

Fun with New Words

Dear Family,

During the week of _____, your child will be studying the meanings of the following words. As students learn the words in this vocabulary program, they will become better at expressing themselves in speech and writing. Please try to use these words as often as you can during the week. Thank you for your help.

texture

The texture of something is the way it feels when you touch it.

Ask your child to describe the texture of their clothing as they get dressed.

consistent

Things that are consistent act, happen, or look about the same each time.

Challenge your child to show you how consistently they can do their homework.

jaunt

A jaunt is a short trip that you go on for fun.

Help your child plan a simple jaunt (to the park, for example) for the upcoming weekend.

extravaganza

If something is an extravaganza, it is extremely fantastic and amazing.

Ask your child to draw a picture of something that is an extravaganza.



Teacher

expedition

If you go on an expedition, you take an important trip to reach a particular goal.

Ask your child to make a list of things they'd need for an expedition to Antarctica.

amiable

If you are amiable, you are friendly and people like being around you.

Challenge your child to show you how amiable they can be for a day.

indomitable

Someone who is indomitable never gives up or admits defeat.

Ask your child to complete a task indomitably.

vivacious

If you are vivacious, you are lively and exciting.

Ask your child to think of some vivacious people they know. Are they fun to be around?