

# Regents of UC v. Bakke / Vocabulary ●●/●●—Answer Key

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Using context clues in the reading, define the following terms. Additional sources such as dictionaries may be used if needed.

1. **admit (admitted; admissions)**

- a. Define: to permit to attend or participate; process by which the people who will be allowed to attend are selected.
- b. Use in a sentence:

2. **appeal (to appeal)**

- a. Define: to formally request that a lower court decision be examined and reconsidered by a higher court.
- b. Use in a sentence:

3. **applicant (applicants)**

- a. Define: one who seeks a particular opportunity, in this case admission to a school.
- b. Use in a sentence:

4. **quota**

- a. Define: a number or percentage, especially of people, constituting a required or targeted minimum.
- b. Use in a sentence:

5. **unconstitutional**

- a. Define: not allowed by or contained in the Constitution. If a law is unconstitutional, it will be struck down, meaning it is no longer a law.
- b. Use in a sentence:

6. **violate (violated)**

- a. Define: to break or disregard (a law or promise, for example).
- b. Use in a sentence: