

Word of the Day

Autumn Term 2024

Week 2 – 12th September 2024



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

please

shine

pride

trip

warm

Shinobi

deceive

cunning

nervous

naive

prevent



VOCABULARY NINJA

Grasshopper (Tier 1)

please

shine

pride

trip

warm



VOCABULARY NINJA

Shinobi (Tier 2)

deceive

cunning

nervous

naive

prevent



VOCABULARY NINJA



Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

please
(please)

Word Class
(verb)

Definition:

If someone or something pleases you, they make you feel happy and satisfied.



Janie wanted to **please** the new teacher.

Synonym:

cheer

satisfy

Antonym:

annoy

tire

Prefix / Suffix:

dis-

-ed

Rhyme:

these

trees

Link Word:

eagerly

kindly



Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

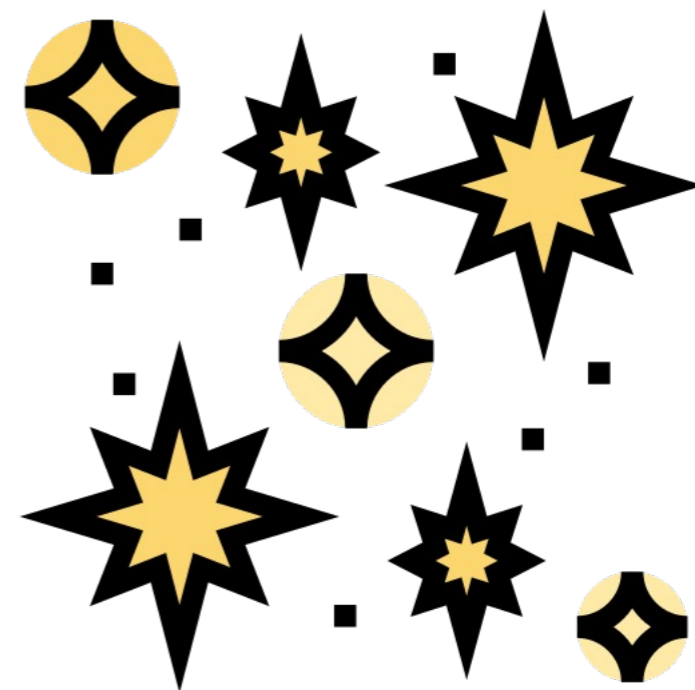
Pronunciation / Syllables

shine
(*shine*)

Word Class
(verb / noun)

Definition:

Something that shines is very bright and clear because it is reflecting light.



Pippa's eyes began to **shine** with excitement.

Synonym:

beam

glow

Antonym:

darken

dull

Prefix / Suffix:

-ed

-er

Rhyme:

line

fine

Link Word:

softly

brilliantly



Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

pride
(pride)

Word Class
(noun)

Definition:

Pride is a sense of the respect that other people have for you, and that you have for yourself.



Krish had a huge sense of **pride**.

Synonym:

delight

satisfaction

Antonym:

gloom

sorrow

Prefix / Suffix:

Rhyme:

side

tried

Link Word:

immense

justifiable



Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

trip
(trip)

Word Class
(verb / noun)

Definition:

If you trip when you are walking, you knock your foot against something and fall or nearly fall.



Graham **tripped** over his school bag.

Synonym:

slip
stumble

Antonym:

Prefix / Suffix:

-s
-ed

Rhyme:

slip
hip

Link Word:

accidentally
badly



Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

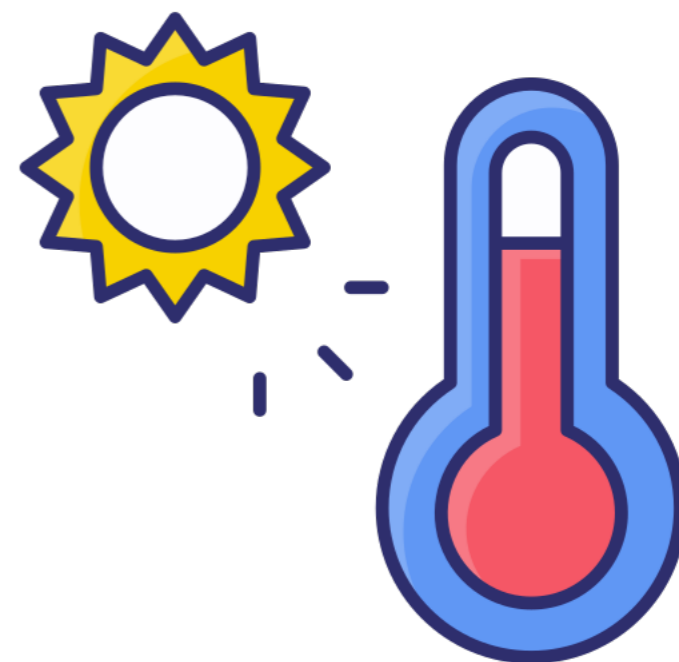
Pronunciation / Syllables

warm
(*warm*)

Word Class
(adjective / verb)

Definition:

Something that is warm has some heat but not enough to be hot.



The classroom was nice and **warm**.

Synonym:

mild

tepid

Antonym:

cold

freezing

Prefix / Suffix:

-ing

-ed

Rhyme:

form

swarm

Link Word:

comfortably

slightly



Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

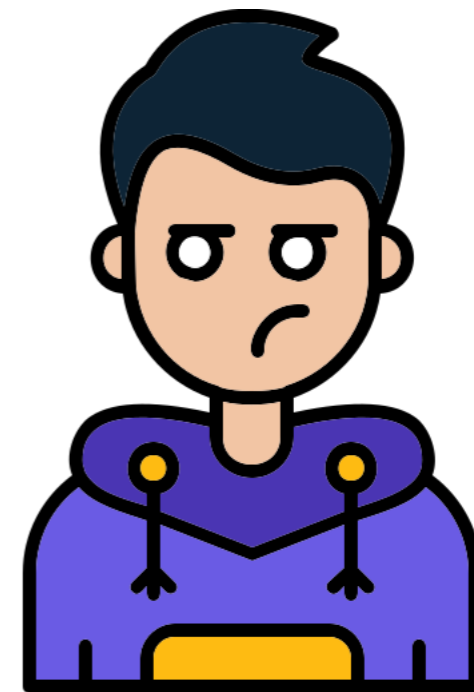
Pronunciation / Syllables

deceive
(de-ceive)

Word Class
(verb)

Definition:

If you deceive someone, you make them believe something that is not true, usually in order to get some advantage for yourself.



Harvey deceived Mr Patterson.

Synonym:

betray

fool

Antonym:

support

aid

Prefix / Suffix:

un-

-ed

Rhyme:

believe

receive

Link Word:

deliberately

subtly



Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

cunning
(*cun-ning*)

Word Class
(adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables

Definition:

Someone who is cunning has the ability to achieve things in a clever way, often by deceiving other people.



The wolf in Little Red Riding Hood was **cunning**.

Synonym:

devious

sly

Antonym:

kind

naive

Prefix / Suffix:

-ly

-est

Rhyme:

running

stunning

Link Word:

skilfully

secretly



Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

nervous
(*ner-nous*)

Word Class
(adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables

Definition:

If someone is nervous, they are frightened or worried about something that is happening or might happen.



Petra was **nervous** before giving her presentation.

Synonym:

afraid

shy

Antonym:

brave

fearless

Prefix / Suffix:

-ly

-ness

Rhyme:

service

Link Word:

slightly

visibly



Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

naïve
(*na-ive*)

Word Class
(adjective)

Definition:

If you describe someone as naïve, you think they lack experience and so expect things to be easy or people to be honest or kind.



The class it was **naïve** to believe news on the internet.

Synonym:

ignorant

innocent

Antonym:

intelligent

experienced

Prefix / Suffix:

-ly

-ity

Rhyme:

believe

receive

Link Word:

easily

blindly



Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

Pronunciation / Syllables

prevent
(pre-vent)

Word Class
(verb)

Definition:

To prevent something means
to ensure that it does
not happen.



Mr Hassan wanted to **prevent** the class from failing.

Synonym:

avoid

impede

Antonym:

help

permit

Prefix / Suffix

-ion

-ed

Rhyme:

present

consent

Link Word:

actively

successfully

Vocabulary Laboratory



Describe / Definition:

Use it in a sentence:

Focus Word (write below):

Word Class:

Synonyms:

(words with same / similar meaning)

Antonyms:

(words with opposite meaning)

Draw your sentence:

Rhymes:

(words that sound the same)

Link Words:

(Example: football = pitch, team, player)

Vocabulary Visualiser

Draw the
Grasshopper words
and bring them to life.



Word: shine

Word: trip

Word: pride

Word: warm



Vocabulary Visualiser

Draw the **Shinobi**
words and bring
them to life.



Word: cunning

Word: naive

Word: nervous

Word: prevent



Matching Meanings

Draw lines from the **Grasshopper** words to their definitions.



Grasshopper Word

Grasshopper Definitions

please

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shine

*** is a sense of the respect that other people have for you, and that you have for yourself.



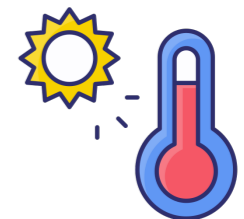
pride

If someone or something *** you, they make you feel happy and satisfied.



trip

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warm

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Matching Meanings

Draw lines from the **Shinobi** words to their definitions.



Shinobi Word

Shinobi Definitions

deceive

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cunning

Someone who is *** has the ability to achieve things in a clever way, often by deceiving other people.



nervous

If you describe someone as ***, you think they lack experience and so expect things to be easy or people to be honest or kind.



naive

To *** something means to ensure that it does not happen.



prevent

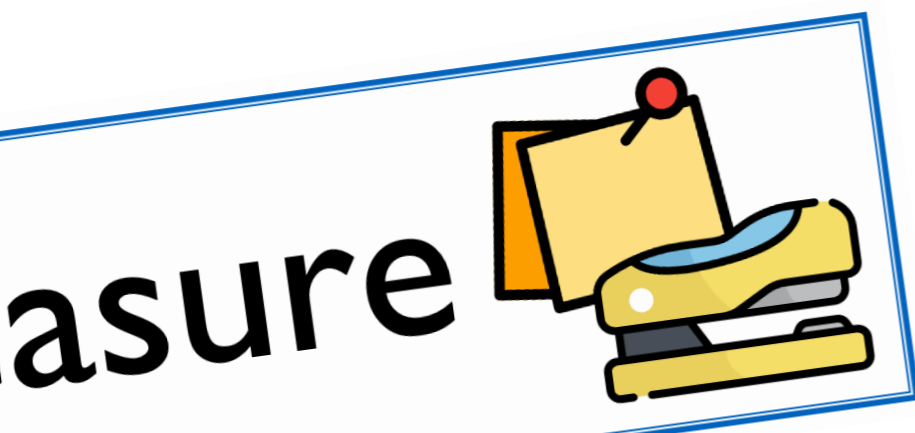
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Display Slips

The following slides are for classroom display. As you teach each Word of the Day, words can be displayed in the classroom to enable pupils to use the taught vocabulary in an independent manner.





please



shine





pride

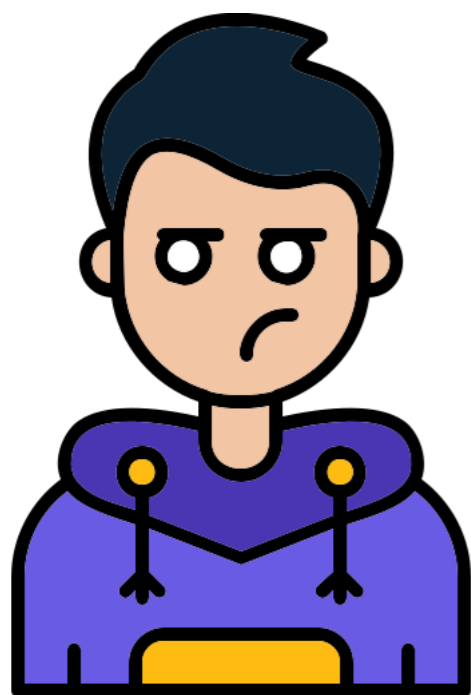
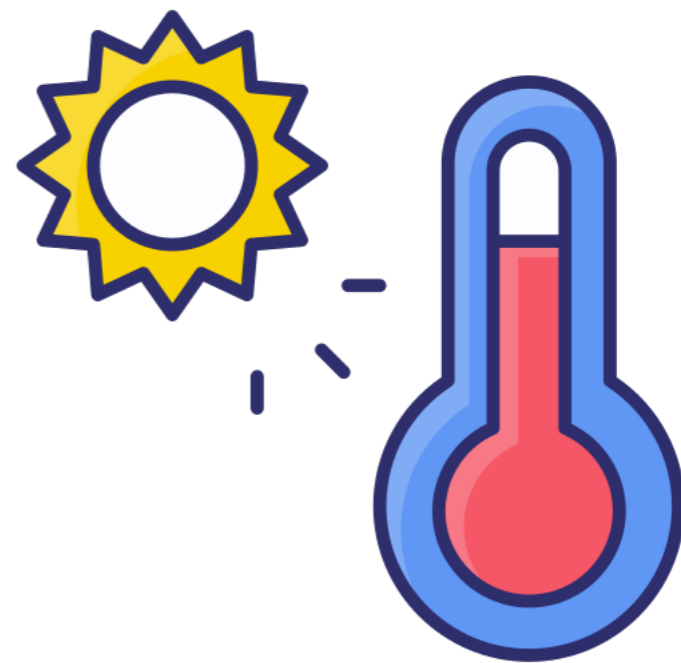


trip





warm



deceive





cunning



nervous





naive



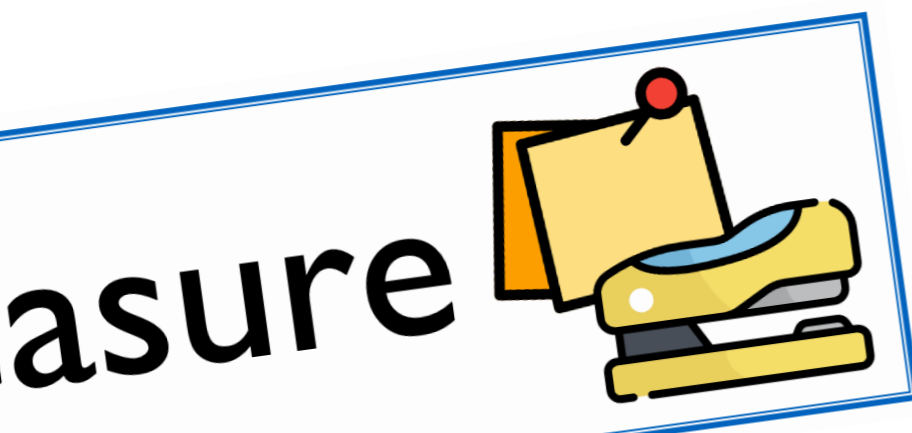
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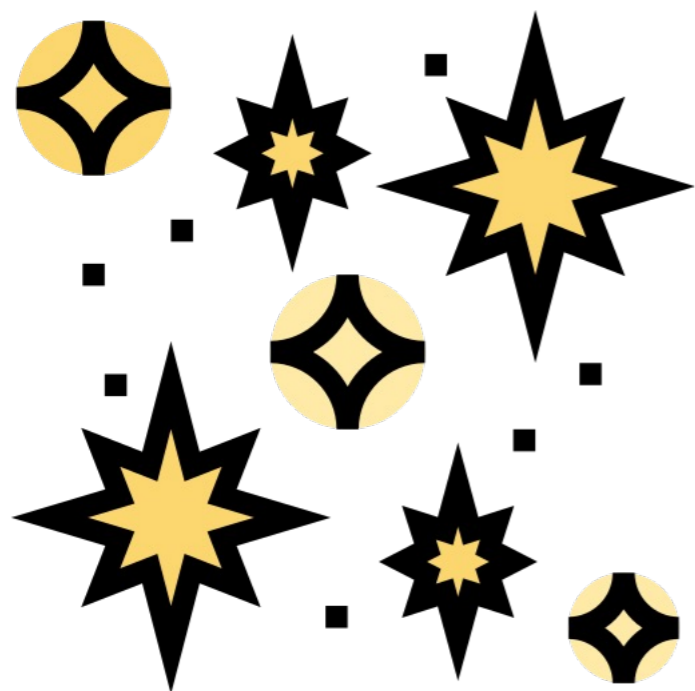
Font Variation

The following display slips contain the same words, but have a more regular font, which have a more regular formation of 'a' and 'g'. Futura is the name of the font.





please



shine





pride

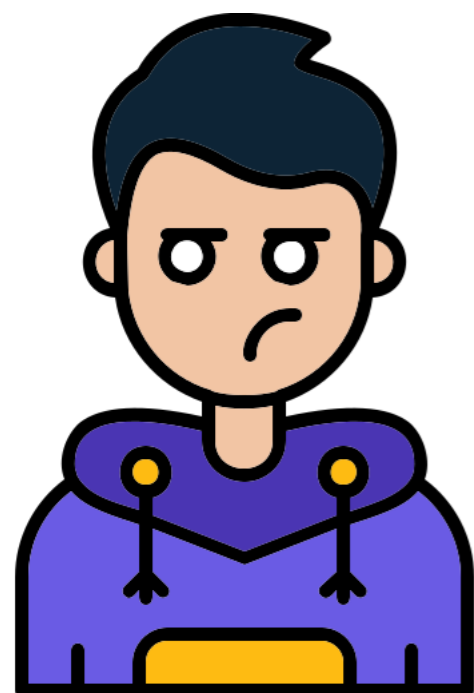
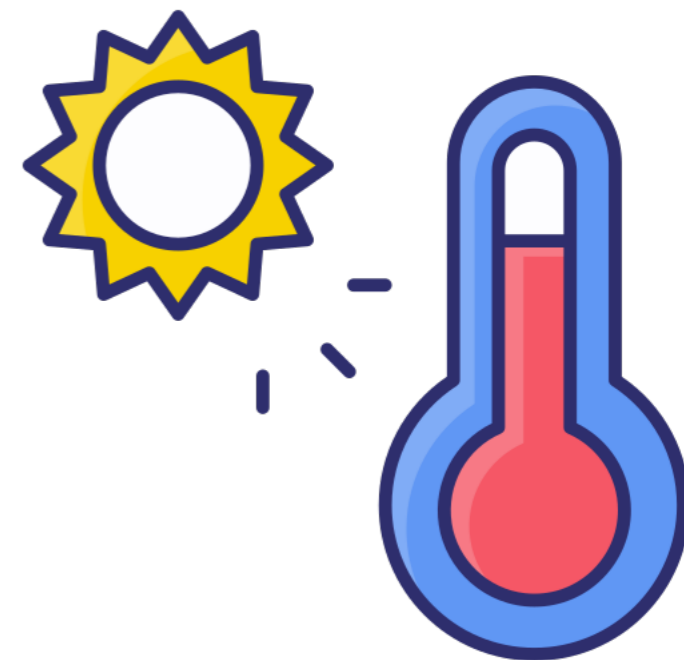


trip





warm

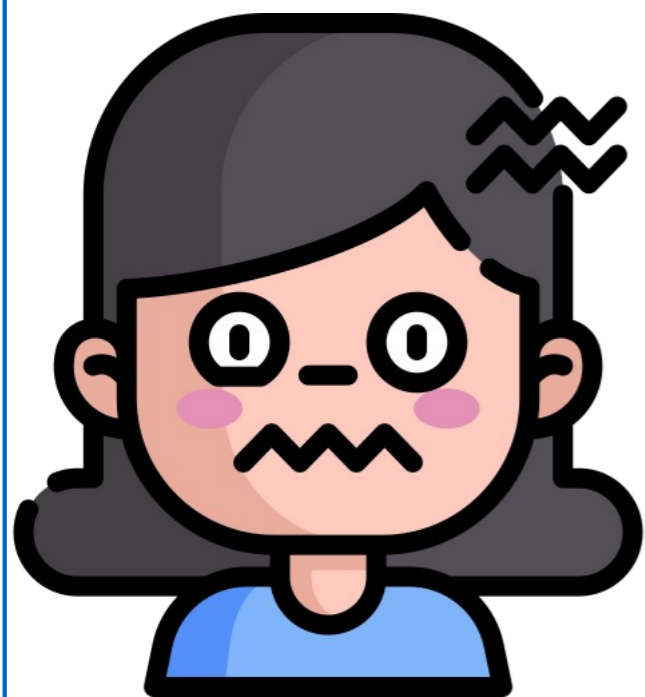


deceive





cunning



nervous





naive



prevent

