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Jargon Busting Words of the Workplace

Directions: Choose one of the professions below and use the Visual Thesaurus to define the five terms listed for that field. Be sure to scroll over the word's meaning bubbles to correctly identify the meanings that best apply to your chosen profession. Then, conduct online research to find additional lingo or jargon that is common in that field.

Firefighting arson deflagration firewall HAZMAT means of egress	Computer Science bit browser firewall operation track	Journalism bias by-line column lede masthead	Criminal Justice appeal deposition indictment suit tort
Finance blue chip bull market capital draft floater	Fashion bias bodice haute couture mode suit	Architecture blueprint buttress column draft truss	Statistics mean median mode range sample
Advertising brand infomercial pitch product spot	Plumbing drain elbow riser valve washer	Military company draft operation round tour	Music Industry label royalty sign tour track

Profession I chose: _____

Meanings of six terms as defined in the VT:

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Another online source about the jargon of this profession: _____

Additional words associated with this profession:

