

Kriya State Level Children's Festival - 2020

Spell Bee - Published Words

Seniors Category Instructions

1. Participants must face two tests - (a) written test (b) oral test. Written test is a screening test.
2. 20 words from published list and 10 words from unpublished list are dictated in written test.
3. Top 20 participants will be selected from written to test to oral test.
4. Instructions for oral test will be given on the day of competition.
5. Oral test is completely based on unpublished words.

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S.No	Word	Part of Speech	Meaning	Usage
2	Accept	Verb	to take willingly something that is offered; to say 'yes' to an offer, invitation, etc.	<i>He asked me to marry him and I accepted.</i>
3	Anniversary	Noun	a date that is an exact number of years after the date of an important or special event	<i>He is celebrating his first wedding anniversary grandly.</i>
4	Annual	Adjective	happening or done once every year	<i>An annual meeting/event/report</i>
5	Antenna	Noun	a piece of equipment made of wire or long straight pieces of metal for receiving or sending radio and television signals	<i>They installed a dish antenna on the roof.</i>
6	Arrogant	Adjective	behaving in a proud, unpleasant way, showing little thought for other people	<i>The chief inspector disliked his arrogant manner.</i>
7	Assistance	Noun	help or support	<i>He can walk only with the assistance of crutches.</i>
8	Athlete	Noun	a person who competes in sports	<i>The athletes are training hard for the Olympics.</i>
9	Attendance	Noun	the act of being present at a place, for example at school	<i>Teachers must keep a record of students' attendances.</i>
10	Attic	Noun	a room or space just below the roof of a house, often used for storing things	<i>furniture stored in the attic</i>
11	Average	Adjective	calculated by adding several amounts together, finding a total, and dividing the total by the number of amounts	<i>Average earnings are around £20 000 per annum</i>
12	Banner	Noun	a long piece of cloth with a message on it that is carried between two poles or hung in a public place to show support for something	<i>A huge banner over the street said 'Welcome home'.</i>
13	Barber	Noun	a person whose job is to cut men's hair and sometimes to shave them	<i>He is working as a barber.</i>
14	Baton	Noun	a stick that is passed from one runner to another in a relay race	<i>We are merely picking up the baton where he unfortunately left it.</i>
15	Believe	Verb	to feel certain that something is true or that somebody is telling you the truth	<i>The man claimed to be a social worker and the old woman believed him.</i>

16	Bubble	Noun	a ball of air or gas in a liquid, or a ball of air inside a solid substance such as glass	<i>blowing bubbles into water through a straw</i>
17	Buffoon	Noun	a person who does silly but amusing things	<i>Children are laughing at Buffoon</i>
18	Calamity	Noun	an event that causes great damage to people's lives, property, etc.	<i>His financial help saved the magazine from total calamity.</i>
19	Calendar	Noun	a page or series of pages showing the days, weeks and months of a particular year, especially one that you hang on a wall	<i>Did you get a calendar for 2020?</i>
20	Career	Noun	the series of jobs that a person has in a particular area of work, usually involving more responsibility as time passes	<i>She has been concentrating on her career.</i>
21	Chariot	Noun	an open vehicle with two wheels, pulled by horses, used in ancient times in battle and for racing	<i>His enemies were men of the early iron age, and used the chariot in war.</i>
22	Climate	Noun	the regular pattern of weather conditions of a particular place	<i>The city has a warm climate.</i>
23	cocoon	Noun	a covering of silk threads that some insects make to protect themselves before they become adults	<i>The cocoons were collected and placed in clean containers for adult emergence.</i>
24	Colour	Noun	the appearance that things have that results from the way in which they reflect light. Red, orange and green are colours.	<i>What's your favourite colour?</i>
25	Compass	Noun	an instrument for finding direction, with a needle that always points to the north	<i>A compass shows you which direction is north.</i>
26	Compromise	Noun	an agreement made between two people or groups in which each side gives up some of the things they want so that both sides are happy at the end	<i>In any relationship, you have to make compromises .</i>
27	Concrete	Adjective	based on facts, not on ideas or guesses OR made of concrete	<i>It is easier to think in concrete terms rather than in the abstract. OR a concrete floor</i>
28	Continent	Adjective	one of the large land masses of the earth such as Europe, Asia or Africa	<i>He crossed a whole continent to find his family.</i>
29	Cooperative	Adjective	Involving doing something together or working together with others towards a shared aim	<i>Cooperative activity is essential to effective community work.</i>
30	Correction	Noun	a change that makes something more accurate than it was before	<i>The paper had to publish a correction to the story.</i>
31	Corridor	Noun	a long narrow passage in a building, with doors that open into rooms on either side	<i>His room is along the corridor.</i>
32	Crack	Verb	to break without dividing into separate parts; to break something in this way	<i>The ice cracked as I stepped onto it.</i>
33	Cylinder	Noun	a solid or hollow figure with round ends and long straight sides	<i>All our aircraft carry at least one oxygen cylinder for emergency use on board.</i>
34	Deduct	Verb	to take away money, points, etc. from a total amount	<i>Tax is deducted at source.</i>
35	Develop	Verb	to gradually grow or become bigger, more advanced, stronger, etc.; to make something do this	<i>She developed the company from nothing.</i>
36	Dinner	Noun	the main meal of the day, eaten either in the middle of the day or in the evening	<i>What shall we have for dinner tonight?</i>

37	Discount	Noun	an amount of money that is taken off the usual cost of something	<i>They're offering a 10% discount on all sofas this month.</i>
38	Discuss	Verb	to talk about something with somebody, especially in order to decide something	<i>Have you discussed the problem with anyone?</i>
39	Drizzle	Verb	when it is drizzling , it is raining lightly	<i>When they left it was beginning to drizzle.</i>
40	Elbow	Noun	the joint between the upper and lower parts of the arm where it bends in the middle	<i>He rested his elbows on his knees.</i>
41	Emperor	Noun	the ruler of an empire	<i>I like the story "The Emperor's New Clothes"</i>
42	Employee	Noun	a person who is paid to work for somebody	<i>The firm has over 500 employees.</i>
43	Emporium	Noun	a shop/store that sells a particular type of goods	<i>an arts and crafts emporium</i>
44	Exception	Noun	a person or thing that is not included in a general statement	<i>With very few exceptions, private schools get the best exam results.</i>
45	Farmer	Noun	a person who owns or manages a farm	<i>a new plan to help the small farmer</i>
46	Fetch	Verb	to go to where somebody/something is and bring them/it back	<i>The inhabitants have to walk a mile to fetch water.</i>
47	Foam	Noun	a mass of very small air bubbles on the surface of a liquid	<i>The breaking waves left the beach covered with foam.</i>
48	Follower	Noun	a person who supports and admires a particular person or set of ideas	<i>the followers of Mahatma Gandhi</i>
49	Fortune	Noun	chance or luck, especially in the way it affects people's lives	<i>I have had the good fortune to work with some brilliant directors.</i>
50	Future	Noun	the time that will come after the present or the events that will happen then	<i>What will the cities of the future look like?</i>
51	Garbage	Noun	waste food, paper, etc. that you throw away	<i>Don't forget to take out the garbage.</i>
52	General	Adjective	affecting all or most people, places or things	<i>The general opinion is that the conference was a success.</i>
53	Glamour	Noun	the attractive and exciting quality that makes a person, a job or a place seem special, often because of wealth or status	<i>Now that she's a flight attendant, foreign travel has lost its glamour for her.</i>
54	Glitter	Verb	to shine brightly with little flashes of light, like a diamond	<i>The ceiling of the cathedral glittered with gold.</i>
55	Goggles	Noun	pair of glasses that fit closely to the face to protect the eyes from wind, dust, water, etc.	<i>My swimming goggles keep steaming up so I can't see.</i>
56	Goose	Noun	a bird like a large duck with a long neck. Geese either live wild or are kept on farms.	<i>The female bird is called a goose and the male bird is called a gander.</i>
57	Granary	Noun	a building where grain is stored	<i>The surplus seed will be returned to the granary.</i>
58	Guest	Noun	a person that you have invited to your house or to a particular event that you are paying for	<i>We have guests staying this weekend.</i>
59	Habit	Noun	a thing that you do often and almost without thinking, especially something that is hard to stop doing	<i>You need to change your eating habits.</i>
60	Hammer	Noun	a tool with a handle and a heavy metal head, used for breaking things or hitting nails	<i>He struck her on the head with a hammer.</i>

61	Happen	Verb	to take place, especially without being planned	<i>I'll be there whatever happens .</i>
62	Heaven	Noun	the place believed to be the home of God where good people go when they die	<i>I feel like I've died and gone to heaven.</i>
63	Humble	Adjective	showing you do not think that you are as important as other people	<i>Be humble enough to learn from your mistakes.</i>
64	Humour	Noun	the quality in something that makes it funny or amusing; the ability to laugh at things that are amusing	<i>a story full of gentle humour</i>
65	Inning	Noun	one of the nine periods of a game in which each team has a turn at batting	<i>The Chicago Cubs scored two runs in the first inning.</i>
66	Interest	Noun	the feeling that you have when you want to know or learn more about somebody/something	<i>Do your parents take an interest in your friends?</i>
67	Internal	Adjective	connected with the inside of something	<i>The medicine is not for internal use .</i>
68	Island	Noun	a piece of land that is completely surrounded by water	<i>He owns a house on the island</i>
69	joyous	Adjective	very happy; causing people to be happy	<i>joyous laughter</i>
70	Juice	Noun	the liquid that comes from fruit or vegetables; a drink made from this	<i>Add the juice of two lemons.</i>
71	Ladder	Noun	a piece of equipment for climbing up and down a wall, the side of a building, etc., consisting of two lengths of wood or metal that are joined together by steps or rungs	<i>to climb up a ladder</i>
72	Lawn	Noun	an area of ground covered in short grass in a garden/yard or park, or used for playing a game on	<i>They served afternoon tea on the lawn</i>
73	Leather	Noun	material made by removing the hair or fur from animal skins and preserving the skins using special processes	<i>The soles are made of leather.</i>
74	Lesson	Noun	a period of time in which somebody is taught something.	<i>She gives piano lessons.</i>
75	Liquid	Noun	a substance that flows freely and is not a solid or a gas, for example water or oil	<i>She poured the dark brown liquid down the sink.</i>
76	Little	Adjective	not big; small; smaller than others	<i>a little group of tourists</i>
77	Luggage	Noun	bags, cases, etc. that contain somebody's clothes and things when they are travelling	<i>You stay there with the luggage while I find a cab.</i>
78	Manner	Noun	the way that something is done or happens	<i>She answered in a businesslike manner .</i>
79	Material	Noun	cloth used for making clothes, curtains, etc.	<i>'What material is this dress made of?' 'Cotton.'</i>
80	Mirror	Noun	a piece of special flat glass that reflects images, so that you can see yourself when you look in it	<i>He looked at himself in the mirror .</i>
81	Mountain	Noun	a very high hill, often with rocks near the top	<i>We spent a week walking in the mountains .</i>
82	Natural	Adjective	existing in nature; not made or caused by humans	<i>Children have a natural desire for affection and security.</i>
83	Needle	Noun	a small thin piece of steel that you use for sewing, with a point at one end and a hole for the thread at the other	<i>She sewed it on with needle and thread.</i>

84	Neglect	Verb	to fail to take care of somebody/something	<i>Don't neglect your health.</i>
85	Nineteen	Adjective	a number	She is nineteen years old
86	Observe	Verb	to see or notice somebody/something	<i>I want you to observe all the details.</i>
87	Octopus	Noun	a sea creature with a soft round body and eight long arms, that is sometimes used for food	Octopuses have an excellent sense of touch.
88	Official	Adjective	connected with the job of somebody who is in a position of authority	<i>He attended in his official capacity as mayor.</i>
89	Opinion	Noun	your feelings or thoughts about somebody/something, rather than a fact	I've recently changed my opinion of her.
90	Opposite	Adverb	on the other side of a particular area from somebody/something and usually facing them	There's a newly married couple living opposite to our house.
91	Optimist	Noun	a person who always expects good things to happen or things to be successful	<i>He's an incurable optimist.</i>
92	Ostrich	Noun	a very large African bird with a long neck and long legs, that cannot fly but can run very fast	The key commercial species were elephant and <i>ostrich</i> for the ivory and feather export markets.
93	Package	Noun	a box, bag, etc. in which things are wrapped or packed; the contents of a box, etc.	Check the list of ingredients on the side of the package.
94	Passion	Noun	a very strong feeling of love, hatred, anger, enthusiasm, etc.	<i>He's a man of violent passions.</i>
95	Patrol	Verb	to go around an area or a building at regular times to check that it is safe and that there is no trouble	<i>Guards can be seen patrolling everywhere</i>
96	Personal	Adjective	your own; not belonging to or connected with anyone else	The novel is written from personal experience .
97	Piano	Noun	a large musical instrument played by pressing the black and white keys on the keyboard.	He is playing jazz on the piano.
98	Piece	Noun	an amount of something that has been cut or separated from the rest of it; a standard amount of something	She wrote something on a small piece of paper.
99	Plantain	Noun	a fruit like a large banana , but less sweet, that is cooked and eaten as a vegetable	Though eaten indiscriminately here, the <i>plantain</i> is best suited to cookery and the banana to raw consumption.
100	Pleasant	Adjective	enjoyable, pleasing or attractive	<i>What a pleasant surprise!</i>
101	Possible	Adjective	that can be done or achieved	It is possible to get there by bus.
102	Poverty	Noun	the state of being poor	<i>Some people in our country are still in abject poverty.</i>
103	Preach	Verb	to give a religious talk in a public place, especially in a church during a service	<i>She preached to the congregation about forgiveness.</i>
104	Present	Adjective	existing or happening now	<i>At present, we want to consult a doctor.</i>
105	Prison	Noun	a building where people are kept as a punishment for a crime they have committed, or while they are waiting for trial	He was sent to prison for five years.

106	Process	Noun	a series of things that are done in order to achieve a particular result	We're in the process of selling our house.
107	Profession	Noun	a type of job that needs special training or skill, especially one that needs a high level of education	He was an electrician by profession .
108	Progress	Noun	the process of improving or developing, or of getting nearer to achieving or completing something	We have made great progress in controlling inflation.
109	Pulley	Noun	a wheel or set of wheels over which a rope or chain is pulled in order to lift or lower heavy objects	The scenery was moved across the stage by ropes and pulleys.
110	Puppet	Noun	a model of a person or an animal that can be made to move, for example by pulling strings attached to parts of its body or by putting your hand inside it.	Yesterday, I watched a puppet show
111	Purple	Noun	the colour of blue and red mixed together	She was dressed in purple.
112	Rabbit	Noun	a small animal with soft fur, long ears and a short tail. Rabbits live in holes in the ground or are kept as pets or for food	The rabbit hopped across the <u>grass</u> .
113	Razor	Noun	an instrument that is used for shaving	He slashed his wrists with a razor.
114	Reaction	Noun	what you do, say or think as a result of something that has happened	What was his reaction to the news?
115	Recite	Verb	to say a poem, piece of literature, etc. that you have learned, especially to an audience	Each child had to recite a poem to the class.
116	Rectangle	Noun	a flat shape with four straight sides, two of which are longer than the other two, and four angles of 90°	The teacher asked the boy to draw a rectangle.
117	Reliable	Adjective	that can be trusted to do something well; that you can rely on	We are looking for someone who is reliable and hard-working.
118	Resolve	Verb	to find an acceptable solution to a problem or difficulty	Both sides met in order to try to resolve their differences.
119	Revision	Noun	a change or set of changes to somethingHe made some minor revisions to the report before printing it out.	I've got to do some history revision tonight.
120	Rooster	Noun	an adult male chicken	John woke up the next morning to the sound of a rooster crowing.
121	Sailors	Noun	a person who works on a ship as a member of the crew	He was a young sailor on his first sea voyage .
122	Salon	Noun	a shop/store that gives customers hair or beauty treatment or that sells expensive clothes	He now runs his own hairdressing salon in Melbourne.
123	Score	Noun	the number of points, goals, etc. scored by each player or team in a game or competition	The score was displayed on a giant electronic scoreboard.
124	Scorpion	Noun	a small creature like an insect with eight legs, two front claws (= curved and pointed arms) and a long tail that curves over its back and can give a poisonous sting. Scorpions live in hot countries.	Being stung by a scorpion is extremely dangerous.
125	Scream	Verb	to give a loud, high cry, because you are hurt, frightened, excited, etc.	He covered her mouth to stop her from screaming.
126	Secret	Adjective	known about by only a few people; kept hidden from others	Details of the proposals remain secret.
127	Secure	Adjective	feeling happy and confident about yourself or a particular situation	At last they were able to feel secure about the future.
128	Separate	Adjective	forming a unit by itself; not joined to something else	Write a list of names on a separate piece of paper.

129	Service	Noun	a system that provides something that the public needs, organized by the government or a private company	The government aims to improve public services , especially education.
130	Sickle	Noun	a tool with a curved blade and a short handle, used for cutting grass, etc.	The rest of the plants in the plots were cut with a <i>sickle</i> .
131	Sketch	Noun	a simple picture that is drawn quickly and does not have many details	<i>She drew a sketch map of the area to show us the way.</i>
132	Slippery	Adjective	difficult to hold or to stand or move on, because it is smooth, wet or polished	<i>His hand was slippery with sweat.</i>
133	Sparrow	Noun	a small brown and grey bird, common in many parts of the world	<i>Now a days sparrows are not seen in our surroundings.</i>
134	Sprain	Noun	an injury to a joint in your body, especially your wrist or ankle, caused by suddenly twisting it	<i>a bad ankle sprain</i>
135	Sprouts	Verb	to produce new leaves or buds; to start to grow	<i>The seeds will sprout in a few days.</i>
136	Squirrel	Noun	a small animal with a long thick tail and red, grey or black fur. Squirrels eat nuts and live in trees.	In most species of squirrel , the female alone looks after the young,
137	Stretch	Verb	to make something longer, wider or looser, for example by pulling it; to become longer, etc. in this way	<i>This sweater has stretched.</i>
138	Struggle	Verb	to try very hard to do something when it is difficult or when there are a lot of problems	<i>She struggled for 10 years to achieve success as an actress.</i>
139	Suitable	Adjective	right or appropriate for a particular purpose or occasion	<i>a suitable place for a picnic</i>
140	Suppose	Verb	to think or believe that something is true or possible (based on the knowledge that you have)	<i>Getting a visa isn't as simple as you might suppose</i>
141	Tender	Adjective	kind, gentle and loving	<i>What he needs now is a lot of tender loving care</i>
142	Tie	Verb	to attach or hold two or more things together using string, rope, etc.; to fasten somebody/something with string, rope, etc.	<i>She tied the newspapers in a bundle.</i>
143	Tomorrow	Adverb	on or during the day after today	<i>She's leaving tomorrow.</i>
144	Tractor	Noun	a powerful vehicle with two large and two smaller wheels, used especially for pulling farm machinery	<i>a farmer on his tractor</i>
145	Tunnel	Noun	a passage built underground, for example to allow a road or railway/railroad to go through a hill, under a river, etc.	<i>They've built a new tunnel through the mountain.</i>
146	Turtle	Noun	a large reptile with a hard round shell, that lives in the sea	Sea turtles are species of reptile.
147	Upstairs	Adverb	up the stairs; on or to a floor of a house or other building higher than the one that you are on	<i>I carried her bags upstairs.</i>
148	Various	Adjective	several different	<i>Tents come in various shapes and sizes.</i>
149	Vendor	Noun	a person who sells things, for example food or newspapers, usually outside on the street	<i>street vendors</i>
150	Vessel	Noun	a large ship or boat or a container used for holding liquids, such as a bowl, cup, etc. OR a tube that carries blood through the body of a person OR an animal, or liquid through the parts of a plant	<i>ocean-going vessels OR a Bronze Age drinking vessel OR Blood vessel</i>

151	Violet	Adjective	bluish-purple in colour	violet eyes
152	Vulture	Noun	a large bird, usually without feathers on its head or neck, that eats the flesh of animals that are already dead	Vultures are circling overhead
153	wound	Noun	an injury to part of the body, especially one in which a hole is made in the skin using a weapon	The nurse cleaned the wound .
MEDIUM				
	WORD	PART OF SPEECH	MEANING	USAGE
1	Accurate	Adjective	correct and true in every detail	<i>Accurate records must be kept.</i>
2	Absent	Adjective	not in a place because of illness, etc.	<i>to be absent from work</i>
3	Acrobat	Noun	an entertainer who performs difficult acts such as balancing on high ropes, especially at a circus	I have had to be a bit of an acrobat at times.
4	Admission	Noun	the act of accepting somebody into an institution, organization, etc.; the right to enter a place or to join an institution or organization	She failed to gain admission to the university of her choice.
5	Advocacy	Noun	the giving of public support to an idea, a course of action or a belief	<i>The charity provides advice, help, and advocacy for older people .</i>
6	Agitation	Noun	worry and anxiety that you show by behaving in a nervous way	<i>David arrived in a state of great agitation.</i>
7	Aluminium	Noun	a chemical element. Aluminium is a light, silver-grey metal used for making pans, etc	<i>.aluminium saucepans/window frames</i>
8	Ammunition	Noun	a supply of bullets, etc. to be fired from guns	<i>A few of the men had run out of ammunition.</i>
9	Ancestors	Noun	a person in your family who lived a long time ago	<i>His ancestors had come to America from Ireland.</i>
10	Ankle	Noun	the joint connecting the foot to the leg	<i>My ankles have swollen.</i>
11	Appetite	Noun	physical desire for food	<i>Don't spoil your appetite by eating between meals.</i>
12	Assignment	Noun	a task or piece of work that somebody is given to do, usually as part of their job or studies	<i>I had set myself a tough assignment.</i>
13	Attention	Noun	the act of listening to, looking at or thinking about something/somebody carefully	<i>He turned his attention back to the road again.</i>
14	Bargain	Noun	a thing bought for less than the usual price	<i>I picked up a few good bargains in the sale.</i>
15	Beadle	Noun	an official who takes part in some church or university ceremonies	On the way, he met various people -- a laborer, a shepherd, a beadle , some laundresses -- and asked whether they had seen the children .
16	Bestow	Verb	to give something to somebody, especially to show how much they are respected	<i>It was a title bestowed upon him by the king.</i>
17	Blossoms	Noun	a flower or a mass of flowers, especially on a fruit tree or bush	<i>The trees are in blossom .</i>
18	Capillary	Noun	any of the smallest tubes in the body that carry blood	<i>Smallest blood vessels are called blood capillaries</i>
19	Cassette	Noun	a small flat plastic case containing tape for playing or recording music or sound	<i>He inserted the cassette and pressed the 'play' button .</i>
20	Celebrate	Verb	to show that a day or an event is important by doing something special on it	<i>How do people celebrate New Year in your country?</i>

21	Ceremony	Noun	a public or religious occasion that includes a series of formal or traditional actions	<i>a wedding/marriage ceremony</i>
22	Choreographer	Noun	a person whose job involves designing and arranging the steps and movements in dances, especially in ballet	<i>She is an innovative contemporary choreographer.</i>
23	Circuit	Noun	a line, route or journey around a place	<i>The race ended with eight laps of a city centre circuit.</i>
24	Civilian	Noun	connected with people who are not members of the armed forces or the police	<i>He left the army and returned to civilian life.</i>
25	Commitment	Noun	a promise to do something or to behave in a particular way; a promise to support somebody/something; the fact of committing yourself	<i>They all played with commitment and determination.</i>
26	Committee	Noun	a group of people who are chosen, usually by a larger group, to make decisions or to deal with a particular subject	<i>She's on the management committee.</i>
27	Complexion	Noun	the natural colour and condition of the skin on a person's face	<i>a young girl with a rosy complexion</i>
28	Compose	Verb	to combine together to form a whole	<i>Ten men compose the committee.</i>
29	Concentration	Noun	the ability to direct all your effort and attention on one thing, without thinking of other things	<i>This book requires a great deal of concentration.</i>
30	Confidence	Noun	the feeling that you can trust, believe in and be sure about the abilities or good qualities of somebody/something	<i>The players all have confidence in their manager.</i>
31	Contaminate	Verb	to make a substance or place dirty or no longer pure by adding a substance that is dangerous or carries disease	<i>The food which had been contaminated was <u>destroyed</u>.</i>
32	contemporary	Adjective	belonging to the same time	<i>He was contemporary with the dramatist.</i>
33	Counsellor	Noun	a person who has been trained to advise people with problems, especially personal problems	<i>a marriage guidance counsellor</i>
34	Countenance	Noun	a person's face or their expression	<i>a young man of handsome countenance</i>
35	Crayon	Verb	to draw or colour something using a crayon	<i>When I left her she was busy crayoning.</i>
36	Criticize	Verb	to say that you disapprove of somebody/something; to say what you do not like or think is wrong about somebody/something	<i>The decision was criticized by environmental groups</i>
37	Crocodile	Noun	a large reptile with a long tail, hard skin and very big jaws . Crocodiles live in rivers and lakes in hot countries.	<i>Crocodiles are Amphibians.</i>
38	Deceive	Verb	to make somebody believe something that is not true	<i>She deceived him into handing over all his savings.</i>
39	Desperate	Adjective	feeling or showing that you have little hope and are ready to do anything without worrying about danger to yourself or others	<i>I heard sounds of a desperate struggle in the next room.</i>
40	Devour	Verb	to eat all of something quickly, especially because you are very hungry	<i>The animal quickly devoured its prey.</i>
41	Division	Noun	the process or result of dividing into separate parts; the process or result of dividing something or sharing it out	<i>Sometimes there is no simple division between good and evil.</i>
42	Edible	Adjective	fit or suitable to be eaten; not poisonous	<i>The food at the hotel was barely edible.</i>
43	Effective	Adjective	producing the result that is wanted or intended; producing a successful result	<i>Aspirin is a simple but highly effective treatment.</i>

44	Electoral	Adjective	connected with elections	Our country needs electoral reforms.
45	Employment	Noun	work, especially when it is done to earn money; the state of being employed	<i>Most of last year's graduates are now in employment.</i>
46	Engine	Noun	the part of a vehicle that produces power to make the vehicle move	<i>My car had to have a new engine.</i>
47	Equity	Noun	the value of a company's shares; the value of a property after all charges and debts have been paid	<i>He plans to raise the company's return on equity to 15%.</i>
48	Exhaust	Verb	<u>to make someone extremely tired</u>	<i>The long journey exhausted the <u>children</u>.</i>
49	Expression	Noun	things that people say, write or do in order to show their feelings, opinions and ideas	<i>Expressions of sympathy flooded in from all over the country.</i>
50	Fragment	Noun	a small part of something that has broken off or comes from something larger	<i>Police found fragments of glass near the scene.</i>
51	Fragrant	Adjective	having a pleasant smell	<i>The air was fragrant with scents from the sea and the hills.</i>
52	Garment	Noun	a piece of clothing	<i>woollen/winter/outer garments</i>
53	Gentleman	Noun	a man who is polite and well educated, who has excellent manners and always behaves well	<i>He's no gentleman!</i>
54	Giraffe	Noun	a tall African animal with a very long neck, long legs, and dark marks on its coat	<i>Giraffe has a long neck.</i>
55	Gratitude	Noun	the feeling of being grateful and wanting to express your thanks	<i>He smiled at them with gratitude.</i>
56	Grievance	Noun	something that you think is unfair and that you complain or protest about	<i>He had been nursing a grievance against his boss for months.</i>
57	Hesitant	Adjective	slow to speak or act because you feel uncertain, embarrassed or unwilling	<i>She's hesitant about signing the contract.</i>
58	Homonym	Noun	a word that is spelt like another word (or pronounced like it) but which has a different meaning, for example <i>can</i> meaning 'be able' and <i>can</i> meaning 'put something in a container'	<u>"No" and "know" are homonyms.</u>
59	Hooligan	Noun	a young person who behaves in an extremely noisy and violent way in public, usually in a group	<i>Hooligans had sprayed paint all over the car.</i>
60	Huddle	Verb	to gather closely together, usually because of cold or fear	<i>People huddled up close to each other.</i>
61	Illiterate	Adjective	not knowing how to read or write	<i>A large percentage of the rural population was illiterate.</i>
62	Illogical	Adjective	not sensible or thought out in a logical way	<i>She has an illogical fear of insects.</i>
63	Impressive	Impressive	(of things or people) making you feel admiration, because they are very large, good, skilful, etc.	<i>an impressive performance</i>
64	Improvement	Noun	the act of making something better; the process of something becoming better	<i>Sales figures continue to show signs of improvement.</i>
65	Inaugural	Noun	the first official speech, meeting, etc. that marks the beginning of something important, for example the time when a new leader or parliament starts work	<i>In her inaugural speech, she identified the recruitment of top faculty talent to the university as one of her chief goals.</i>

66	Influence	Noun	the effect that somebody/something has on the way a person thinks or behaves or on the way that something works or develops	<i>What exactly is the influence of television on children?</i>
67	Innovative	Adjective	introducing or using new ideas, ways of doing something, etc.	<i>There will be a prize for the most innovative design.</i>
68	Insignificance	Noun	the fact of not being big or valuable enough to be considered important	<i>Success took him from insignificance to wealth and fame.</i>
69	Intention	Noun	what you intend or plan to do; your aim	<i>She's full of good intentions but they rarely work out.</i>
70	Jewellery	Noun	objects such as rings and necklaces that people wear as decoration	<i>She inherited the family jewellery.</i>
71	Journal	Noun	a newspaper or magazine that deals with a particular subject or profession	<i>a scientific/trade journal</i>
72	Kangaroo	Noun	a large Australian animal with a strong tail and back legs, that moves by jumping. The female carries its young in a pocket of skin (called a pouch) on the front of its body.	<i>Kangaroos can jump immense distances.</i>
73	Laboratory	Noun	a room or building used for scientific research, experiments, testing, etc.	<i>a research laboratory</i>
74	Legislature	Noun	a group of people who have the power to make and change laws	<i>a democratically elected legislature</i>
75	Lighten	Verb	lighten something to reduce the amount of work, debt, worry, etc. that somebody has	<i>The measures will lighten the tax burden on small businesses.</i>
76	Manager	Noun	a person who is in charge of running a business, a shop/store or a similar organization or part of one	<i>A product manager is responsible for product profitability.</i>
77	Meagre	Adjective	small in quantity and poor in quality	<i>a meagre diet of bread and water</i>
78	Metaphor	Noun	a word or phrase used to describe somebody/something else, in a way that is different from its normal use, in order to show that the two things have the same qualities and to make the description more powerful, for example ; the use of such words and phrases	<i>the metaphor of life as a journey</i>
79	Millionaire	Noun	a person who has a million pounds, dollars, etc.; a very rich person	<i>She's a millionaire several times over.</i>
80	Mimicry	Noun	the action or skill of being able to copy the voice, movements, etc. of others	<i>Parrots specialize in vocal mimicry.</i>
81	Mustard	Adjective	brownish-yellow in colour	<i>a mustard sweater</i>
82	Narrow	Adjective	measuring a short distance from one side to the other, especially in relation to length	<i>There was only a narrow gap between the bed and the wall.</i>
83	Offensive	Adjective	rude in a way that causes you to feel upset, insulted or annoyed	<i>The programme contains language which some viewers may find offensive.</i>
84	Opportunity	Noun	a time when a particular situation makes it possible to do or achieve something	<i>This is the perfect opportunity to make a new start.</i>
85	Parachute	Noun	a device that is attached to people or objects to make them fall slowly and safely when they are dropped from an aircraft. It consists of a large piece of thin cloth that opens out in the air to form an umbrella shape.	<i>Planes dropped supplies by parachute.</i>

86	Paralysis	Noun	a loss of control of, and sometimes feeling in, part or most of the body, caused by disease or an injury to the nerves	<i>Polio can cause paralysis and sometimes death.</i>
87	Parasite	Noun	a small animal or plant that lives on or inside another animal or plant and gets its food from it	<i>an intestinal parasite of cattle</i>
88	Parliamentary	Adjective	connected with a parliament; having a parliament	<i>parliamentary elections</i>
89	Participate	Verb	to take part in or become involved in an activity	<i>She didn't participate in the discussion.</i>
90	Passenger	Noun	a person who is travelling in a car, bus, train, plane or ship and who is not driving it or working on it	<i>a passenger train (= carrying passengers, not goods)</i>
91	Patient	Noun	a person who is receiving medical treatment, especially in a hospital	cancer patients
92	Pedestrian	Noun	a person walking in the street and not travelling in a vehicle	<i>Two pedestrians were injured when the car skidded.</i>
93	Perennial	Adjective	continuing for a very long time; happening again and again	<i>the perennial problem of water shortage</i>
94	Pessimist	Noun	a person who always expects bad things to happen	<i>You don't have to be a pessimist to realize that we're in trouble.</i>
95	Philately	Noun	the collection and study of stamps	<i>My childhood hobby is Philately.</i>
96	Pilgrim	Noun	a person who travels to a holy place for religious reasons	<i>Muslim pilgrims on their way to Mecca</i>
97	Pilot	Noun	a person who operates the controls of an aircraft, especially as a job	<i>The accident was caused by pilot error.</i>
98	Pirate	Noun	a person on a ship who attacks other ships at sea in order to steal from them	<i>a pirate ship</i>
99	Pleasure	Adjective	a state of feeling or being happy or satisfied	<i>She took pleasure in shocking her parents.</i>
100	Portrait	Noun	a painting, drawing or photograph of a person, especially of the head and shoulders	<i>He had his portrait painted in uniform.</i>
101	Pressure	Noun	the force or weight with which something presses against something else	<i>The nurse applied pressure to his arm to stop the bleeding.</i>
102	Prestige	Noun	the respect and admiration that somebody/something has because of their social position, or what they have done	<i>There is a lot of prestige attached to owning a car like this.</i>
103	Principle	Noun	a moral rule or a strong belief that influences your actions	<i>He has high moral principles.</i>
104	Prisoner	Noun	a person who is kept in prison as a punishment, or while they are waiting for trial	<i>They are demanding the release of all political prisoners .</i>
105	Procedure	Noun	(for something) a way of doing something, especially the usual or correct way	<i>Making a complaint is quite a simple procedure.</i>
106	Professor	Noun	a university teacher of the highest rank	<i>a chemistry professor</i>
107	Prosecute	Verb	to officially charge somebody with a crime in court	<i>The company was prosecuted for breaching the Health and Safety Act.</i>
108	Provision	Noun	the act of supplying somebody with something that they need or want; something that is supplied	<i>The government is responsible for the provision of health care.</i>
109	Pseudonym	Noun	a name used by somebody, especially a writer, instead of their real name	<i>She writes under a pseudonym .</i>
110	Quench	Verb	to drink liquid so that you stop being thirsty	<i>When it's hot, it's best to quench your thirst with water.</i>

111	Questionnaire	Noun	a written list of questions that are answered by a number of people so that information can be collected from the answers	<i>Students completed a questionnaire about their social attitudes.</i>
112	Recommend	Verb	to tell somebody that something is good or useful, or that somebody would be suitable for a particular job, etc.	<i>She was recommended for the post by a colleague.</i>
113	Reluctant	Adjective	hesitating before doing something because you do not want to do it or because you are not sure that it is the right thing to do	<i>He finally gave a reluctant smile.</i>
114	Reservoir	Noun	a natural or artificial lake where water is stored before it is taken by pipes to houses, etc.	<i>Mahendratanya reervoir is the only water source for the villaqers.</i>
115	Reversible	Adjective	that can be turned inside out and worn or used with either side showing	<i>a reversible jacket</i>
116	Rhinoceros	Noun	a large heavy animal with very thick skin and either one or two horns on its nose, that lives in Africa and Asia	<i>I saw Rhinoceros only in movies.</i>
117	Saddle	Noun	a leather seat for a rider on a horse	<i>She swung herself into the saddle.</i>
118	Satellite	Noun	an electronic device that is sent into space and moves around the earth or another planet. It is used for communicating by radio, television, etc. and for providing information.	<i>The interview came live by satellite from Hollywood.</i>
119	Scattered	Verb	spread far apart over a wide area or over a long period of time	<i>Her family are scattered around the world.</i>
120	Sentimental	Noun	connected with your emotions, rather than reason	<i>The ring wasn't worth very much but it had great sentimental value.</i>
121	Shuffle	Verb	to walk slowly without lifting your feet completely off the ground.	<i>He shuffled across the room to the window.</i>
122	Simultaneous	Adjective	happening or done at the same time as something else	<i>There were several simultaneous attacks by the rebels.</i>
123	Soccer	Noun	a game played by two teams of 11 players, using a round ball which players kick up and down the playing field. Teams try to kick the ball into the other team's goal.	<i>soccer players</i>
124	Specialist	Adjective	having or involving expert knowledge of a particular area of work, study or medicine	<i>You need some specialist advice.</i>
125	Stampede	Noun	a situation in which a group of people or large animals such as horses suddenly start running in the same direction, especially because they are frightened or excited	<i>A stampede broke out when the doors opened.</i>
126	starvation	Noun	the state of suffering and death caused by having no food	<i>Millions will face starvation next year as a result of the drought.</i>
127	Stationary	Adjective	not moving; not intended to be moved	<i>I walked down one of the stationary escalators.</i>
128	Strength	Noun	the quality of being physically strong	<i>He pushed against the rock with all his strength.</i>
129	Stumble	Verb	to step awkwardly while walking or running and fall or begin to fall:	<i>Running along the beach, she stumbled on a log and fell on the sand.</i>
130	Successful	Adjective	achieving your aims or what was intended	<i>We congratulated them on the successful completion of the project.</i>
131	Suitcase	Noun	case with flat sides and a handle, used for carrying clothes, etc. when you are travelling	<i>to pack/unpack a suitcase</i>

132	Superintendent	Noun	a person who has a lot of authority and manages and controls an activity, a place, a group of workers, etc.	<i>She was medical superintendent at the Institution for 28 years.</i>
133	Swallow	verb	to make food, drink, etc. go down your throat into your stomach	<i>I had a sore throat and it hurt to swallow.</i>
134	Swine	Noun	an unpleasant person	<i>He's an arrogant little swine!</i>
135	Sympathy	Noun	the feeling of being sorry for somebody; showing that you understand and care about somebody's problems	<i>I have no sympathy for Jan, it's all her own fault.</i>
136	Tuft	Noun	a number of pieces of hair, grass, etc. growing or held closely together at the base	He had a few tufts of hair on his chin, but you couldn't really call it a beard.
137	Twilight	Noun	the faint light or the period of time at the end of the day after the sun has gone down	<i>It was hard to see him clearly in the twilight .</i>
138	Vacation	Noun	one of the periods of time when universities or courts of law are closed; (in the US) one of the periods of time when schools, colleges, universities or courts of law are closed	<i>the Christmas/Easter/summer vacation</i>
139	Valuable	Adjective	very useful or important	<i>The book provides valuable information on recent trends.</i>
140	Vigilant	Adjective	very careful to notice any signs of danger or trouble	<i>A pilot must remain vigilant at all times.</i>
141	Wheat	Noun	a plant grown for its grain that is used to produce the flour for bread, cakes, pasta , etc.; the grain of this plant	<i>wheat flour</i>
142	Wrinkle	Noun	a line or small fold in your skin, especially on your face, that forms as you get older	<i>There were fine wrinkles around her eyes.</i>
143	Youngster	Noun	a young person or a child	<i>The camp is for youngsters aged 8 to 14.</i>
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	WORD	PART OF SPEECH	MEANING	USAGE
1	Absolute	Adjective	very great or to the largest degree possible:	<i>I have absolute faith in her judgment.</i>
2	Aberration	Noun	a fact, an action or a way of behaving that is not usual, and that may be unacceptable	It was a temporary aberration of his exhausted mind.
3	Abundant	Adjective	more than enough	There is abundant evidence that cars have a harmful effect on the environment.
4	Accommodation	Noun	a place to live, work or stay in	<i>Hotel accommodation is included in the price of your holiday.</i>
5	Ambidextrous	Adjective	able to use the left hand or the right hand equally well	Mahatma Gandhi is an ambidextrous writer.
6	Ambiguity	Noun	the state of having more than one possible meaning	A lot of humour depends on ambiguity.
7	Amendment	Noun	a small change or improvement that is made to a law or a document; the process of changing a law or a document	Parliament passed the bill without further amendment.
8	Amusement	Noun	the feeling that you have when something is funny or amusing, or it entertains you	His son was a continuous source of amusement and delight to him.
9	Anaemia	Noun	a medical condition in which somebody has too few red cells in their blood, making them look pale and feel weak	Lack of iron in your diet can make you anaemic.

10	Antique	Noun	something made in an earlier period that is collected and considered to have value because it is beautiful, rare, old, or of high quality:	<i>My mother collects antiques.</i>
11	Antithetical	Adjective	opposite to or completely different from something	Birth and death are antithetical.
12	Apartheid	Noun	the former political system in South Africa in which only white people had full political rights and other people, especially black people, were forced to live away from white people, go to separate schools, etc.	Nelson Mandela spent many years fighting against apartheid.
13	Apologize	Verb	to say that you are sorry for doing something wrong or causing a problem	<i>Why should I apologize?</i>
14	Apostrophe	Noun	the mark (') used to show that one or more letters or numbers have been left out, as in <i>she's</i> for <i>she is</i> and <i>'63</i> for <i>1963</i>	<i>This book is the fruit of 15 years' research.</i>
15	Appropriate	Adjective	suitable, acceptable or correct for the particular circumstance	<i>Is now an appropriate time to make a speech?</i>
16	Assassinate	Verb	to murder an important or famous person, especially for political reasons	<i>The prime minister was assassinated by extremists.</i>
17	Astrologer	Noun	a person who uses astrology to tell people about their character, about what might happen to them in the future, etc.	We smile indulgently at the newspaper astrologers when they turn out to be wrong.
18	Atheist	Noun	a person who believes that God does not exist	He is an atheist.
19	Audacious	Adjective	willing to take risks or to do something shocking	<i>He described the plan as ambitious and audacious.</i>
20	Beckon	Verb	to give somebody a signal using your finger or hand, especially to tell them to move nearer or to follow you	<i>John beckoned her to come in.</i>
21	Bibliography	Noun	a list of books or articles about a particular subject or by a particular author; the list of books, etc. that have been used by somebody writing an article, etc.	<i>There is a useful bibliography at the end of each chapter.</i>
22	Boutique	Noun	a small shop/store that sells fashionable clothes or expensive gifts	She is maintaining a boutique.
23	Catastrophe	Noun	a sudden event that causes many people to suffer	<i>Early warnings of rising water levels prevented another major catastrophe.</i>
24	Chameleon	Noun	a small lizard (= a type of reptile) that can change colour according to its surroundings	<i>He acts like a chameleon</i>
25	Commemorate	Verb	commemorate something/somebody - to remind people of an important person or event from the past with a special action or object; to exist to remind people of a person or an event from the past	A series of movies will be shown to commemorate the 30th anniversary of his death.
26	Commentator	Noun	a person who is an expert on a particular subject and talks or writes about it on television or radio, or in a newspaper	<i>He is a famous political commentator</i>
27	Commissioner	Noun	a member of a commission (= an official group of people who are responsible for controlling something or finding out about something)	<i>She is the commissioner in charge of the police force</i>
28	Connoisseur	Noun	an expert on matters involving the judgement of beauty, quality or skill in art, food or music	The exhibition will be a delight for the collector and connoisseur of silver ornaments.

29	Cuisine	Noun	a style of cooking	The hotel restaurant is noted for its excellent cuisine.
30	Curriculum	Noun	the subjects that are included in a course of study or taught in a school, college, etc.	The school has a special curriculum
31	Descendants	Noun	a person's descendants are their children, their children's children, and all the people who live after them who are related to them	Many of them are descendants of the original settlers.
32	Dialogue	Noun	conversations in a book, play, or film/movie	<i>The novel has long descriptions and not much dialogue.</i>
33	Dictation	Noun	the act of speaking or reading so that somebody can write down the words	The Teacher gave dictation in English.
34	Disastrous	Adjective	very bad, harmful or unsuccessful	<i>It was a disastrous start to the season for the team.</i>
35	Dyslexia	Noun	a slight disorder of the brain that causes difficulty in reading and spelling, for example, but does not affect intelligence	People with dyslexia have normal intelligence and usually have normal vision.
36	Ecstasy	Noun	a feeling or state of very great happiness	An ecstasy of bliss poured through me.
37	Eloquence	Noun	the ability to use language and express your opinions well, especially when you are speaking in public	<i>He gave a speech of passionate eloquence</i>
38	Embarrassment	Noun	shy, awkward or guilty feelings; a feeling of being embarrassed	Much to her embarrassment she realized that everybody had been listening to her singing.
39	Embezzlement	Noun	the act of stealing money that you are responsible for or that belongs to your employer	<i>She was found guilty of embezzlement.</i>
40	Eminence	Adjective	the quality of being famous and respected, especially in a profession	<i>Few could have predicted that she would reach eminence as a surgeon.</i>
41	enormous	Adjective	extremely large	Universities are under enormous pressure financially.
42	Enthusiasm	Noun	a strong feeling of excitement and interest in something and a desire to become involved in it	He had a real enthusiasm for the work.
43	Entomologist	Noun	a scientist who studies insects	Entomologists are interested in the firefly
44	Eucalyptus	Noun	a tall straight tree with leaves that produce an oil with a strong smell, that is used in medicine. There are several types of eucalyptus and they grow especially in Australasia.	Koalas eat very few things besides eucalyptus leaves.
45	Euphemism	Noun	an indirect word or phrase that people often use to refer to something embarrassing or unpleasant, sometimes to make it seem more acceptable than it really is	'User fees' is just a politician's euphemism for taxes.
46	Exaggerate	Verb	to make something seem larger, better, worse or more important than it really is	<i>Demand for the product has been greatly exaggerated.</i>
47	Exquisite	Adjective	extremely beautiful or carefully made	Her wedding dress was absolutely exquisite.
48	Extravagantly	Adverb	in a way that involves spending a lot more money or using a lot more of something than you can afford or than is necessary	They do not live extravagantly.

49	Fluctuate	Verb	to change frequently in size, amount, quality, etc., especially from one extreme to another	<i>My weight fluctuated wildly depending on how much I ate.</i>
50	Foreigner	Noun	a person who comes from a different country	<i>The fact that I was a foreigner was a big disadvantage.</i>
51	Grandiose	Adjective	seeming very impressive but too large, complicated, expensive, etc. to be practical or possible	<i>He could no longer live the grandiose lifestyle to which he had become accustomed.</i>
52	Haemorrhage	Noun	a medical condition in which there is severe loss of blood from inside a person's body	<i>He was checked for any signs of haemorrhage.</i>
53	Hierarchy	Noun	a system, especially in a society or an organization, in which people are organized into different levels of importance from highest to lowest	<i>She's quite high up in the management hierarchy.</i>
54	Impermanence	Noun	the state of not lasting or staying the same forever	<i>She says that her paintings represent the impermanence of everything</i>
55	impetuous	Adjective	acting or done quickly and without thinking carefully about the results	<i>The governor may now be regretting her impetuous promise to reduce unemployment by half.</i>
56	Impromptu	Adjective	done without preparation or planning	<i>He spoke imprompt.</i>
57	Inadequate	Adjective	not enough; not good enough	<i>The system is inadequate for the tasks it has to perform.</i>
58	Incessant	Adjective	never stopping	<i>Even in incessant rain the town still looked lovely.</i>
59	Infallible	Adjective	never wrong; never making mistakes	Doctors are not infallible.
60	Insomnia	Noun	the condition of being unable to sleep	<i>Holly suffered from insomnia caused by stress at work.</i>
61	Interruption	Noun	something that temporarily stops an activity or a situation; a time when an activity is stopped	<i>The birth of her son was a minor interruption to her career.</i>
62	Jaundice	Noun	a medical condition in which the skin and the white parts of the eyes become yellow	<i>The boy who is on leave suffering from jaundice</i>
63	Jubilant	Adjective	feeling or showing great happiness because of a success	<i>The fans were in jubilant mood after the victory.</i>
64	Juncture	Noun	a particular point or stage in an activity or a series of events	At this juncture , I would like to make an important announcement.
65	Juxtapose	Verb	to put people or things together, especially in order to show a contrast or a new relationship between them	<i>In the exhibition, abstract paintings are juxtaposed with shocking photographs.</i>
66	Leisurely	Adverb	without hurrying	<i>We enjoyed a leisurely picnic lunch on the lawn.</i>
67	Lieutenant	Noun	an officer of middle rank in the army, navy, or air force	<i>Lieutenant Paul Fisher</i>
68	Magnificent	Adjective	extremely attractive and impressive; deserving praise	<i>The Taj Mahal is a magnificent building.</i>
69	Masculine	Adjective	having the qualities or appearance considered to be typical of men; connected with or like men	<i>He was handsome and strong, and very masculine.</i>
70	mealie	Noun	a tall plant grown for its large yellow grains that are used for making flour or eaten as a vegetable; the grains of this plant	<i>Boied mealie(maize) is tasty</i>

71	Melancholy	Noun	a deep feeling of sadness that lasts for a long time and often cannot be explained	<i>They are in a melancholy mood.</i>
72	Mesmerise	Verb	to have such a strong effect on you that you cannot give your attention to anything else	<i>They were mesmerized by her performance.</i>
73	Miscellaneous	Adjective	consisting of many different kinds of things that are not connected and do not easily form a group	<i>She gave me some money to cover any miscellaneous expenses.</i>
74	Moustache	Noun	a line of hair that a man allows to grow on his upper lip	<i>He's trying to grow a moustache.</i>
75	Naughty	Adjective	behaving badly; not willing to obey	<i>a naughty boy/girl</i>
76	Niece	Noun	the daughter of your brother or sister; the daughter of your husband's or wife's brother or sister	<i>My niece is a good classical dancer.</i>
77	Nuisance	Noun	something or someone that annoys you or causes trouble for you	<i>I've forgotten my umbrella - what a nuisance!</i>
78	Occasional	Adjective	happening or done sometimes but not often	<i>He works for us on an occasional basis.</i>
79	Omnipresent	Adjective	present everywhere	<i>These days the media are omnipresent.</i>
80	Patriotism	Noun	love of your country and willingness to defend it	<i>The early war poems promoted patriotism, justice and principle.</i>
81	Perennial	Adjective	continuing for a very long time; happening again and again.	<i>They have faced the perennial problem of water shortage</i>
82	Phenomena	Noun	a fact or an event in nature or society, especially one that is not fully understood	<i>Early retirement is a relatively new phenomenon in Britain.</i>
83	pioneer	Noun	a person who is the first to study and develop a particular area of knowledge, culture, etc. that other people then continue to develop	<i>He is known as a pioneer in veterinary surgery.</i>
84	Pitch	Noun	an area of ground specially prepared and marked for playing a sports game	<i>After the game fans invaded the pitch.</i>
85	Planetarium	Noun	a building with a curved ceiling to represent the sky at night, with moving images of the planets and stars, used to educate and entertain people	<i>Recently, I went to planetarium in Hyderabad.</i>
86	Plateau	Noun	an area of flat land that is higher than the land around it	<u>The biggest, tallest plateau in the world is the Tibetan Plateau.</u>
87	Porcupine	Noun	an animal covered with long stiff parts like needles (called quills), which it can raise to protect itself when it is attacked	<i>Damage to immature plants by <i>porcupine</i> was also recorded at some locations.</i>
88	Redundant	Adjective	without a job because there is no more work available for you in a company	<i>The chapel was declared redundant in 1995.</i>
89	Rudimentary	Adjective	dealing with only the most basic matters or ideas	<i>His understanding of the language is very rudimentary.</i>
90	Segregation	Noun	the act or policy of separating people of different races, religions or sexes and treating them in a different way	<i>The segregation is being done by age and sex.</i>
91	Sewage	Noun	used water and waste substances that are produced by human bodies, that are carried away from houses and factories through special pipes (= sewers)	<i>There is a ban on the dumping of raw sewage</i>

92	Shampoo	Noun	a liquid soap that is used for washing your hair; a similar liquid used for cleaning carpets, furniture covers or a car	<i>She rinsed the shampoo out of her hair.</i>
93	sneaky	Adjective	behaving in a secret and sometimes dishonest or unpleasant way	<i>That was a sneaky trick!</i>
94	Sophisticated	Adjective	having a lot of experience of the world and knowing about fashion, culture and other things that people think are socially important	<i>Mark is a smart and sophisticated young man.</i>
95	Sovereign	Noun	a king or queen	<i>The islands are ruled by a governor, representing the British sovereign.</i>
96	Stealthily	Adverb	quietly and secretly	<i>She crept stealthily along the corridor.</i>
97	strand	Noun	a single thin piece of thread, wire, hair, etc.	<i>She wore a single strand of pearls around her neck.</i>
98	Superfluous	Adjective	more than you need or want	<i>Much of the school day is wasted on superfluous activities.</i>
99	Territory	Noun	land that is under the control of a particular country or ruler	<i>They have refused to allow UN troops to be stationed in their territory.</i>
100	Tremendous	Adjective	very great	<i>A tremendous amount of work has gone into the project.</i>
101	Tsunami	Noun	an extremely large wave in the sea caused, for example, by an earthquake	<i>The tsunami caused immeasurable damage.</i>
102	Vivacious	Adjective	having a lively, attractive personality	<i>He had three pretty, vivacious daughters.</i>
103	Vulnerability	Noun	the quality of being weak and easily hurt physically or emotionally	<i>He was intensely aware of his own vulnerability.</i>
104	Wrestle	Verb	to fight somebody by holding them and trying to throw or force them to the ground, sometimes as a sport	<i>She tried to wrestle with her attacker.</i>