

Word of the Day

Autumn Term 2020

Week – 30th November 2020



This Week's Words

Grasshopper

tear
office
spare
chipped
lift

Shinobi

tolerate
mutter
fixation
unveil

VN VOCABULARY

Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day: picnic
(pic-nic)

Word Class: (verb / noun)

Definition: If you tear paper, cloth, or another material, or if it tears, you pull it into two pieces or you pull it so that a hole appears in it.

Phrases:

Synonym: word
word

Antonym: word
word

Rhyme: word
word

Link Word: word
word

Phrase Number One: The was a hole in Freddie's new school picnic.

Phrase Number Two:

Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: tear
(tear)

Word Class: (verb / noun)

Definition: If you tear paper, cloth, or another material, or if it tears, you pull it into two pieces or you pull it so that a hole appears in it.

Phrases:

Synonym: word
word

Antonym: word
word

Prefix / Suffix: word
word

Link Word: word
word

Phrase Number One: The was a tear in Freddie's new school book.

Phrase Number Two:

'Words unlock the doors to a world of understanding...'

This Week's Words

Grasshopper

guess

slimy

nibble

gulp

millionaire

Shinobi

ablaze

brazen

sublime

absurd

squander



VOCABULARY NINJA

Grasshopper (Tier 1)

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VOCABULARY NINJA

Shinobi (Tier 2)

ablaze

brazen

sublime

absurd

squander



VOCABULARY NINJA



Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

guess
(guess)

Word Class
(verb/noun)

Definition:

If you guess something, you give an answer or provide an opinion which may not be true because you do not have definite knowledge about the matter concerned.



Could the children **guess** the mystery number?

Phrases:

a good guess

couldn't guess

Synonym:

estimate

think

Antonym:

Rhyme:

dress

bless

Link Word:

question

answer



Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

slimy
(*slim-y*)

Word Class
(adjective)

Definition:

Slimy substances are thick, wet, and unpleasant. Slimy objects are covered in a slimy substance.



The snail was beautiful and left a **slimy** trail.

Phrases:

slippery and slimy

covered in slime

Synonym:

gooey

slippy

Antonym:

Rhyme:

grimy

Link Word:

insect

gunk



Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

nibble
(*nib-ble*)

Word Class
(verb/noun)

Definition:

If you nibble food, you eat it by biting very small pieces of it, for example because you are not very hungry.



Mr Jones **nibbled** at the doughnut during lunchtime.

Phrases:

slowly nibbled

nibbled and gnawed

Synonym:

peck

bite

Antonym:

guzzle

Rhyme:

scribble

dribble

Link Word:

food

nail



Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

gulp
(gulp)

Word Class
(verb/noun)

Definition:

If you gulp something, you eat or drink it very quickly by swallowing large quantities of it at once.



Rahim **gulped** his water after PE.

Phrases:

a huge gulp of

gasped and gulped

Synonym:

guzzle

swig

Antonym:

sip

Rhyme:

pulp

Link Word:

air

liquid



Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **millionaire**

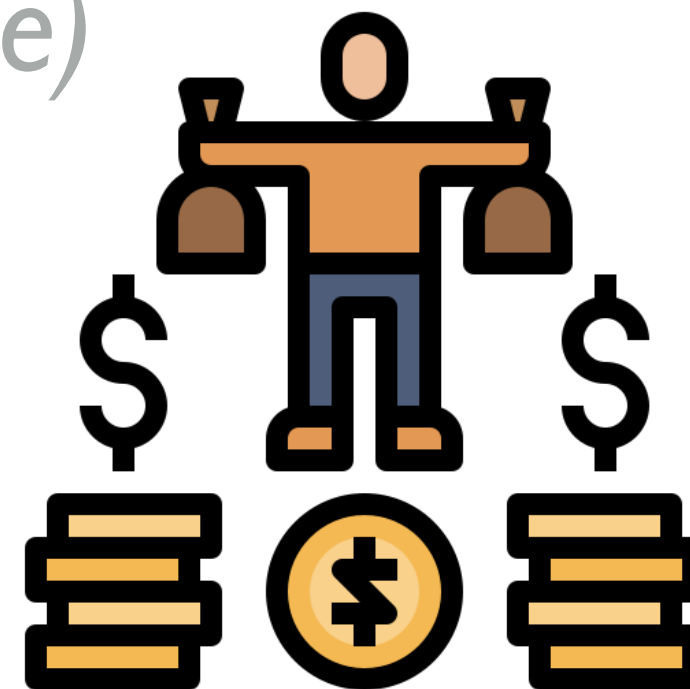
Word Class
(noun)

Pronunciation / Syllables

(mil-lion-aire)

Definition:

A millionaire is a very rich person who has money or property worth at least a million pounds or dollars.



The **millionaire** visited the school with the charity.

Phrases:

generous millionaire

unknown millionaire

Synonym:

Antonym:

Rhyme:

Link Word:

care

money

hair

rich



Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

ablaze
(a-blaze)

Word Class
(adjective)

Definition:

Something that is ablaze is burning very fiercely. If a place is ablaze with lights or colours, it is very bright because of them.



Jeff's eyes were **ablaze** with excitement..

Phrases:

ablaze with

ablaze from

Synonym:

alight

aglow

Antonym:

dark

extinguished

Prefix / Suffix:

Rhyme:

amaze

craze

Link Word:

fire

eyes



Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

brazen
(bra-zen)

Word Class
(adjective/verb)

Definition:

If you describe a person or their behaviour as brazen, you mean that they are very bold and do not care what other people think about them or their behaviour.



Jen walked **brazenly** into the classroom ten minutes late.

Phrases:

bold and brazen

his brazen actions

Synonym:

bold

insolent

Antonym:

shy

timid

Prefix / Suffix:

-ly

Rhyme:

raisin

Link Word:

behaviour

action



Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

sublime
(sub-lime)

Word Class
(adjective/verb)

Pronunciation / Syllables

Definition:

If you describe something as sublime, you mean that it has a wonderful quality that affects you deeply.



Today's pudding was absolutely **sublime**.

Phrases:

just sublime

sublime and delicious

Synonym:

first-class

heavenly

Antonym:

poor

ordinary

Prefix / Suffix:

-ly

Rhyme:

time

crime

Link Word:

food

clothing



Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

absurd
(*ab-surd*)

Word Class
(adjective/noun)

Pronunciation / Syllables

Definition:

If you say that something is absurd, you are criticizing it because you think that it is ridiculous or that it does not make sense.



Dad thought the price of the trainers was **absurd**.

Phrases:

rather absurd

completely absurd

Synonym:

ridiculous

laughable

Antonym:

sensible

Prefix / Suffix:

-ly

Rhyme:

heard

occurred

Link Word:

cost

behaviour



Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

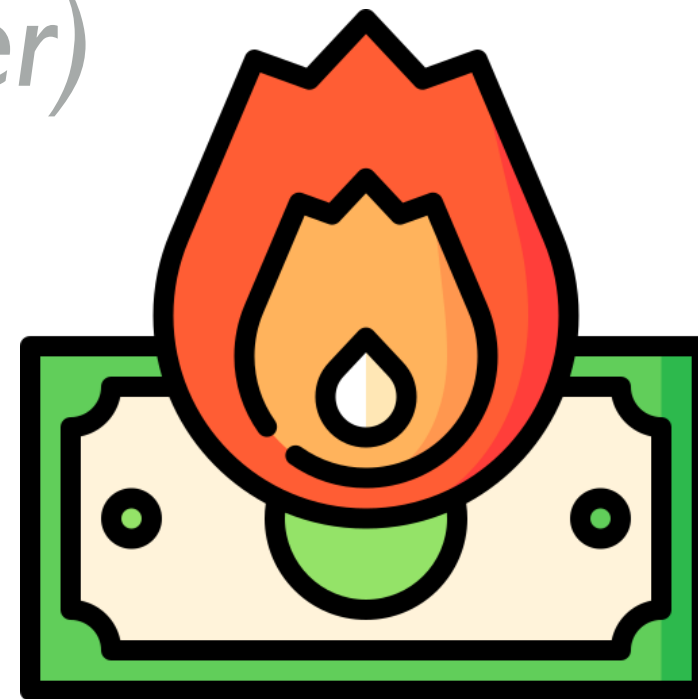
Pronunciation / Syllables

squander
(squan-der)

Word Class
(verb)

Definition:

If you squander money, resources, or opportunities, you waste them.



Shahib didn't want to **squander** his time playing games.

Phrases:

had squandered

don't squander

Synonym:

waste

throw away

Antonym:

save

Prefix / Suffix

-ing

-ed

Rhyme:

wander

ponder

Link Word:

money

time



guess



slimy





nibble

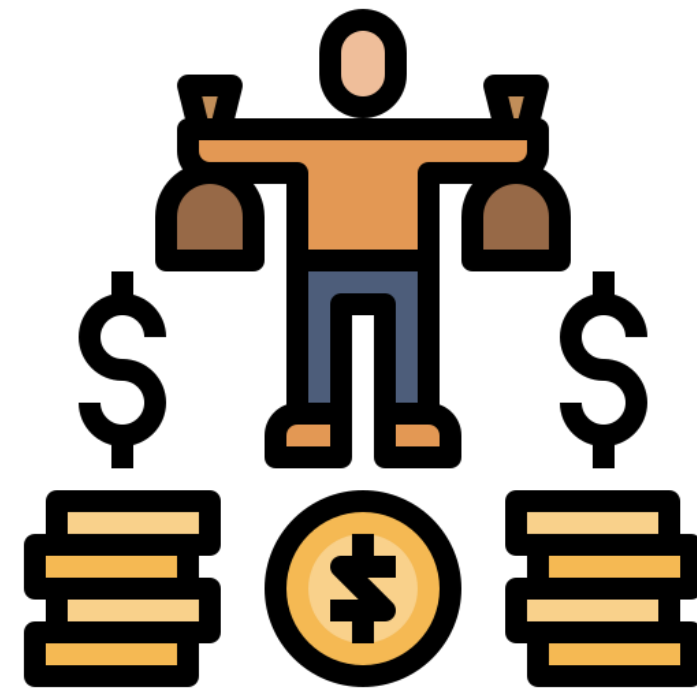


gulp





millionaire



ablaze





brazen

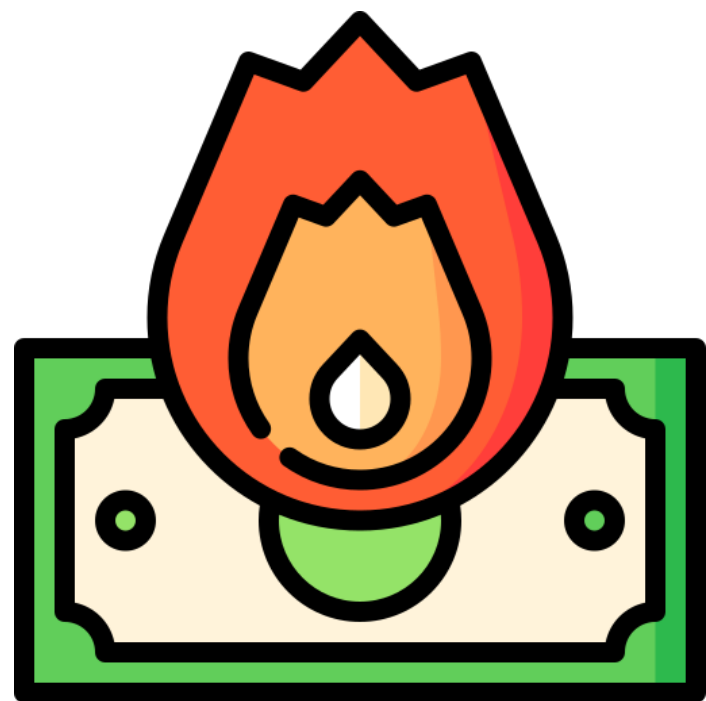


sublime





absurd



squander

