

# WITHDRAW

- Suppress
- Keep from being known
- Withdraw emotionally
- Hold back, conceal emotions and/or information
- Keep quiet about feelings
- Show unwillingness to reveal opinions



To remove money from a bank account (SUBTRACT)

To move back, aside, away; retire, retreat (LEAVE)

To remove oneself from some activity or competition (QUIT)

To cease using or consuming an addictive drug; to suffer withdrawal (WANT BADLY)

## Practice Semantic Sentences:

Sammie wants to withdraw her course to prevent getting a bad grade. (#WD)

Wanting to buy a new camera, Sammie withdrew her money from the bank.  
(Subtract)

To avoid getting hurt any more, Bart decided to withdraw from the group.  
(Quit)

If I stopped drinking hot cocoa, I would be in withdrawal for the rest of my life! (Depressed due to strong temptation and desire; wanting something very badly)

She was afraid to tell her mom that she hadn't done well on the book report, so Sammie was withdrawn. (Hold back information and emotion)

Since the woman did not want to get pregnant and was not on birth control pills, the man had to withdraw. (The action of removal)

During discussion on the proposal at the business meeting, the vice president withdrew her vote of support. She abstained. (Disagreed and wouldn't vote or support)

In order to return to America for good, the troops withdrew from the country.  
(Leave)