

Different Forms of Protest Groups

Sit Down Protest

The definition of a sit-down is a protest where people sit in a particular location and don't move until their demands are met.

An example of a sit-down is when a factory worker is protesting a cut in wages by sitting at her station and refusing to leave.



Saboteur

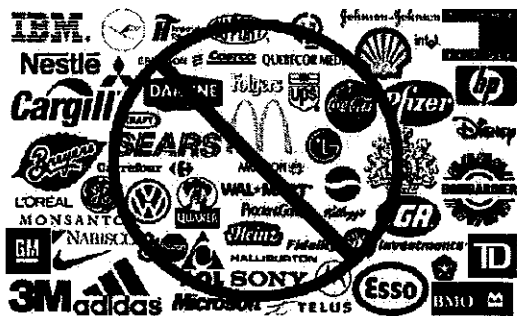
A person who does deliberate damage to something to protest about something

Saboteurs blew up a small section of the track.



Boycott

A **boycott** is an act of voluntarily abstaining from using, buying, or dealing with a person, organization, or country as an expression of **protest**, usually for social or political reasons.



Lobbying

A person paid to persuade politicians to vote a certain way on a bill; to either make the bill a law or to vote a bill down so it never passes.

Letters

A written declaration that is intended to record complaints concerning any operational matter that is performed by a recipient or other party; it is not a legal document, but simply a report of operations, contractual agreement, etc.

Slogans

A **slogan** is a memorable motto or phrase used in a clan, political, commercial, religious, and other context as a repetitive expression of an idea or purpose.



Picketing

Picketing is a form of protest in which people (called picketers)^[1] congregate outside a place of work or location where an event is taking place. Often, this is done in an attempt to dissuade others from going in ("crossing the picket line"), but it can also be done to draw public attention to a cause.



Break in

Petition Drive

A formally drawn request, often bearing the names of a number of those making the request, that is addressed to a person or group of persons in authority or power, soliciting some favor, right, mercy, or other benefit:

Demonstration

A **demonstration** or street **protest** is action by a **massgroup** or collection of **groups** of people in favor of a political or other cause; it normally consists of walking in a mass march formation and either beginning with or meeting at a designated endpoint, or rally, to hear speakers.



