

# precedes *(pre-cedes)*

## Definition

v. to come before something in time or order; to go in advance of.

## Example Sentence

The chapter that **precedes** this one provides important background information.

## More Example Sentences

In the sequence of events, the storm **precedes** the calm that follows.

## Synonyms

comes before; anticipates; foreruns

## Antonyms

follows; succeeds; trails

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