

What is meant by each of these terms?

1. Sovereign citizen _____

2. Cabal _____

3. Chemtrails _____

Sovereign Citizen: someone who believes that no laws apply to them unless they have personally agreed to them, and that generally all governments are a conspiracy to control the citizenry, often by means of ancient agreements among any of several elites. No such claim has ever stood up in court in Canada.

Cabal: a fairly small, self-perpetuating group that is thought to control everything.

Chemtrails: some conspiracy theorists believe, without any evidence, that the water vapour streams (contrails) often produced by jet aircraft are laced with chemicals to do such things as mind control or weather control. Hence chemtrails rather than contrails.

What is meant by each of these terms?

4. HAARP _____

5. False Flag _____

6. Truther _____

HAARP stands for High Frequency Active Auroral Research Program, a program to study the ionosphere by activating it by means of high power radio transmissions from the ground. It was started by the US military and is now run by the University of Alaska. Conspiracy theorists believe it is responsible for weather control, mind control, etc.

The term false flag originally referred to the technique used by pirate ships to fool their prey by flying the flag of a friendly country. Conspiracy theorists call any event a false flag when they think it is staged by a powerful group to fool people. Most commonly, school shootings are assumed to be false flags to encourage gun control. 9/11 is also often declared to be a false flag.

A Truther is someone who believes that the accepted explanation for something is deliberately falsified, and is determined to find the "truth". Examples include Birthers, who maintain that Barack Obama was born in Kenya, and 9/11 Truthers, who think that the destruction of the World Trade Center was an "inside job."

What is meant by each of these terms?

7. Deep State _____

8. Area 51 _____

9. Banksters _____

Deep state: An elite group who supposedly control a country or the world independently of any official elected government.

Area 51: Part of Edwards Air Force Base in Nevada. Conspiracy theorists claim that experiments on aliens and alien technology have taken place there.

Banksters: A derogatory term used to refer to "international bankers". Often Banksters seem to be assumed to be Jewish by conspiracy theorists who assume they control the world.

What is meant by each of these terms?

10. Sheeple _____

11. New World Order _____

12. Holocaust Revisionism _____

Sheeple is a derogatory term, a combination of “sheep” and “people”, used to refer to people who do not grasp the truth of a given conspiracy theory.

The term New World Order has been used by statesmen since World War I and especially since World War II to describe a possible future of global co-operation. Conspiracy theorists have used the term to designate the imagined control of the world by any of several close-knit groups.

Holocaust revisionism is a term used by Holocaust deniers to lend a veneer of respectability to their denial of the murder of millions by the Nazis, in spite of overwhelming evidence.

What is meant by each of these terms?

13. ZOG _____

14. Shape Shifters _____

15. Drinking the Kool-Aid _____

ZOG is an abbreviation for Zionist Occupational Government, a term used by anti-semitic conspiracy theorists to describe the supposed rule of the world by Jews.

Shape shifters are supposed beings who can shift between their real reptilian form and an assumed human form. The idea is that many world leaders are really alien reptilians.

“Drinking the Kool-Aid” is a reference to the Jim Jones cult mass suicide of 1978. Conspiracy theorists use the term to refer to people who believe the usual interpretation of an event or situation.

What is meant by each of these terms?

16. Protocols of the Elders of Zion _____

17. Tinfoil hat _____

18. Illuminati _____

The Protocols of the Elders of Zion is a Czarist forgery dating from around 1903, about a fictional Jewish plot to control the world. It has been used ever since to justify anti-Semitism.

The tinfoil hat (or foil-lined hat) has been used by people who think that the government or some other body is using radio waves to control their minds.

The Illuminati were a small group of activists in Bavaria in the 18th century. For some reason, some conspiracy theorists insist they still exist and control the world.

What is meant by each of these terms?

19. Black Helicopters _____

20. Anti-vaxxer _____

21. Rosicrucians _____

Black helicopters are supposedly used by either the UN, the US government, or whoever is supposed to be in control, to exert control.

Anti-vaxxers think that vaccines are part of a conspiracy to destroy people's health.

The Rosicrucians were a mystical sect in ancient times. Several modern groups claim to be descended from the original group. None seem to wield any political power, though some conspiracists think so.