

# Word of the Day

## Autumn Term 2020

Week 1 – 1st September 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)

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**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

**worry**

**exercise**

**lonely**

**return**

**support**

## Shinobi

**uncertain**

**emotional**

**relationship**

**overwhelm**

**well-being**



**VOCABULARY NINJA**



# Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

worry  
(wor-ry)

Word Class  
(verb)

## Definition:

If you worry, you keep thinking about problems that you have or about unpleasant things that might happen.



Alice was **worried** about returning to school.

Phrases:

was very worried about

please don't worry because

Synonym:

panic

stew

Antonym:

Rhyme:

curry

hurry

Link Word:

about

inside



# Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

**exercise**  
(ex-er-cise)

Word Class  
(verb / noun)

Pronunciation / Syllables

## Definition:

If you exercise something such as your authority, your rights, or a good quality, you use it or put it into effect.



**Exercise** was great for helping me feeling better.

Phrases:

exercise every day

go outside to exercise

Synonym:

movement

train

Antonym:

Rhyme:

Link Word:

daily

never



# Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

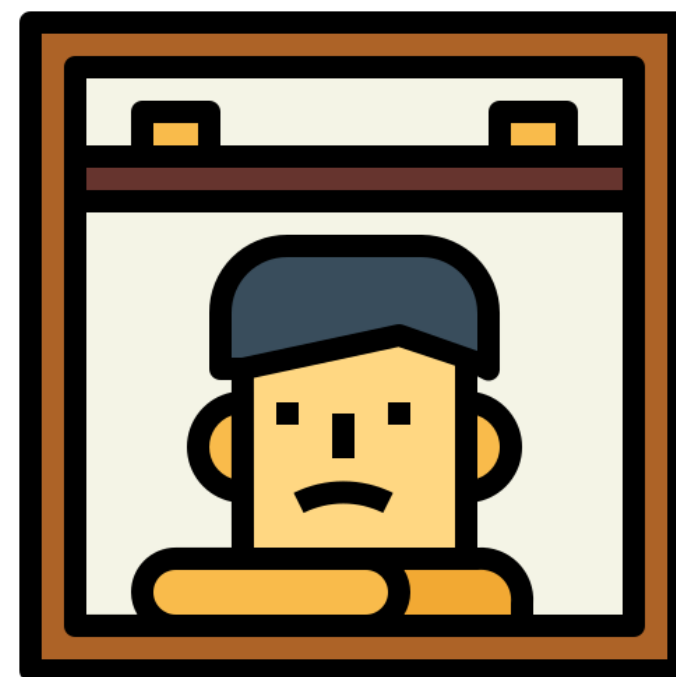
Pronunciation / Syllables

lonely  
(lone-ly)

Word Class  
(adjective)

## Definition:

Someone who is lonely is unhappy because they are alone or do not have anyone they can talk to.



Sometimes it was quite **lonely** at home.

Phrases:

sad and lonely

lonely and worried

Synonym:

alone

isolated

Antonym:

popular

sociable

Rhyme:

only

homely

Link Word:

person

place



# Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

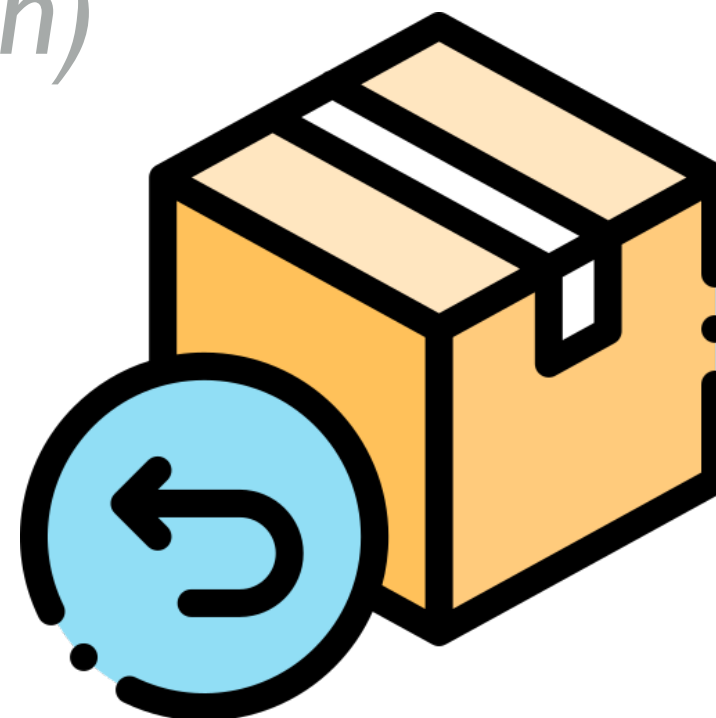
Pronunciation / Syllables

return  
(re-turn)

Word Class  
(verb / noun)

## Definition:

When you return to a place,  
you go back there after you  
have been away.



The children were glad to **return** to their school.

Phrases:

glad to return

could not wait to return

Synonym:

go back  
come back

Antonym:

depart  
send

Rhyme:

learn  
earn

Link Word:

home  
journey



# Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

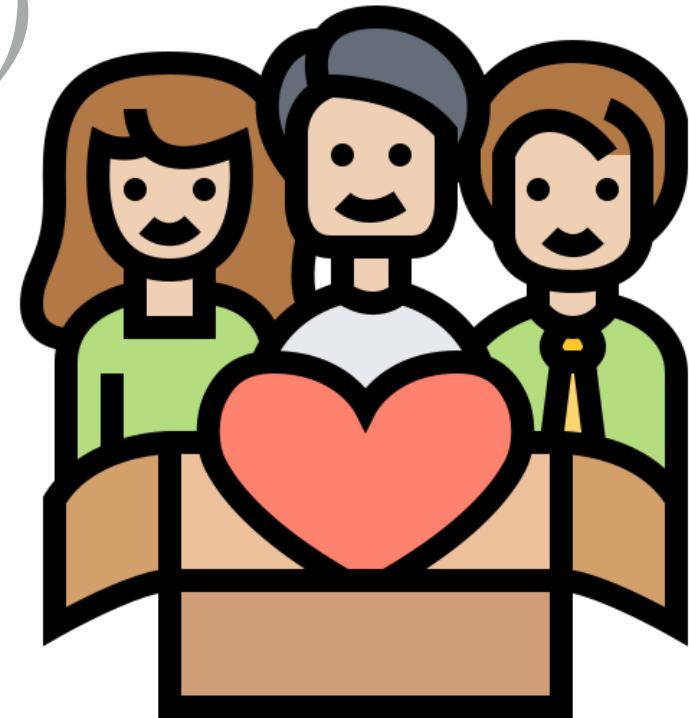
**support**  
(*sup-port*)

Word Class  
(verb / noun)

Pronunciation / Syllables

## Definition:

If you support someone or their ideas or aims, you agree with them, and perhaps help them because you want them to succeed.



The teachers were there to **support** the pupils.

Phrases:

very supportive

tried to support

Synonym:

help

aid

Antonym:

oppose

Rhyme:

short

report

Link Word:

network

worker





# Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **uncertain**

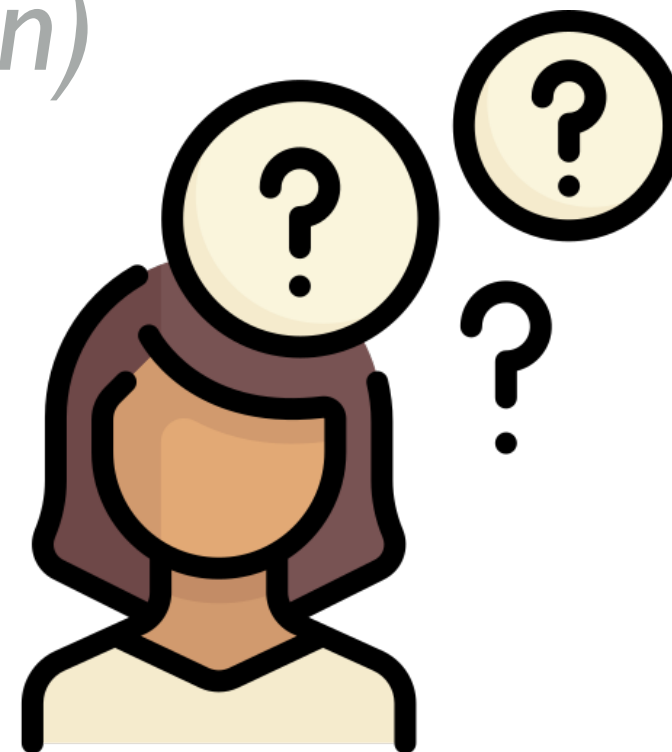
Word Class  
(adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables

(*un-cer-tain*)

## Definition:

If you are uncertain about something, you do not know what you should do, what is going to happen, or what the truth is about something.



John was **uncertain** about what his classroom would be like.

## Phrases:

uncertain of

uncertain because

## Synonym:

unknown

unsure

## Antonym:

certain

sure

## Prefix / Suffix:

-ty

-ties

## Rhyme:

curtain

burden

## Link Word:

situation

outlook





# Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **emotional**

Word Class  
(adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables

(e-mo-tion-al)

## Definition:

Emotional means concerned with emotions and feelings.



Paul was feeling **emotional** after seeing his friends.

## Phrases:

feeling emotional

it had been emotional because

## Synonym:

warm

emotive

## Antonym:

material

## Prefix / Suffix:

-ly

## Rhyme:

irrational

sensational

## Link Word:

day

event



# Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **relationship**

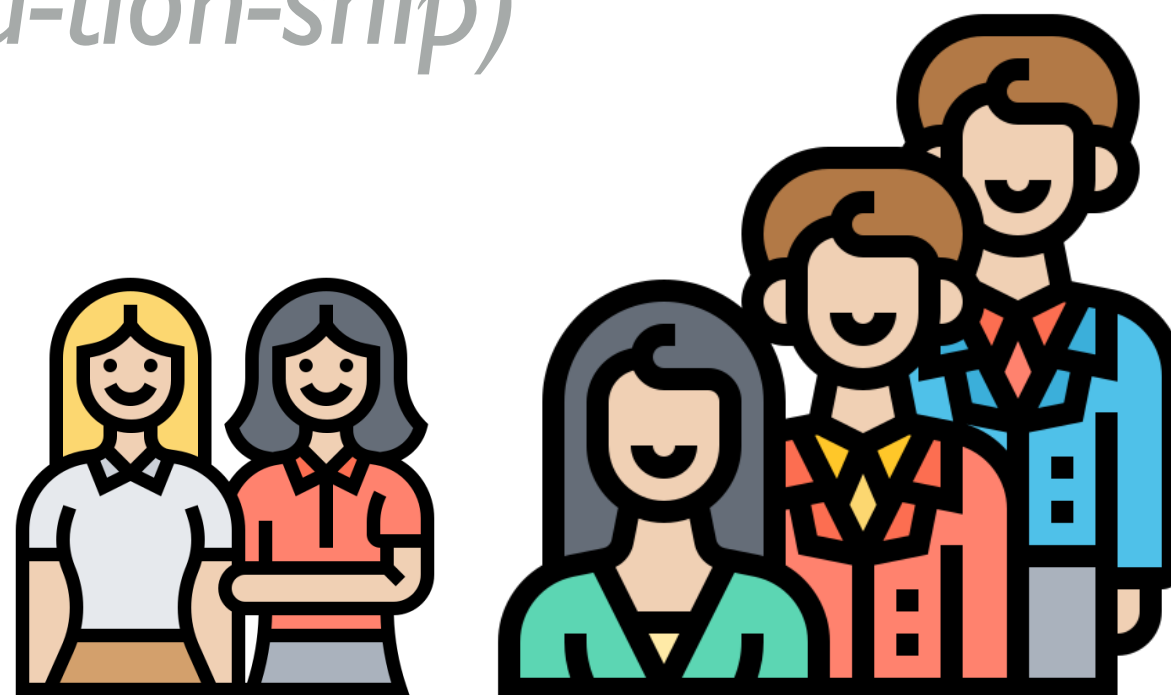
Word Class  
(noun)

Pronunciation / Syllables

(re-la-tion-ship)

## Definition:

The relationship between two people or groups is the way in which they feel and behave towards each other.



The children had a great **relationship** with the teacher.

## Phrases:

close relationship with

a relationship between

## Synonym:

connection

link

## Antonym:

## Prefix / Suffix:

inter-

## Rhyme:

## Link Word:

strained

negative



# Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **overwhelm**

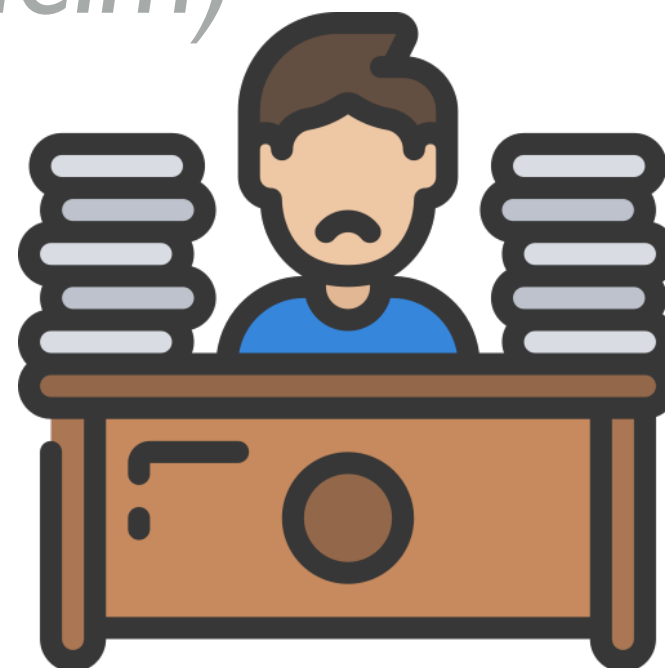
Word Class  
(verb)

Pronunciation / Syllables

(o-ver-whelm)

## Definition:

If you are overwhelmed by a feeling or event, it affects you very strongly, and you do not know how to deal with it.



Emily felt **overwhelmed** by the work in her lessons.

## Phrases:

felt overwhelmed by

was overwhelming

## Synonym:

swamp  
overload

## Antonym:

## Prefix / Suffix:

-ing  
-ed

## Rhyme:

realm  
helm

## Link Word:

situation  
day



# Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **well-being**

Word Class  
(noun)

Pronunciation / Syllables

(well-be-ing)

## Definition:

Someone's well-being is their health and happiness.



Everyone's **well-being** was the school's priority.

## Phrases:

well-being was affected by

my well-being is

## Synonym:

welfare  
health

## Antonym:

## Prefix / Suffix

## Rhyme:

guaranteeing  
agreeing

## Link Word:

physical  
mental