

1: abstract	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] abstraction, abstractions, abstractly, abstracts	Level: AWL
1. Mathematics is concerned with understanding <u>abstract</u> concepts.	
2. They were only talking about good and evil in the <u>abstract</u> .	
3. The information was <u>abstracted</u> from newspaper reports.	
4. There is a section at the end of the magazine which includes <u>abstracts</u> of recent articles.	
2: accurate	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] accuracy, accurately, inaccuracy, inaccuracies, inaccurate	Level: AWL
1. We need to get an <u>accurate</u> estimate of what the new building will cost.	
2. The <u>accuracy</u> of the reports cannot be verified.	
3. The plans should be drawn as <u>accurately</u> as possible, showing all the measurements.	
4. The <u>inaccuracy</u> of the missiles greatly diminishes their effectiveness.	
3: acknowledge	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] acknowledged, acknowledges, acknowledging, acknowledgement, acknowledgements	Level: AWL
1. The scientist never <u>acknowledges</u> his mistakes.	
2. We will <u>acknowledge</u> receipt of your order if requested.	
3. Many of the poor <u>acknowledged</u> him as their spiritual leader.	
4. We sent her a copy of the book in <u>acknowledgement</u> of her part in its creation.	
4: aggregate	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] aggregated, aggregates, aggregating, aggregation	Level: AWL
1. The charity received gifts, which in <u>aggregate</u> did not exceed \$40,000.	
2. They purchased an <u>aggregate</u> of 3000 shares in the company.	
3. Her earnings from all sources <u>aggregated</u> \$100,000.	
4. A wife's income is no longer <u>aggregated</u> with that of her husband.	
5: allocate	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] allocated, allocates, allocating, allocation, allocations	Level: AWL
1. One million dollars was <u>allocated</u> for disaster relief.	
2. Several patients were waiting to be <u>allocated</u> a bed.	
3. The government is <u>allocating</u> \$10 million for health education.	
4. Town planning and land <u>allocation</u> had to be coordinated.	
6: assign	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] assigned, assigning, assignment, assignments, assigns, reassign, reassigned, reassigning, reassigns, unassigned	Level: AWL
1. Two senior officers were <u>assigned</u> to the investigation.	
2. UN troops were <u>assigned</u> the task of rebuilding the hospital.	
3. I have a lot of reading <u>assignments</u> to complete before the end of term.	
4. His first <u>assignment</u> as a reporter was to cover the local election.	
7: attach	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] attached, attaches, attaching, attachment, attachments, unattached	Level: AWL
1. He <u>attached</u> a color printer to his computer.	
2. Both her parents <u>attach</u> great importance to education.	
3. An element of risk inevitably <u>attaches</u> to sports.	
4. I'll email my report to you as an <u>attachment</u> .	

8: author [related words] authored, authoring, authors, authorship	Appears in List(s): 6a Level: AWL
1. He is the <u>author</u> of two books on thermodynamics. 2. The article is of unknown <u>authorship</u> . 3. He has <u>authored</u> more than 30 books. 4. The textbook is <u>authored</u> by six leading scientists.	
9: bond [related words] bonded, bonding, bonds	Appears in List(s): 6a Level: AWL
1. We will work to strengthen our <u>bonds</u> with neighboring countries. 2. Carbon atoms can form <u>bonds</u> with nitrogen and oxygen atoms. 3. Much of the <u>bonding</u> between mother and child takes place in those early weeks. 4. This new adhesive can <u>bond</u> metal to glass.	
10: brief [related words] brevity, briefed, briefing, briefly, briefs	Appears in List(s): 6a Level: AWL
1. I had a <u>brief</u> look at the report before the meeting. 2. The company issued a <u>brief</u> statement about yesterday's accident. 3. We chatted <u>briefly</u> about the weather. 4. His essays are models of clarity and <u>brevity</u> .	
11: capable [related words] capabilities, capability, incapable	Appears in List(s): 6a Level: AWL
1. I was impressed by his <u>capable</u> handling of the situation. 2. The port is <u>capable</u> of handling 10 million tonnes of coal a year. 3. The firm wants to increase its manufacturing <u>capability</u> . 4. The country has virtually no military <u>capability</u> of its own.	
12: cite [related words] citation, citations, cited, citing, cites	Appears in List(s): 6a Level: AWL
1. She pulled out of the competition, <u>citing</u> personal reasons. 2. The company <u>cited</u> a 12% decline in new orders as evidence that overall demand for its products was falling. 3. All <u>citations</u> are taken from the 1980 edition of the text. 4. The soldiers are to receive <u>citations</u> from the President for their brave actions.	
13: cooperate [related words] cooperated, cooperates, cooperating, cooperation, cooperative, cooperatively, co-operate, co-operated, co-operates, co-operation, co-operative, co-operatively	Appears in List(s): 6a Level: AWL
1. The Spanish authorities <u>cooperated</u> with the British police in finding the terrorists. 2. The company has agreed to <u>cooperate</u> in the development of this technology. 3. The company produces computers in <u>cooperation</u> with a German firm. 4. A working group will be established to promote <u>cooperation</u> .	
14: discriminate [related words] discriminated, discriminates, discriminating, discrimination	Appears in List(s): 6a Level: AWL
1. Employers are not allowed to <u>discriminate</u> on the basis of gender. 2. Long-range missile attacks simply cannot <u>discriminate</u> between military and civilian targets. 3. She claimed that she had been the victim of sexual <u>discrimination</u> . 4. <u>Discrimination</u> on the grounds of sex or race is unlawful.	

15: display	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] displayed, displaying, displays	Level: AWL
1. An error message is <u>displayed</u> if invalid information is entered.	
2. The British traditionally tend not to <u>display</u> much emotion in public.	
3. There's an Egyptian art collection on <u>display</u> at the museum at the moment.	
4. Unprovoked <u>displays</u> of aggression cannot be tolerated.	
16: diverse	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] diversely, diversification, diversified, diversifies, diversify, diversifying, diversity	Level: AWL
1. The newspaper aims to cover a <u>diverse</u> range of issues.	
2. New York is a culturally <u>diverse</u> city.	
3. Faced with a changing environment, most organisms will adapt and <u>diversify</u> .	
4. There is a wide <u>diversity</u> of opinion on the question of unilateral disarmament.	
17: domain	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] domains	Level: AWL
1. These documents are in the public <u>domain</u> .	
2. This is a subject that has now moved into the political <u>domain</u> .	
3. Organic foods are no longer the sole <u>domain</u> of healthy-eating fanatics.	
4. This problem is outside the <u>domain</u> of medical science.	
18: edit	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] edited, editing, edition, editions, editor, editorial, editorials, editors, edits	Level: AWL
1. This program enables you to copy and <u>edit</u> files in the usual way.	
2. Her original text has been heavily <u>edited</u> .	
3. The letter appeared in the Sunday <u>edition</u> of the local newspaper.	
4. All the papers deal with the same subject in their <u>editorials</u> .	
19: enhance	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] enhanced, enhancement, enhances, enhancing	Level: AWL
1. The measures taken should considerably <u>enhance</u> the resident's quality of life.	
2. This is an opportunity to <u>enhance</u> the reputation of the company.	
3. Digitally <u>enhanced</u> video images might help identify the suspects.	
4. The scientist was concerned with the <u>enhancement</u> of the human condition.	
20: estate	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] estates	Level: AWL
1. The man left his entire <u>estate</u> to his son.	
2. The property is part of the deceased's <u>estate</u> .	
3. Most modern housing <u>estates</u> are terrible and inevitably done on the cheap.	
4. He gambled away his family <u>estate</u> on a single throw of the dice.	
21: exceed	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] exceeded, exceeding, exceeds	Level: AWL
1. This year's sales have <u>exceeded</u> all expectations.	
2. Wind speeds <u>exceeded</u> 90 miles per hour.	
3. She was fined for <u>exceeding</u> the speed limit.	
4. Working hours must not <u>exceed</u> 42 hours a week.	

22: expert	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] expertise, expertly, experts	Level: AWL
1. The test should be administered by a medical <u>expert</u> .	
2. The scientist is a world <u>expert</u> on marine biology.	
3. The center provides <u>expert</u> advice for people with financial problems.	
4. The student has considerable <u>expertise</u> in nuclear physics.	
23: explicit	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] explicitly	Level: AWL
1. I gave her very <u>explicit</u> directions how to write lab reports.	
2. She was being very <u>explicit</u> about her dissatisfaction with the project.	
3. Possible side effects should be made <u>explicit</u> .	
4. Nothing in the contract says <u>explicitly</u> how its terms will be enforced.	
24: federal	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] federation, federations	Level: AWL
1. The cost will be split between state and <u>federal</u> governments.	
2. The US Constitution created the country's <u>federal</u> system.	
3. The United States is a <u>federation</u> of 50 individual states.	
4. The organization emerged from a <u>federation</u> of six national agencies.	
25: fee	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] fees	Level: AWL
1. Many doctors have a standard scale of <u>fees</u> .	
2. It is reported that he will have to pay legal <u>fees</u> of \$2,000.	
3. The museum charges a small entrance <u>fee</u> .	
4. Tuition <u>fees</u> at some US universities have now reached \$9,000 a year.	
26: flexible	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] flexibility, inflexible, inflexibility	Level: AWL
1. The job offers <u>flexible</u> working hours.	
2. My schedule is quite <u>flexible</u> —I could arrange to meet with you any day next week.	
3. Today's schedule of events is organized <u>flexibly</u> so that people can decide for themselves what they want to do.	
4. Being self-employed allows him the <u>flexibility</u> to work unusual hours.	
27: furthermore	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words]	Level: AWL
1. I suggest we use Barkers as our main suppliers—they're good and <u>furthermore</u> they're cheap.	
2. He is old and unpopular. <u>Furthermore</u> , he has at best only two years of political life ahead of him.	
3. He said he had not discussed the matter with her. <u>Furthermore</u> , he had not even contacted her.	
4. A Barclaycard can be safer to carry than cash, more convenient than writing a cheque and <u>furthermore</u> , it offers an unrivalled range of additional complimentary services to the cardholder.	
28: gender	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] genders	Level: AWL
1. The job is open to all applicants regardless of age, race, or <u>gender</u> .	
2. The study examines <u>gender</u> roles in Latin America.	
3. Does this test show the <u>gender</u> of the baby?	
4. Discrimination on the basis of race, <u>gender</u> , age, or disability is not allowed.	

29: ignorant	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] ignorance, ignore, ignored, ignores, ignoring	Level: AWL
1. Safety regulations are being <u>ignored</u> by company managers in the drive to increase profits.	
2. How can the government <u>ignore</u> the wishes of the majority?	
3. Public <u>ignorance</u> about the disease is still a cause for concern.	
4. Patients were left in <u>ignorance</u> of what was wrong with them.	
30: incentive	Appears in List(s): 6a
[related words] incentives	Level: AWL
1. Tax <u>incentives</u> have been very effective in encouraging people to save and invest more of their income.	
2. Bonus payments provide an <u>incentive</u> to work harder.	
3. The government must introduce tax <u>incentives</u> to encourage investment.	
4. The program could have been radically reformed to create <u>incentives</u> for doctors and hospitals to save money.	