

## 2. ~ against

<b>go against</b>	...に逆らう	You should never <b>go against</b> your wife. She will never forget.
<b>go against</b>	...に不利に働く	In the Karate tournament, the decision <b>went against</b> Tanaka.
<b>have</b> something <b>against</b>	(敵意・反対理由)を抱く	I really <b>have something against</b> people who smoke in public.
<b>have</b> nothing <b>against</b>	(敵意・反対理由)を抱かない	Oh really? I <b>have nothing against</b> them. It's their right.
<b>hold ... against</b>	(過去のことを) 持ち出して批判する	Please don't <b>hold my mistake against</b> me.
<b>turn against</b>	...と敵対する	Some of my former students have <b>turned against</b> me and gossip.
<b>turn ... against</b>	...を~と敵対する	The government has really <b>turned the Okinawan people against</b> them.

**Comprehension**

1. It is sometimes hard to forgive people. Many people \_\_\_\_\_ a grudge \_\_\_\_\_ others for past mistakes.
2. I don't want to \_\_\_\_\_ my boss, but I cannot support his decision.
3. It's okay to discipline students, but if you don't respect them, they will \_\_\_\_\_ you one day.
4. I \_\_\_\_\_ the gay and lesbian community.

**Discussion**

1. Have you ever **gone against** your boss/husband/family member? Why?
2. Is there a group of people you **have something against**?
3. Is there anything you are **holding against** your husband?
4. Has anyone ever **turned against** you? What did you do?