chron/temp: time

dur/firm: last

- extemporaneous: (adj) made up or done on the spur of the moment
- tempo: (noun) the rate or speed of motion or activity; pace
- contemporary: (adj./noun) of the present time; living or occurring at the same period of time
- anachronism: (noun) a person or a thing out of place in time
- crony: (noun) friend over time
- chronology: (noun) the arrangement of events or dates in the order of their occurrence
- chronic: (adj.) continuing for a long time
- affirm: (verb) to support or uphold the validity of; to maintain as true
- duress: (noun) being held or constrained by threat; coerced; forcible confinement
- endure: (verb) able to last; tolerate
- indurate: (verb) emotionally hardened; callous indifference; fixed or established in thoughts
- obdurate: (adj.) stubbornly refusing to change one's opinion or course of action