



◀ President John F. Kennedy established the President’s Commission on the Status of Women in December 1961. This commission was created to look at ways to eliminate discrimination against women. Eleanor Roosevelt (shown with Kennedy in the picture to the left) led the work of this commission. Making sure that women have equal rights and opportunities is an **ongoing** effort.

Word	Part of Speech	Meaning	Word History
<i>ongoing</i>	adjective	in progress; continuing; currently happening	<i>ongoing</i> was first used in 1877; it combined the words “on” and “going” to mean continuing to happen

Draw/insert a picture of the word.

Name other words that mean about the same thing.

ongoing

Name other words that have the opposite meaning.

Write a sentence or question that includes this word.

So they say ...

“I have this massive love for the whole culture of pop music. It’s my fascination, my ongoing passion.”

~ **Siobhan Fahey** (born 1960) is an Irish musician. What fascinates you? What is your ongoing passion? Discuss your answer with a partner.