

Word of the Week

baffled

(adjective)

Definition

Confused or puzzled.



She was completely baffled by the complex problem.

Word of the Week

clumsy

(adjective)



Definition

Lacking coordination or grace.

The little boy was often clumsy and would trip over his own feet.

Word of the Week

dreadful

(adjective)

Definition

Extremely bad or unpleasant.

Sara made a dreadful mess in her bedroom.



Word of the Week

enchanted

(adjective)

Definition

**Filled with delight
and magic.**

*The children were
enchanted by the
beautiful fairy tale.*



Word of the Week

futile

(adjective)

Definition

Pointless or incapable of producing any useful result.

Despite his efforts, Dave's attempts to fix the broken car were futile.



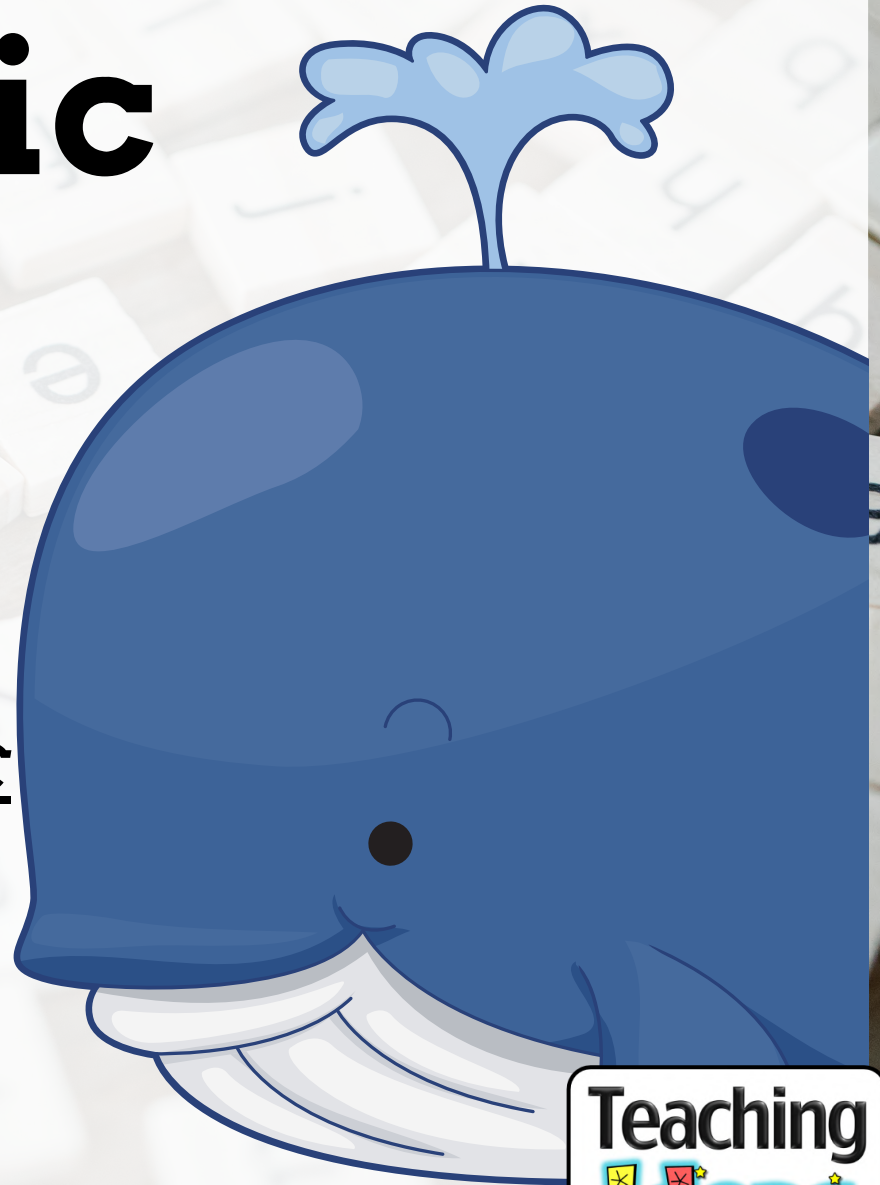
Word of the Week

gigantic
(adjective)

Definition

**Extremely large
or huge.**

*We saw a gigantic
whale swimming
in the ocean.*



Word of the Week

hazard

(noun)

Definition

A potential source of danger or risk.

The warning sign indicated the hazards inside the construction site.



Word of the Week

imminent

(adjective)

Definition

About to happen or occur very soon.



The arrival of the new baby was imminent, as the mother made her way to the hospital.

Word of the Week

jovial

(adjective)

Definition

Happy and cheerful.

*The jolly man with
a big smile had a
jovial personality.*



Word of the Week

keen

(adjective)

Definition

**Eager or
enthusiastic.**

*The young boy was
keen to learn how
to play the piano.*



Word of the Week

lament

(verb)

Definition

To express sorrow or grief about something.

She would often lament the loss of her favourite toy.



Word of the Week

magnificent

(adjective)

Definition

**Extremely beautiful
or impressive.**

*The castle was
surrounded by
magnificent gardens
and breathtaking views.*



Word of the Week

notorious

(adjective)

Definition

Well-known for something unfavourable.

The notorious criminal had managed to evade capture for many years.



Word of the Week

opulent

(adjective)

Definition

Luxurious or wealthy.

*The opulent mansion
had gold-plated
furniture and crystal
chandeliers.*



Word of the Week

puzzling

(adjective)

Definition

Confusing or perplexing.

*The teacher was
confused by the
puzzling
instructions.*



Word of the Week

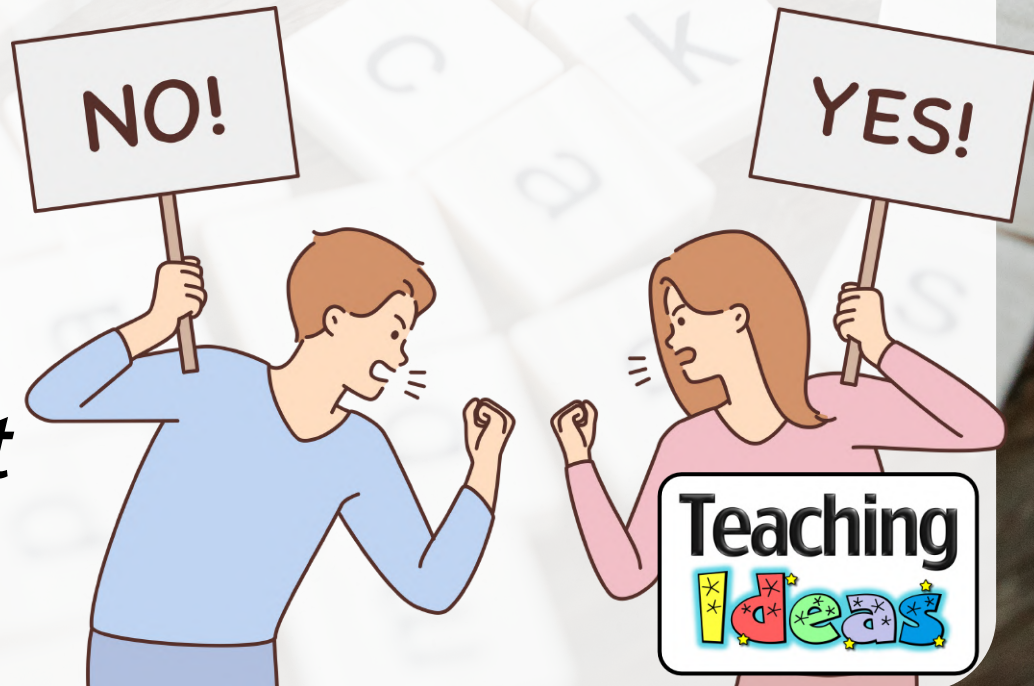
quarrel

(noun)

Definition

An argument or disagreement.

*The siblings
had a bitter
quarrel about
who got to start
the game.*



Word of the Week

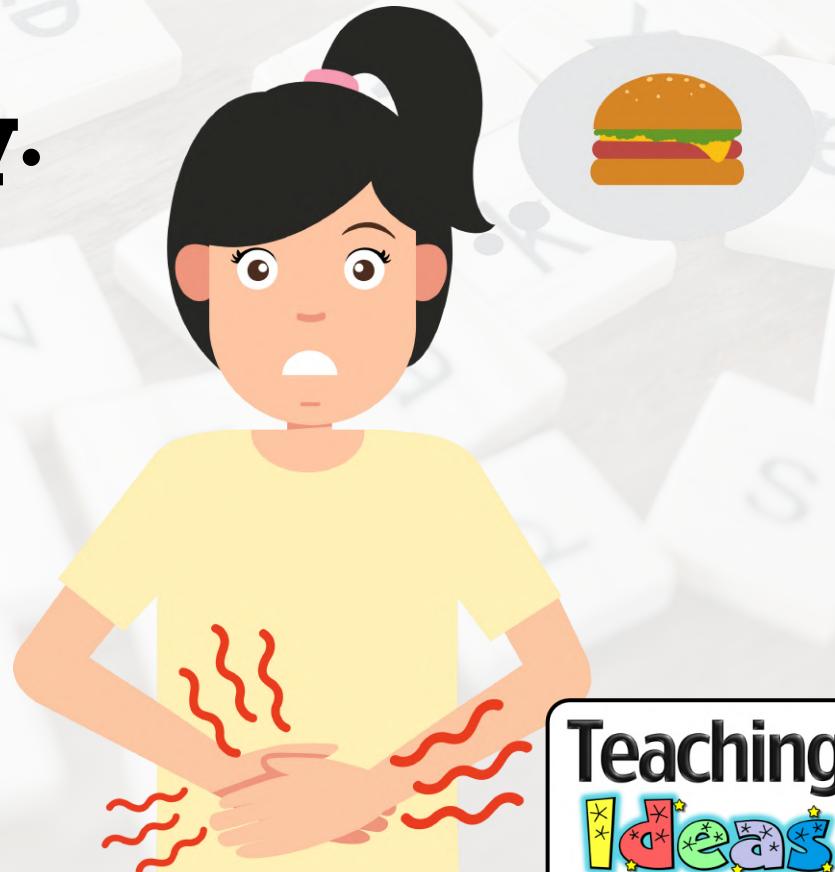
ravenous

(adjective)

Definition

Extremely hungry.

*After a long hike,
Sal was ravenous
and she devoured
her burger.*



Word of the Week

serene

(adjective)

Definition

Calm, peaceful and untroubled.

*She felt at peace as
she sat by the
serene lake,
listening to the
gentle waves.*



Word of the Week

triumphant

(adjective)

Definition

Having achieved victory or success.

The team celebrated their triumphant win in the game.



Word of the Week

vibrant

(adjective)

Definition

Full of life, energy and colour.

The city's vibrant nightlife attracted tourists from all over the world.



Word of the Week

wary
(adjective)

Definition

Cautious and watchful, especially in the face of danger or suspicion.

Jake was wary of the obstacles on the high ropes course.



Word of the Week

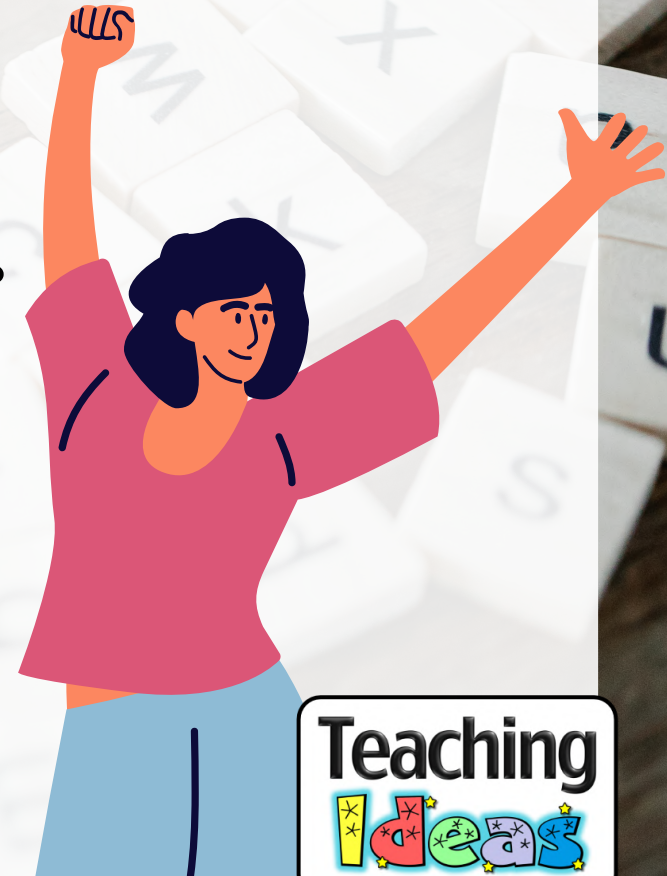
zealous

(adjective)

Definition

Showing great enthusiasm or passion.

She was a zealous fan of her favourite sports team and never missed a game.



Word of the Week

abundant

(adjective)

Definition

Present in large quantities, plentiful.

The garden was filled with abundant flowers of different colours and shapes.



Word of the Week

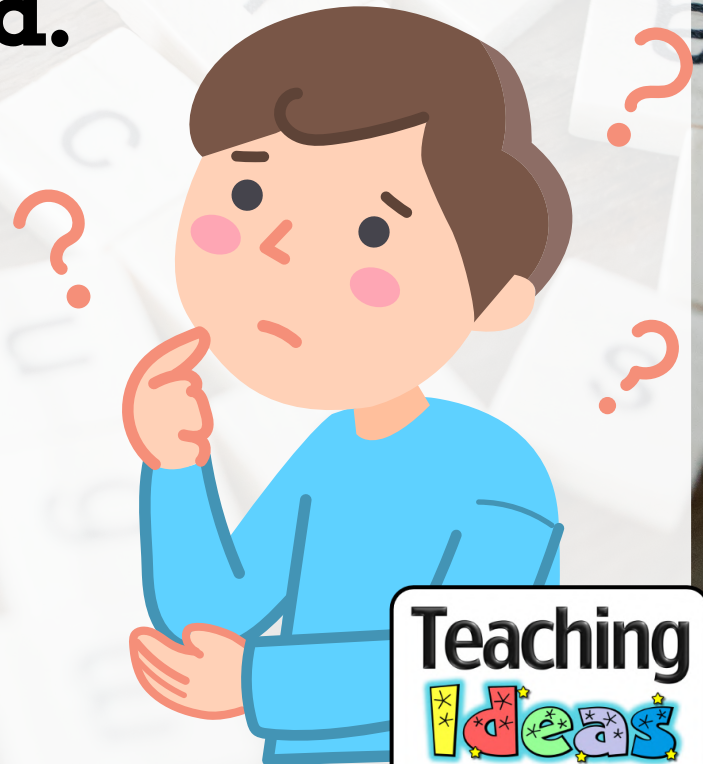
bewildered

(adjective)

Definition

Confused and puzzled.

*He looked
bewildered when
he couldn't find
his keys.*



Word of the Week

coax

(verb)

Definition

To persuade or gently convince someone to do something.

He tried to coax his little sister into sharing her toy with him.



Word of the Week

dilapidated

(adjective)

Definition

In a state of disrepair or ruin.

The old, dilapidated house had broken windows and a crumbling roof.



Word of the Week

elude

(verb)

Definition

To escape or avoid, often by being clever or skillful.

The fugitive managed to elude the police and disappear without a trace.



Word of the Week

frail

(adjective)

Definition

Physically weak and delicate.

The man needed assistance due to his frail health.



Word of the Week

gregarious

(adjective)

Definition

Fond of the company of others, sociable.

She was a gregarious person who loved meeting new people.



Word of the Week

hesitate

(verb)

Definition

To pause or hold back before doing or saying something.

He hesitated before jumping into the deep pool, unsure of his swimming skills.



Word of the Week

jeopardy

(noun)

Definition

Danger or risk of harm or loss.

*Their reckless
behaviour put their
lives in jeopardy.*



Word of the Week

kin

(noun)

Definition

One's family or relatives.

She received a heartfelt greeting from all her kin at the family reunion.



Word of the Week

lucrative

(adjective)

Definition

**Producing lots of money
or a great deal of profit.**

*The business owner
made a lucrative deal
and earned a huge
amount of money.*



Word of the Week

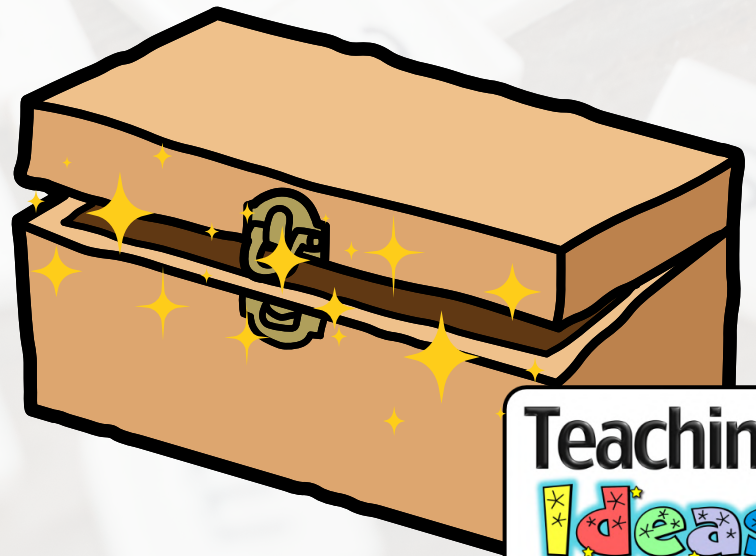
mysterious

(adjective)

Definition

Difficult or impossible to understand or explain.

The wooden box held a mysterious object that nobody could identify.



Word of the Week

impartial

(adjective)

Definition

Unbiased and fair.

The judge remained impartial and based his decision solely on the evidence presented.



Word of the Week

neglect

(verb)

Definition

To fail to care for or pay attention to something or someone.

The neglected garden was overgrown with weeds and had dying plants.



Word of the Week

obsolete

(adjective)

Definition

**No longer in use
or outdated.**

*The typewriter
became obsolete
with the invention
of computers.*



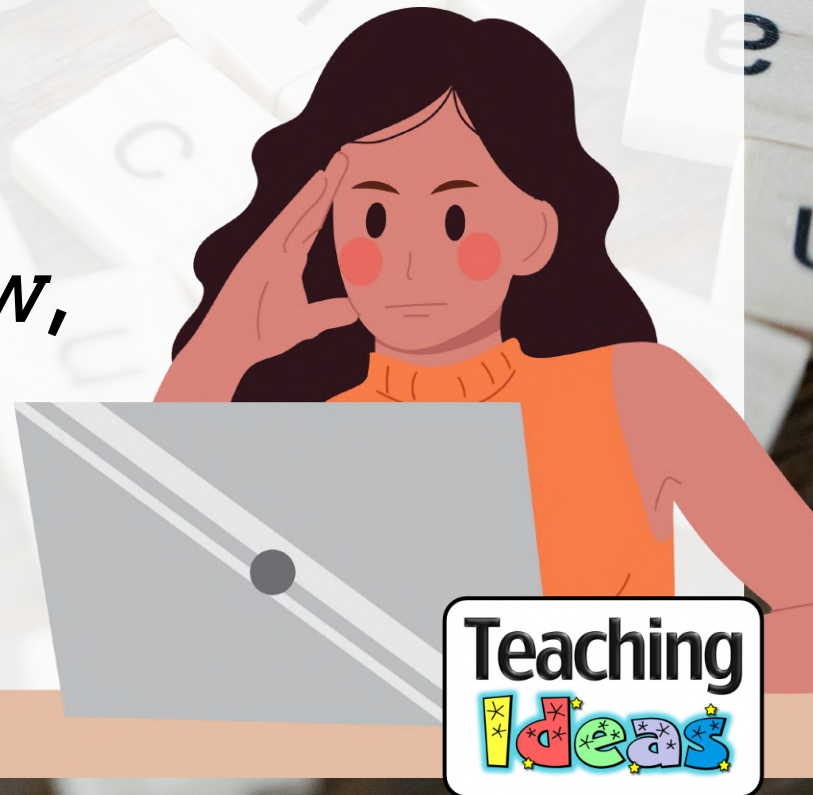
Word of the Week

pensive
(adjective)

Definition

**Engaged in deep
or serious thought.**

*She sat by the window,
looking pensive as
she thought about
her work.*



Word of the Week

quench

(verb)

Definition

**To satisfy or extinguish
(a thirst, desire or need).**

*The refreshing
drink quenched
their thirst after a
long day in the sun.*



Word of the Week

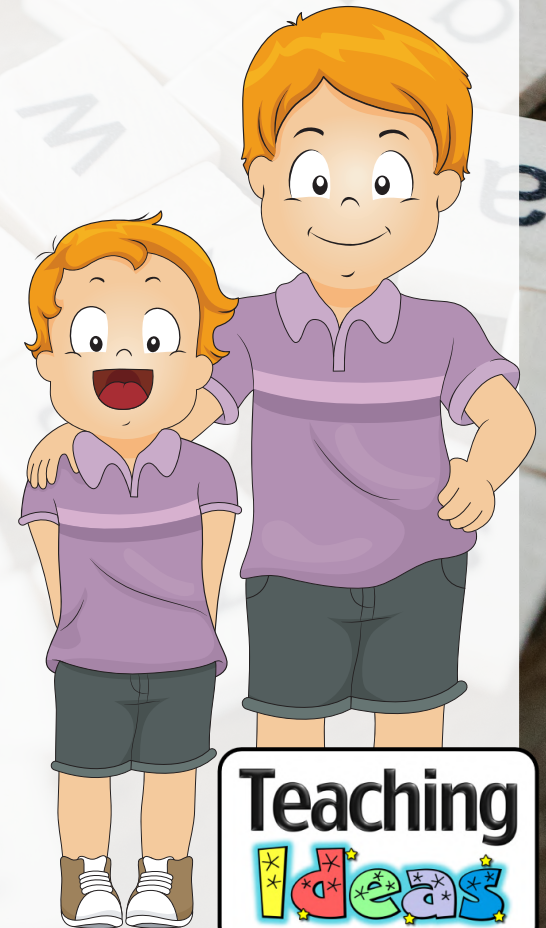
resemble

(verb)

Definition

To be similar to or look like someone or something else.

The young boy resembled his older brother in both looks and personality.



Word of the Week

solitude

(noun)

Definition

The state of being alone or isolated.

She found solace in the solitude of the forest, away from the noise of the city.



Word of the Week

tedious

(adjective)

Definition

Boring and tiresome due to length or dullness.

The repetitive task became tedious after hours of working on it.



Word of the Week

unanimous

(adjective)

Definition

In complete agreement or harmony.

The children in the class reached a unanimous decision regarding the new rules.



Word of the Week

vulnerable

(adjective)

Definition

Open to physical or emotional harm.

The injured bird was vulnerable to predators in its weakened state.



Word of the Week

whimsical

(adjective)

Definition

Fanciful, playful and unpredictable.

The illustrator created whimsical drawings full of vibrant colours and imaginative creatures.



Word of the Week

yearn
(verb)

Definition

To have an intense desire for something.

She yearned for adventure and eagerly planned her next trip.



Word of the Week

zest

(noun)

Definition

Great enthusiasm and energy.

She tackled her work with zest and completed it with great efficiency.



Word of the Week

accommodate

(verb)

Definition

To provide lodging (or to fit in with someone's needs or preferences).

The hotel was able to accommodate all the guests, even though it was fully booked.



Word of the Week

bellow

(verb)

Definition

To shout in a deep, loud voice.

The coach bellowed instructions to his team from the sidelines.



Word of the Week

cherish

(verb)

Definition

**To protect and care
for something deeply.**

*She cherished the
hand-made bracelet
her grandmother
gave her.*



Word of the Week

dismal

(adjective)

Definition

Gloomy, depressing or causing sadness.

The rainy weather made the mood outside quite dismal.



Word of the Week

abandon

(verb)

Definition

To leave or desert someone or something.

The couple had to abandon their hike when the volcano started to erupt.



Word of the Week

adorn

(verb)

Definition

To decorate or add beauty to something.

She adorned her room with pictures and fairy lights.



Word of the Week

benevolence

(noun)

Definition

The quality of being kind, generous and helpful.

With pure benevolence, Elsa rushed to help her friend, who had fallen over.



Word of the Week

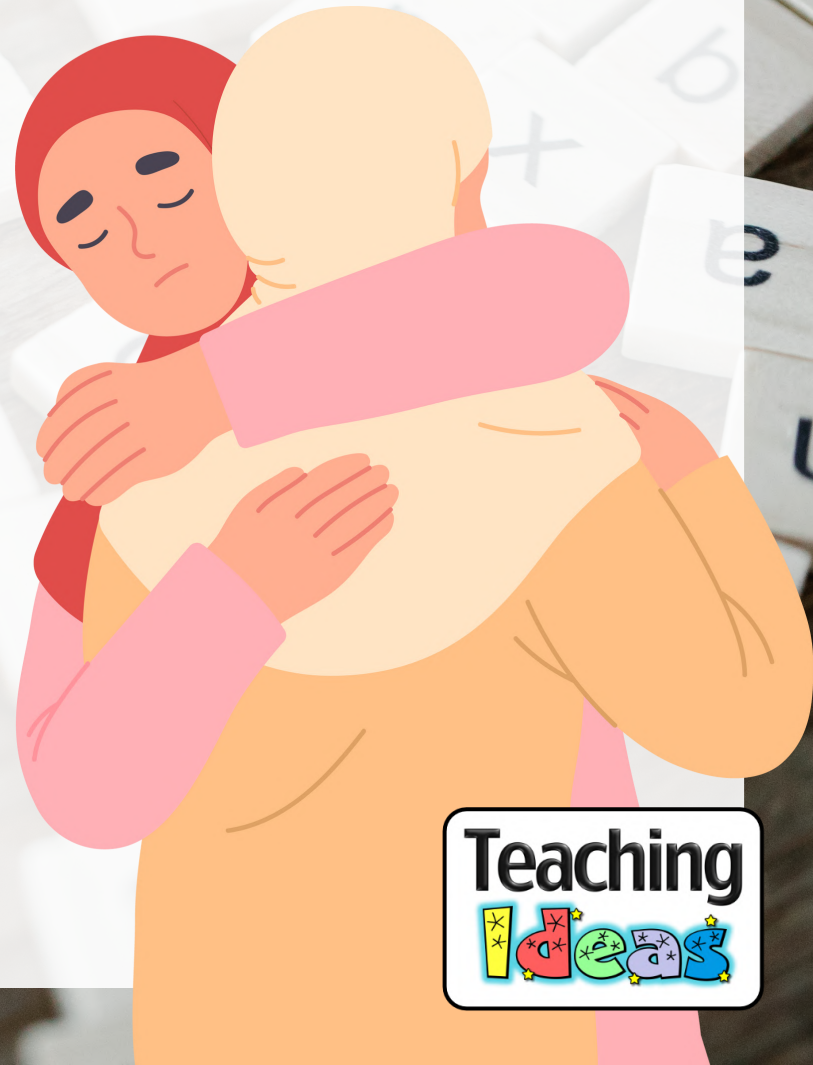
apologise

(verb)

Definition

**To express regret
or say sorry for a
mistake.**

*He apologised to his
friend for forgetting
their birthday.*



Word of the Week

bewilderingly

(adverb)

Definition

In a confusing or puzzling manner.

The maze of hallways in the old building was bewilderingly complex.



Word of the Week

cope
(verb)

Definition

To deal with a difficult situation or challenge.

He learned to cope with stress by meditating and breathing exercises.



Word of the Week

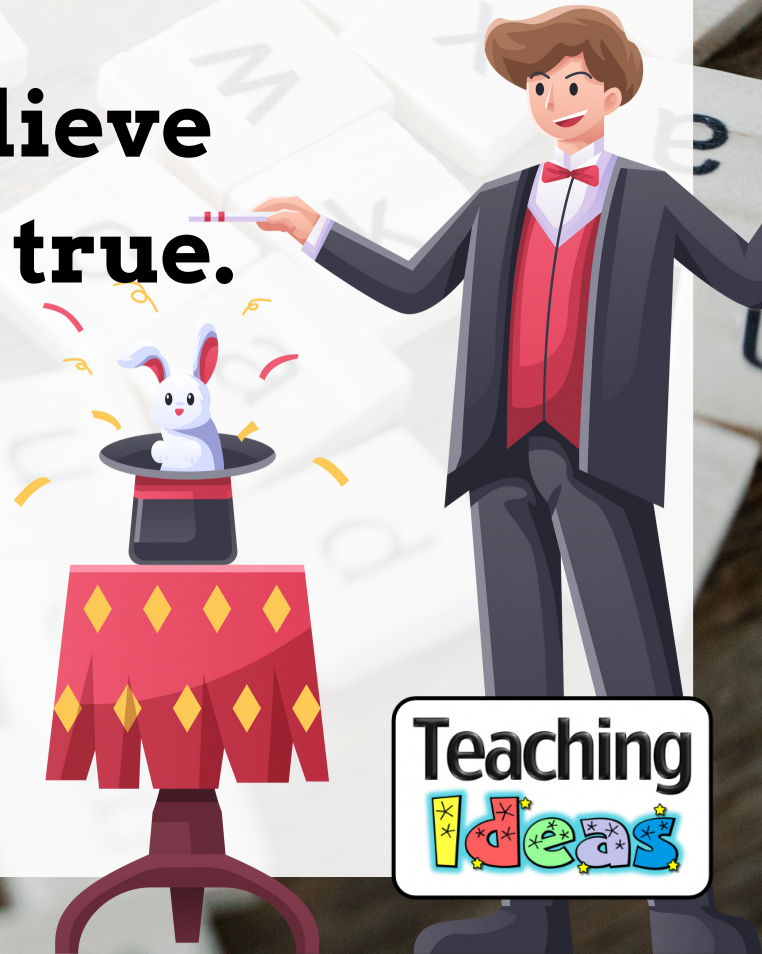
deceive

(verb)

Definition

To make someone believe something that is not true.

The magician deceived the audience with his impressive tricks.



Word of the Week

eloquently

(adverb)

Definition

In a graceful and persuasive manner.

She spoke eloquently about the importance of conservation during her speech.



Word of the Week

exclaim

(verb)

Definition

To cry out suddenly or loudly.

He exclaimed in joy when he saw the surprise birthday party waiting for him.



Word of the Week

fiercely

(adverb)

Definition

In a strong or competitive manner.

The athletes competed fiercely for the title.



Word of the Week

glimmer

(noun)

Definition

**A faint or
wavering light.**

*The moonlight
created a soft
glimmer on the
surface of the lake.*



Word of the Week

scamper

(verb)

Definition

To run or move with quick, light steps.

*The children
scampered across
the playground,
full of energy.*



Word of the Week

impatiently

(adverb)

Definition

In an eager or restless manner due to waiting or wanting something.

Sara tapped her foot impatiently while waiting for the bus.



Word of the Week

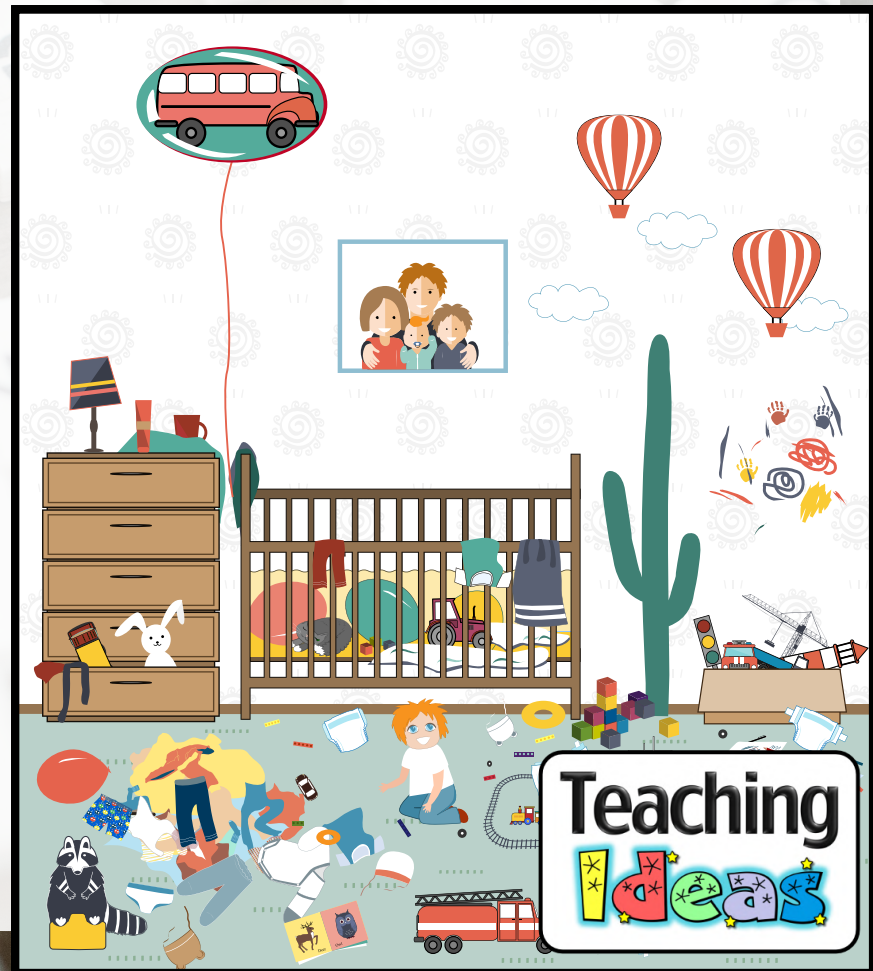
jumble

(noun)

Definition

A confused or disordered mixture of things.

The bedroom was a jumble of toys and clothes.



Word of the Week

meticulously

(adverb)

Definition

With great attention to detail, carefully.

She cleaned her room meticulously, making sure every corner was spotless.



Word of the Week

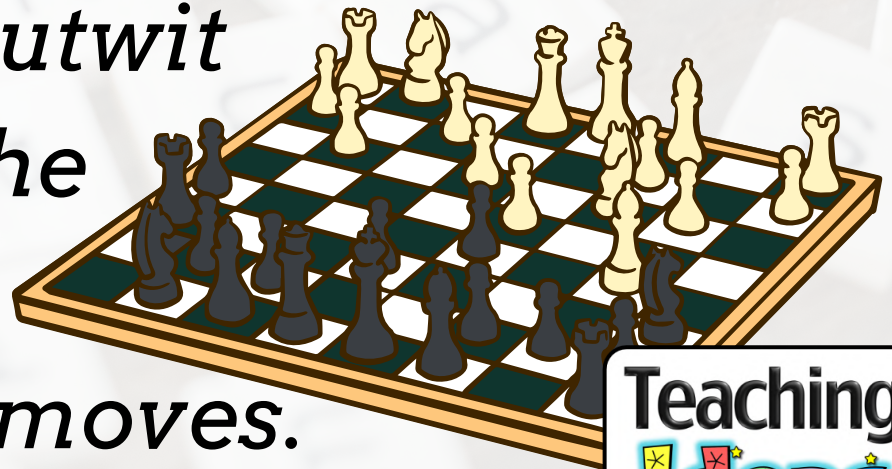
outwit

(verb)

Definition

To defeat or surpass someone's intelligence or cleverness.

He managed to outwit his opponent in the chess match, winning in a few moves.



Word of the Week

persistently

(adverb)

Definition

In a determined and unchanging manner.

She persistently practised the piano, striving to improve her skills.



Word of the Week

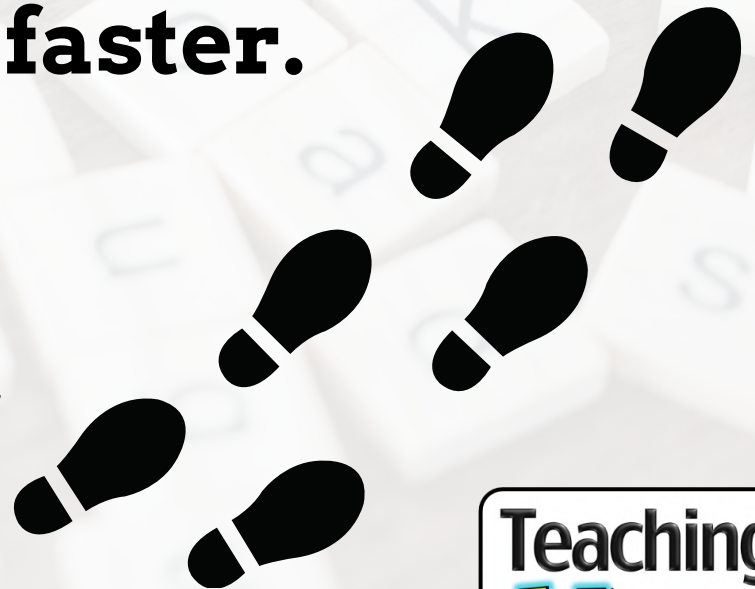
quicken

(verb)

Definition

To speed up or cause something to move faster.

The sound of the approaching footsteps quickened her heartbeat.



Word of the Week

reluctantly

(adverb)

Definition

In an unwilling or hesitant manner.

He reluctantly agreed to go to the party, even though he preferred to stay home.



Word of the Week

unearth

(verb)

Definition

To dig up or discover something hidden or previously unknown.

The archaeologist unearthed ancient artefacts at the excavation site.



Word of the Week

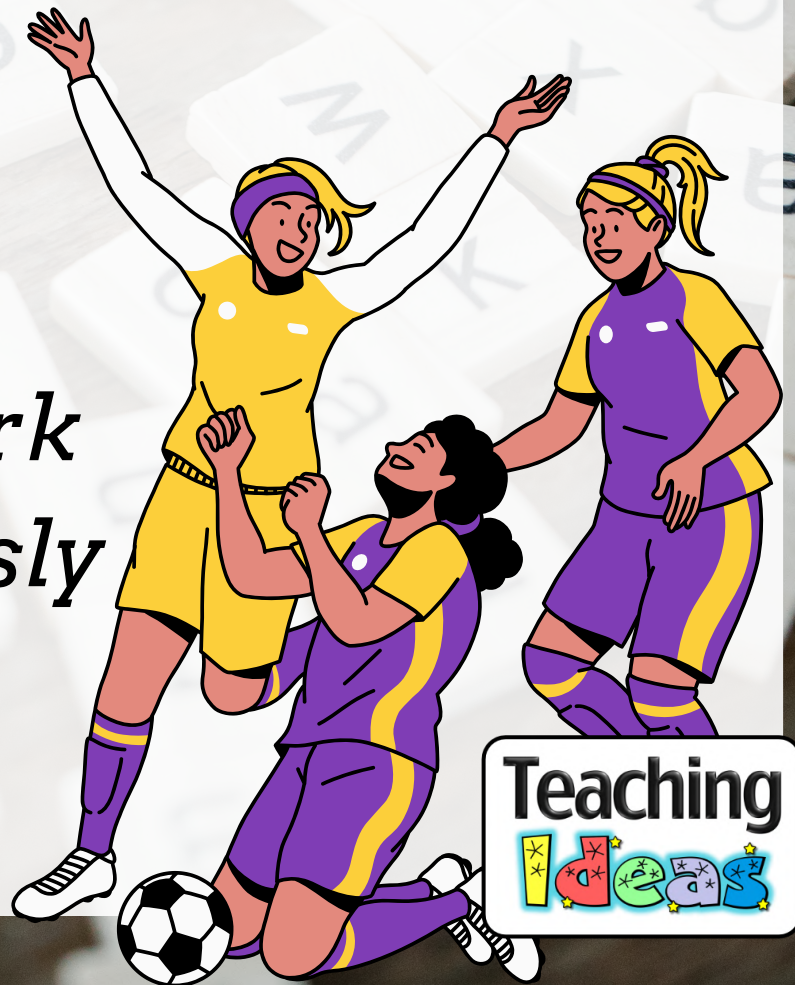
tremendously

(adverb)

Definition

**To a great extent
or degree.**

*The team's hard work
paid off tremendously
when they won the
championship.*



Word of the Week

whisper

(verb)

Definition

To speak or communicate in a soft or low voice.

They whispered to each other during the movie so they didn't disturb anyone else.



Word of the Week

vigorously

(adverb)

Definition

In a strong and energetic manner.

She vigorously mixed the ingredients to remove the lumps.



Word of the Week

accelerate

(verb)

Definition

To increase in speed or move faster.

The car accelerated down the straight road, leaving behind a cloud of dust.



Word of the Week

yearningly

(adverb)

Definition

In a longing or eager manner.

The puppy stared yearningly at its owner, waiting for a treat.



Word of the Week

achieve

(verb)

Definition

To successfully accomplish or reach a goal.

She worked hard and was able to achieve her dream of becoming a doctor.



Word of the Week

bashfully

(adverb)

Definition

In a shy or modest manner.

The little girl smiled bashfully when complimented on her drawing.



Word of the Week

cautiously

(adverb)

Definition

In a careful or wary manner.

They approached the abandoned house cautiously.



Word of the Week

deliberate

(verb)

Definition

**To carefully
consider something.**

*The team
deliberated over
the new proposal
for hours.*



Word of the Week

exhaustedly

(adverb)

Definition

In a state of extreme tiredness or fatigue.

He collapsed on the bed exhaustedly after a long day of hiking.



Word of the Week

fumble

(verb)

Definition

To handle something clumsily or awkwardly.

She fumbled with the keys, trying to find the right one for the door.



Word of the Week

gracefully

(adverb)

Definition

In a smooth and elegant manner.

The ballet dancer moved gracefully across the stage, capturing the audience's attention.



Word of the Week

hasten

(verb)

Definition

**To hurry or
move quickly.**

*They hastened
to catch the
last bus.*



Word of the Week

cacophony (noun)

Definition

A harsh, unpleasant mixture of sounds.

The city street was a cacophony of car horns, sirens, and construction noise.



Word of the Week

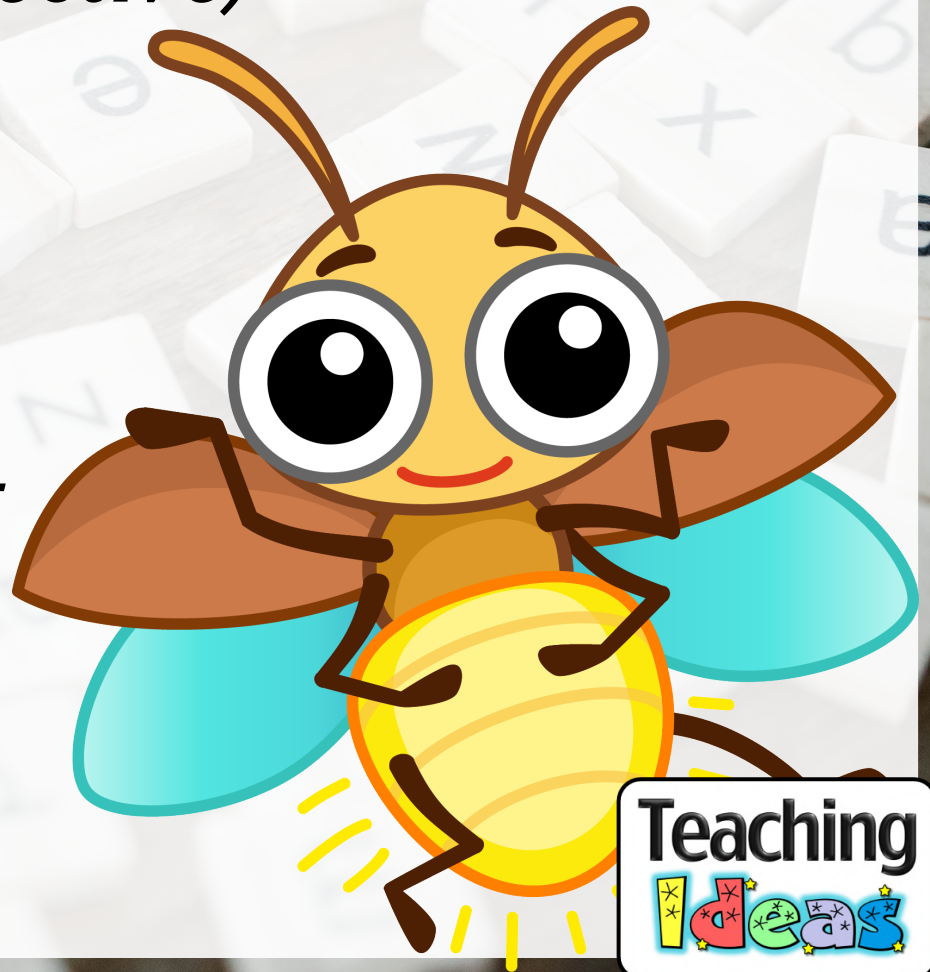
ephemeral

(adjective)

Definition

Lasting for a very short time.

The firefly's glow was ephemeral, lasting only for a few seconds.



Word of the Week

garrulous

(adjective)

Definition

Talkative; fond of talking a lot.

My garrulous aunt can talk about her travels for hours.



Word of the Week

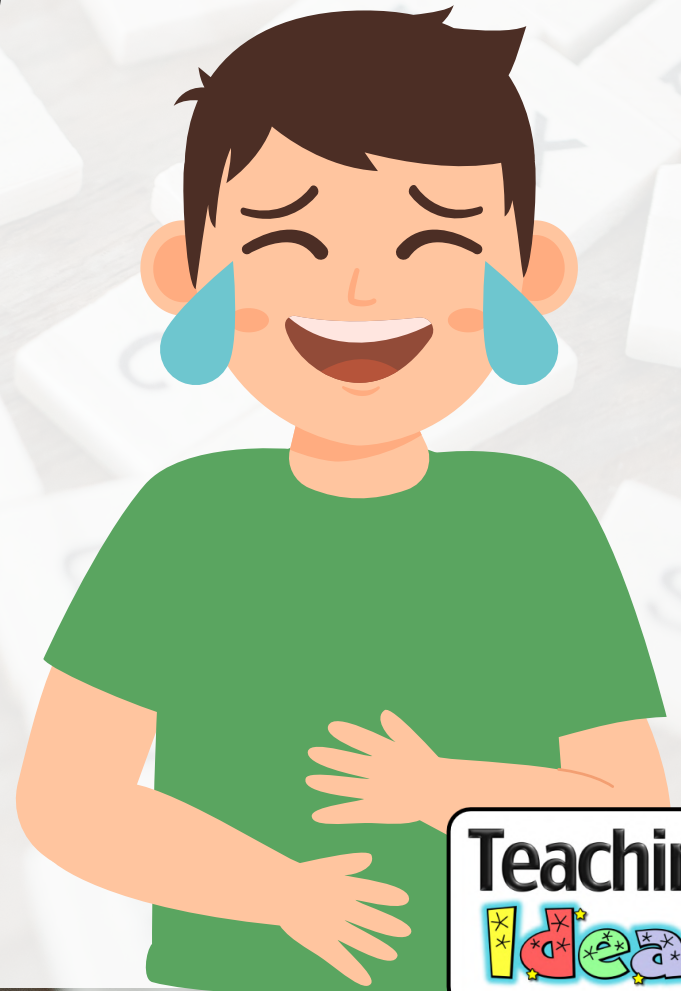
jocularity

(noun)

Definition

**Good humour;
joking.**

*The comedian's
jocularity had the
audience in
stitches.*



Word of the Week

kaleidoscopic

(adjective)

Definition

**Constantly changing;
multicoloured.**

*The kaleidoscopic
patterns in the
painting were
mesmerizing.*



Word of the Week

lassitude

(noun)

Definition

A feeling of tiredness or lack of energy.

The hot weather induced a lassitude in everyone.



Word of the Week

nemesis

(noun)

Definition

A person or thing that is an enemy or a source of harm.

The supervillain was the nemesis of the superhero.



Word of the Week

obfuscate

(verb)

Definition

To make something unclear or difficult to understand.

The politician tried to obfuscate the issue with complicated words.



Word of the Week

reclusive

(adjective)

Definition

Preferring to be alone.

The reclusive author rarely made public appearances.



Word of the Week

umbra

(noun)

Definition

**A dark area,
especially the
darkest part of a
shadow.**

*The umbra of the eclipse
was awe-inspiring.*



Word of the Week

venerable

(adjective)

Definition

**Commanding
respect because of
age or wisdom.**

*The students worked
hard for their
venerable professor.*



Word of the Week

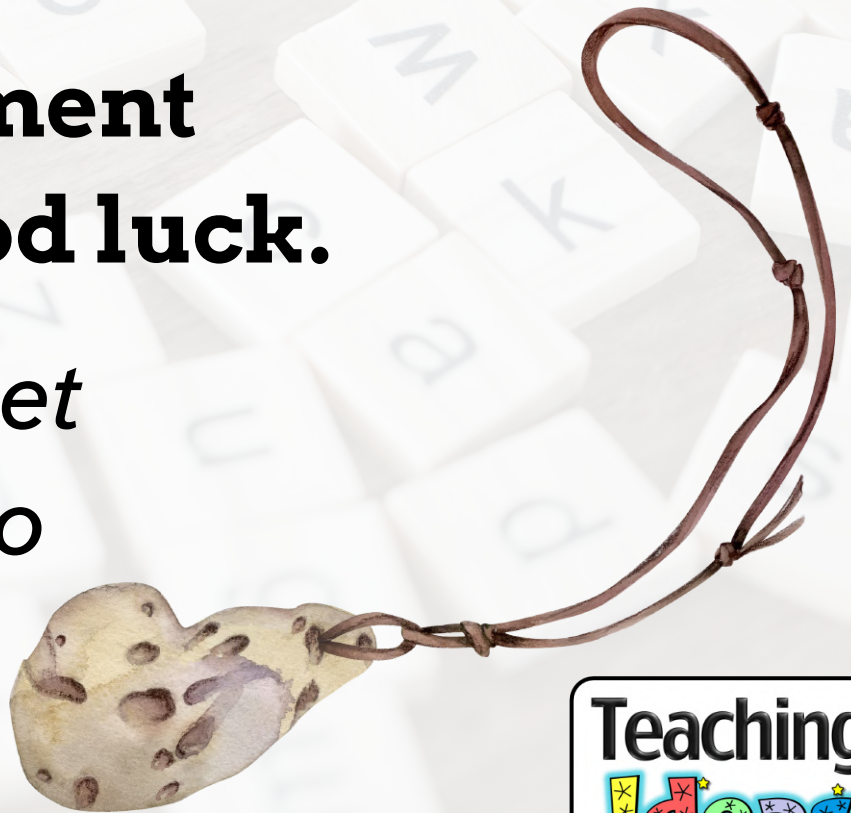
amulet

(noun)

Definition

A charm or ornament worn to bring good luck.

She wore an amulet around her neck to protect her from harm.



Word of the Week

canopy

(noun)

Definition

A covering of cloth or other material.

The bride walked under the canopy of flowers at the ceremony.



Word of the Week

dappled

(adjective)

Definition

**Marked with
spots or patches
of colour.**

*The dappled
sunlight filtered
through the trees.*



Word of the Week

finesse

(noun)

Definition

Delicacy and subtlety of performance or skill.

The chef's finesse with the knife was impressive.



Word of the Week

humdrum

(adjective)

Definition

**Dull and
uninteresting.**

*The humdrum
daily routine
was boring.*

