

Word	Definition/Example	Meaning
mass destruction	destroying lots of things/people	Massenzerstörung
directive	US-directives	Anweisung
overthrow	Sadam Hussein's overthrow	Sturz (polit.)
subsequent occupation	= invading a part of a country	darauffolgende(zeitl.) Besetzung
insurgent	= rebel	Rebell
to oppose the US-invasion	Oppose < opposite	Gegen die Besatzung durch die USA
initial claim	I claim ICECREAAAM	Anfängliche Forderung
evidence	Wearing a red shirt is an evidence that I like the colour red.	Beweis
to counter	“counter strike”= Gegenschlag	entgegenhalten
to seek	if s.o. wants to achieve/get sth., e.g. to seek help or approval	erstreben
approximately		annäherungsweise
to assume	to believe sth. to be ...	übernehmen / annehmen
fierce	sth. very intense	heftig
to engage	to actively take part in sth., to attack	sich beteiligen, auch angreifen
to capture	to get sth. under control, to catch	erobern / gefangen nehmen
to surge	if sth. increases immediately	plötzlich ansteigen
revelation	information is published	Offenbarung / Enthüllung
to draft a constitution	e.d. the German constitution	eine Verfassung formulieren
draft	to draft a paper	der Entwurf
to prompt	to ask s.o. to do something	auffordern
pledge	to assure s.b. sth.	die Versicherung
communist state	The USSR was a communist state	Kommunistischer Staat
spread of communism	Theory of domino effect	Verbreitung des Kommunismus
invasion	An invasion means to conquer an enemy country	Invasion
military forces	Support our troops!	Truppen
military conflict	The second world war was a military conflict	militärischer Konflikt/ Krieg

to occupy		besetzen
to launch an attack	On the 6 th of July in 1944 the allied forces started the attack on Hitler Germany	Angriff starten
stalemate	When no one of both sides in a war is able to win, a stalemate exists	Patt
assault	Air assault/ground assault	Angriff/Anschlag
ceasefire		Waffenstillstand
non-fatal wound	To break your leg is a non-fatal wound	nicht-tödliche Wunde
to be missing in action		im Einsatz vermisst
to withdraw		Sich zurück ziehen
at someone's urging		Auf jemandes Drängen
treaty	an written agreement between two entities	der Vertrag
United Nations	An organisation of nearly all 193 states of the world to keep peace	Die Vereinten Nationen