

word of the week

Fundamental

(adjective)

Adj: forming a necessary base or core; of central importance.

Etymology: late Middle English: from French *fondamental*, or late Latin *fundamentalis*, from Latin *fundamentum*, from *fundare* 'to found'



Synonyms

- Basics
- Elementary
- Rudimentary

Sentences containing the word 'fundamental' in different forms:

- The fundamentals of good behaviour are kindness, respect and adhering to rules.
- These ideas are of fundamental importance.
- Dribbling is a fundamental part of basketball.



French
translation:
Fondamental(e)

Antonyms

- Unimportant
- Secondary
- Subordinate