

# **misnomer** (*mis-no-mer*)

## **Definition**

n. a wrong or inaccurate name or term.

## **Example Sentence**

Pencil lead is a **misnomer** because it is really made of graphite and clay.

## **More Example Sentences**

Calling it a 'small' house was a **misnomer**.

## **Synonyms**

incorrect name; mislabeling; misidentification

## **Antonyms**

correct name

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