

# antecedent *(an-te-ced-ent)*

## Definition

n. a thing that comes before something else.

## Example Sentence

A sunny day is an **antecedent** of a picnic.

## More Example Sentences

The **antecedent** event led to a big change.

## Synonyms

predecessor; forerunner; precursor

## Antonyms

after; subsequent

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