The Word of the Week is

 **Consequence**

**A consequence is something that happens as a result of an action**

**Used in a sentence:**

An obvious consequence of not taking your education seriously is limiting your future opportunities.

The consequence of posting inappropriate content online will follow you your whole life.

It is good to understand the consequences of your actions.

When you choose the action, you choose the consequence – so choose carefully.

He didn't study much; as a **consequence**, he failed the exam.

The consequences for stealing will be harsh.