

CICERO VOCABULARY IV

postulō (1) to demand

ordō, -inis *m.* order, rank, class

decernō, -ere, -crēvī, -crētum, to decide,
determine, decree

obtemperō (1) to obey

abhorreō, -ēre, -uī + ab, to be averse to, be
inconsistent with.

mōs, mōris *m.* custom, usage, practice

exspectō (1) to await, wait for

ecquid, whether, at all?

attendō, -ere, -ī, -tus, to notice, mark.

auctoritās, -atis *f.* authority

perspiciō, -ere, -spexī, -spectum, to
perceive, observe, discern, ascertain.

vīs *f.* force, violence

inferō, -ferre, -tulī, illātum, to bring to bear.

quiescō, -ere, -ēvī, -ētum, to rest, keep quiet.

probō (1) to approve

sōlum *adv.* only, merely.

videlicet *adv.* of course, naturally

vīlis, -e, cheap, worthless

honestus, -a, -um, honorable, decent.

circumstō, -āre, -stetī, to stand around,
surround

frequentia, -ae, crowd, dense mass

studium, -ī, eagerness.

exaudiō, -ire, -īvī, -ītum, to hear clearly

vix *adv.* scarcely; with difficulty

contineō, -ere, -uī, -tentum, to hold
together, control, check

addūcō, -ere, -dūxī, -ductum, to lead to,
influence, persuade.

vastō (1) to destroy

iam prīdem: now for a long time

prōsequor, -ī, -cūtus sum, to accompany,
escort.

sēcēdō, -ere, -cessī, -cessum, to withdraw

congregō (1) to gather, assemble

mūrus, -ī, (*city*) wall

dēsinō, -ere, -sīvī, -situs, to give up,

abandon, stop (from doing s.th. + inf.).

insidior, -ārī, -ātus + dat. to plot against

obsideō, -ēre, -sēdī, -sessum, to besiege

curia, -ae, senate hous

fax, facis *f.* torch.

compārō (1) to prepare

dēnique *adv.* finally, at last, in short

inscribō, -ere, -scripsī, -scriptum, to write
on, inscribe

frons, frontis *f.* forehead, brow

polliceor, -ērī, -itus sum, to promise.

tantus, -a, -um, so much, so great

diligentia, -ae, diligence.

conseniō, -iōnis *f.* agreement, harmony

profectiō, -iōnis *f.* departure.

patefaciō, -ere, -fēcī, -factum, to uncover,
reveal

illistrō (1) to light up, make clear

opprimō, -ere, -pressī, -pressum, to crush

vindicō (1) to punish.

salūs, -ūtis *f.* safety.

pestis, pestis *f.* plague, death, destruction

perniciēs, -ēi *f.* ruin, destruction

exitium, -ī, destruction, ruin

scelus, -eris *n.* crime.

iungō, -ere, iunxī, iunctum, to join

impius, -a, -um, impious, unholy

nefārius, -a, -um, criminal, heinous.

constituō, -ere, -uī, -ūtus, to set up,
establish.

ara, -ae, altar

tectum, -ī, roof; house

moenia, -iōrum *n.pl.* city walls.

arceō, -ēre, -uī, to keep at a distance, keep
away from (+ abl.)

latrō, -ōnis *m.* brigand

foedus, -eris *n.* treaty, agreement

societās, -ātis *f.* fellowship, association