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| Spot on language |
| Using gerunds |
| Word/phrase  | Translation | Usage/memory aid |
| to promote  | fördern; unterstützen; voranbringen | * to promote trade/an idea/one’s interest
* to help sth to develop or increase
* to promote promotion (n)
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| diversity  | Vielfalt; Verschiedenheit | * We speak of cultural diversity when people of different races, ethnicity, nationalities, languages, religions and sexual orientation live in a community.
* diversity = variety
* diversity diverse (adj)
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| annual  | jährlich | * an annual meeting/report
* every year
* Fr. annuel/-le; Lat. annuus
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| to combat  | kämpfen; bekämpfen | * We have to combat racism in our society.
* to combat = to fight against
* to combat combat (n) combative (adj) combatant (n)
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| tournament  | Turnier | Our team won the soccer tournament for the third time. |
| to lend support to  | unterstützen | * to lend, lent, lent
* to lend support to = to support
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| worthy  | würdig; lobenswert; hier: gut | * Voluntary work is a worthy thing to support.
* worthy worth (n)
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| cause  | Sache; Angelegenheit | * to support a causeOne cause I feel strongly about is the environment.
* sth that a group of people support
* Lat. causa (f)
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| ethnicity  | ethnische Zugehörigkeit; Volkszugehörigkeit | * People of different ethnicities live in my town.
* Ethnicity is the fact of belonging to a group that has common national or cultural traditions.
* ethnicity ethnic (adj)
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| to broaden  | verbreitern; hier: erweitern | * to broaden one’s horizon
* to broaden broad (adj)
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| incident  | Vorfall; Ereignis | The police asked witnesses about the incident. |
| opponent  | Gegner/-in; Widersacher/-in | * a strong/worthy opponent
* opponent to oppose (v)
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| to insult  | beleidigen | * If sb insults you (by saying rude things about you or by treating you unfairly), you will probably feel insulted.
* to insult insult (n)
* Fr. insulter
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| heritage  | Erbe | * a rich/common heritage, to preserve/protect one’s heritage
* traditions and values that have continued over many years in a country
* Fr. héritage (m)
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| to commit to sth  | sich für etw. engagieren | * Many people voluntarily commit to social projects.
* to commit to commitment (n)
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| to ensure  | sicherstellen; gewährleisten | * It’s her responsibility to ensure the project finishes on time.
* to ensure sure (adj)
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| to team up with  | sich zusammentun mit; ein Team bilden mit | to team up with team (n) |
| to spread the word (about)  | Mundpropaganda machen (für) | * People spread the word and made the event a success.
* to spread, spread, spread
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| to launch  | einführen; starten; in Gang setzen | * to launch a campaign/programme
* to launch = to introduce
* to launch launch (n)
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| to raise awareness (of)  | das Bewusstsein schärfen (für); sensibilisieren (für) | The organisation tries to raise awareness of discrimination in everyday life. |
| to commemorate  | gedenken | * The memorial commemorates all the soldiers who died in World War I.
* to commemorate commemoration (n)
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| to yell  | schreien; herumbrüllen | to yell = to shout |
| remark  | Bemerkung | * I heard the bus driver make a racist remark about one of the passengers.
* remark to remark (v)
* Fr. remarque (f)
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| to beat  | schlagen; besiegen | * We’re winning, come on, we can beat the other team!
* to beat, beat, beaten
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