



1 | Module 1

A World of Books

Glossary





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Module 1 | Parts of Speech Key: **(n.)** noun, **(v.)** verb, **(adj.)** adjective, **(adv.)** adverb

access (v.)

to be able to use, go into, or get near something



Notes 

background (n.)

in a work of art, the area that seems farthest away from the viewer

bookmobile (n.)

a vehicle that is a traveling library



borrow (v.)

to take and use for a period
of time before returning



central (adj.)

main or most important

character (n.)

a person or creature in a story

Notes

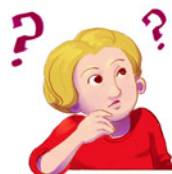
collect (v.)

to get things from different places and bring them together



curious (adj.)

having a desire to learn or know more about something



edit (v.)

to make changes to correct mistakes in the words and sentences of a piece of writing

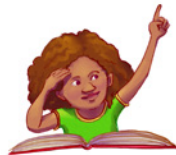
imaginary (adj.)

existing only in
someone's mind



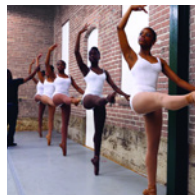
knowledge (n.)

information someone
gains from experience or
education



lesson (n.)

an activity a person does to
learn something



Notes

librarian (n.)

a person who works in a library



library (n.)

a place where books, magazines, and other materials are available for people to use or borrow



manuscript (n.)

a text written by hand



monk (n.)

a member of a religious community of men who usually promise to remain poor and unmarried



narrator (n.)

the voice that tells the story

notice (v.)

to become aware of someone or something

Notes

packhorse librarian

a person who rides on a horse to deliver books



pattern (n.)

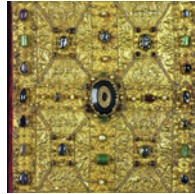
a principle of design; a repeated design

pluck (v.)

to pull something quickly to remove it

precious (adj.)

greatly loved, valued, and important



predicate (n.)

what the subject in a sentence is or does

primary colors

the three colors red, yellow, and blue that can be combined in different ways to make all other colors

Notes

problem (n.)

something that causes trouble or worry;
a challenge

pursuit (n.)

an attempt to find, achieve,
or get something



realistic (adj.)

showing people and things as they are in
real life

scholar (n.)

a person who has studied a subject for a long time and knows a lot about it



setting (n.)

when and where a story takes place

solution (n.)

how a problem is fixed or solved

Notes

subject (n.)

who or what a sentence is about

time order words

words that describe when events happen

treasure (n.)

something that is very special



wonder (v.)

to have interest in knowing or learning something



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Creature Features

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adapt (v.)

Notes 

to change so that it is easier to live in a particular place or situation

appendix (n.)

a section of extra information added at the end of a text

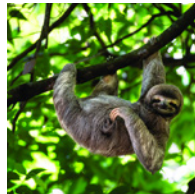
camouflage (n.)

something (such as color or shape) that protects an animal from attack by making the animal difficult to see in its surroundings



creature (n.)

an animal of any type



discover (v.)

to see, find, or understand something for the first time

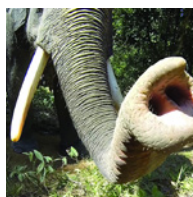


Notes **environment (n.)**

the natural world

**feature (n.)**

an interesting or important part or ability

**habitat (n.)**

the place where a plant or animal lives or grows



indefatigable (adj.)

able to work or continue to work for a long time without becoming tired

key details

the most important pieces of information that support the main topic

line (n.)

an element of art; a mark on a surface that connects two points

Notes

main topic

what a book or a section of a book is mostly about

miracle (n.)

something very amazing or unusual

noun (n.)

a word that identifies a person, place, or thing

observe (v.)

to notice someone or something carefully



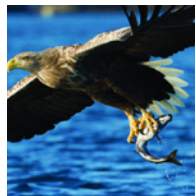
predator (n.)

an animal that hunts other animals for food



prey (n.)

an animal that is hunted by another animal for food



Notes

pronoun (n.)

a word that replaces a noun

protect (v.)

to keep someone
or something from
being harmed



research

1. (n.) the activity of getting information about a topic
2. (v.) to collect information about a topic from multiple sources

scientist (n.)

a person who is trained in science and whose job involves doing research and solving problems



search (v.)

to carefully look for something



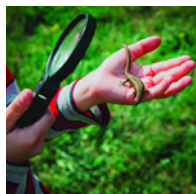
shy (adj.)

feeling nervous and uncomfortable about meeting and talking to people

Notes

study (v.)

to read, observe, or attend school to learn about a subject



surroundings (n.)

the places, conditions, or objects that are around someone or something



survive (v.)

to continue to live



textual evidence

information from a text that can be used to support an idea or answer a question

texture (n.)

an element of art; how the surface of an object feels or looks as though it might feel

unique (adj.)

very special or unusual



Notes

verb (n.)

a word that expresses an action



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Wind Power

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Module 3 | Parts of Speech Key: **(n.)** noun, **(v.)** verb, **(adj.)** adjective, **(adv.)** adverb

adjective (n.)

Notes 

a word that describes a noun or pronoun

brave (adj.)

feeling or showing no fear; not afraid

breeze (n.)

a light wind



collage (n.)

a work of art created by attaching different materials to a surface

comma (n.)

a punctuation mark that is used to separate words or groups of words in a sentence

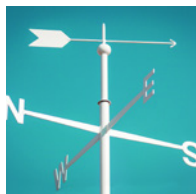
composition (n.)

in a work of art, how an artist organizes all the elements of art

Notes

direction (n.)

where something points or the path something takes when moving



electricity (n.)

a form of energy that flows through wires and is used to operate machines, appliances, lights, computers, and other technology



energy (n.)

the ability of something, such as heat, electricity, light, or wind, to cause change



gale (n.)

a very strong wind



gentle (adj.)

not hard or forceful



Notes

gust (n.)

a brief, sudden, strong wind



harness (v.)

to use something for a purpose



independent (adj.)

not requiring or relying on other people
for help or support

magic (n.)

a power that seems difficult or impossible to explain

powerful (adj.)

having or producing a lot of physical strength or force

renewable (adj.)

able to be replaced naturally

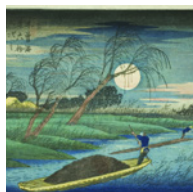


Notes **sail**

1. (n.) a strong, large piece of cloth attached to a ship or boat that catches the wind and helps the ship or boat move across the water
2. (v.) to travel on water in a ship or boat

**strength (n.)**

1. the quality of being physically strong
2. the quality that allows someone to deal with problems in a determined way



turbine (n.)

a machine that produces power through blades that spin by the force of moving water or air



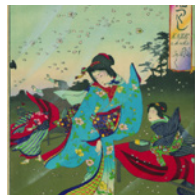
wild (adj.)

uncontrolled or dangerous



wind (n.)

a natural movement of air



Notes

windmill (n.)

a structure with parts that, when turned by the force of the wind, provide power for pumping water, grinding grain, or making electricity





1 | Module 4

World Tales

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Module 4 | Parts of Speech Key: **(n.)** noun, **(v.)** verb, **(adj.)** adjective, **(adv.)** adverb

adventure (n.)

an exciting or dangerous experience



Notes 

anxious (adj.)

afraid or nervous, especially about what may happen



assist (v.)

to give support or help



calm

1. (v.) to become or to cause someone to become less angry, upset, or excited
2. (adj.) not angry, upset, or excited



clever (adj.)

intelligent and able to learn things quickly



Notes

diversity (n.)

the quality of having
many types



endless (adj.)

having no end

helper (n.)

someone who helps
another person with a job
or task



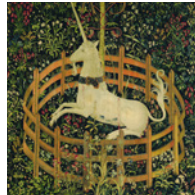
hero (n.)

a person who is admired for great or brave acts



inspire (v.)

to make (someone) want to do something; to give (someone) an idea about what to do or create



medium (n.)

the material an artist uses to create a work of art

Notes

motivation (n.)

a force or influence that causes someone to do something

panic (v.)

to be overcome with extreme fear

physical map

a map that shows natural features of the land

political map

a map that shows countries and other features created by people

quality (n.)

a characteristic or feature that someone or something has

reptile (n.)

a scaly animal that has cold blood and lays eggs

Notes

scour (v.)

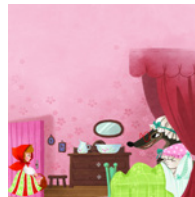
to clean something by rubbing it hard
with a rough object

tenacious (adj.)

not easily stopped

trait (n.)

a quality that makes one
person or thing different
from another



trust (v.)

to believe that someone or something is reliable, good, and honest

versions (n.)

things that are a little bit different from each other, but that have some similarities

villain (n.)

a character whose actions are harmful or bad

