



Vocabulary Instruction

Year 3

| | Monday Root Word | Tuesday Tier 2 Vocabulary | Wednesday Retrieval – Root Word | Thursday Retrieval – Tier 2 Vocabulary | Friday Quiz |
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| Week 1 | acro – top, height e.g. acrobat, acronym, acropolis | achieve affect | | | |
| Week 2 | act/ag – do e.g. action, agent, agitate | aid alter | | | |
| Week 3 | acu – sharp e.g. accurate, acupuncture, acute | appearance area | | | |
| Week 4 | aero – air e.g. aerial, aeronaut, aerospace | attached audience | | | |
| Week 5 | ali/alter – other e.g. alias, alien, alter | basic capable | acro – top, height e.g. acrobat, acronym, acropolis | achieve affect | |
| Week 6 | ambi – both ambidextrous, ambiguous, ambivalent | collapse combine | act/ag – do e.g. action, agent, agitate | aid alter | |
| Week 7 | anni/annu – year e.g. anniversary, annual, annually | comment common | acu – sharp e.g. accurate, acupuncture, acute | appearance area | |
| Week 8 | anti – opposite e.g. antibiotic, anticlockwise, antisocial | compare conclusion | aero – air e.g. aerial, aeronaut, aerospace | attached audience | |
| Week 9 | aqu – water e.g. aquarium, aquatic, aqueduct | consequences constant | ali/alter – other e.g. alias, alien, alter | basic capable | |

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| Week 10 | astro – star e.g. asterisk, astronaut, astronomer | contact control | ambi – both ambidextrous, ambiguous, ambivalent | collapse combine | |
| Week 11 | aud – hear e.g. audible, audience, audio | cooperation core | anni/annu – year e.g. anniversary, annual, annually | comment common | |
| Week 12 | auto – self e.g. autograph, automatic, automobile | create cycle | anti – opposite e.g. antibiotic, anticlockwise, antisocial | compare conclusion | |
| Week 13 | bi – two, twice e.g. bicycle, binoculars, biped | diversity draft | aqu – water e.g. aquarium, aquatic, aqueduct | consequences constant | |
| Week 14 | bibl – book e.g. bible, bibliography, bibliophile | enable energy | asto – star e.g. asterisk, astronaut, astronomer | contact control | |
| Week 15 | bio – life e.g. biography, biology, biosphere | entire equipment | aud – hear e.g. audible, audience, audio | cooperation core | |
| Week 16 | capt/cept – hold, take e.g. captive, intercept, receipt | error examine | auto – self e.g. autograph, automatic, automobile | create cycle | |
| Week 17 | carn – flesh e.g. carnal, carnivore, incarnate | example exchange | bi – two, twice e.g. bicycle, binoculars, biped | diversity draft | |
| Week 18 | cent – hundred e.g. centimetre, centipede, century | exhibit expert | bibl – book e.g. bible, bibliography, bibliophile | enable energy | |
| Week 19 | cert – sure e.g. ascertain, certain, certificate | external extract | bio – life e.g. biography, biology, biosphere | entire equipment | |
| Week 20 | chrono – time e.g. chronic, chronological, chronometer | final frequent | capt/cept – hold, take e.g. captive, intercept, receipt | error examine | |
| Week 21 | cide/cise – cut, kill e.g. excise, homicide, incisor | goals identical | carn – flesh e.g. carnal, carnivore, incarnate | example exchange | |
| Week 22 | circ – ring e.g. circle, circuit, circus | ignored image | cent – hundred e.g. centimetre, centipede, century | exhibit expert | |

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| Week 23 | claim/clam – speak out clamour, exclamation, proclamation | individual insert | cert – sure e.g. ascertain, certain, certificate | external extract | |
| Week 24 | clar – clear e.g. clarify, clarity, declare | intelligence label | chrono – time e.g. chronic, chronological, chronometer | final frequent | |
| Week 25 | cline – lean e.g. inclination, incline, recline | layer location | cide/cise – cut, kill e.g. excise, homicide, incisor | goals identical | |
| Week 26 | clud/clus – close e.g. conclude, exclude, seclude | method object | circ – ring e.g. circle, circuit, circus | ignored image | |
| Week 27 | co – together e.g. co-author, coexist, cooperatre | odd popular | claim/clam – speak out clamour, exclamation, proclamation | individual insert | |
| Week 28 | cogn – know e.g. cognition, incognito, recognise | positive prohibited | clar – clear e.g. clarify, clarity, declare | intelligence label | |
| Week 29 | com – together e.g. community, communicate, composition | pursue recognise | cline – lean e.g. inclination, incline, recline | layer location | |
| Week 30 | con – with e.g. concur, contemporary, convention | release restore | clud/clus – close e.g. conclude, exclude, seclude | method object | |
| Week 31 | contra – against e.g. contradict, contrary, controversy | reverse rigid | co – together e.g. co-author, coexist, cooperatre | odd popular | |
| Week 32 | corp – body e.g. corporal, corporation, corpse | shift survive | cogn – know e.g. cognition, incognito, recognise | positive prohibited | |
| Week 33 | cosm – universe e.g. cosmic, cosmos, microcosm | symbol target | com – together e.g. community, communicate, composition | pursue recognise | |
| Week 34 | cred – belief e.g. credit, credulous, incredible | unique visible | con – with e.g. concur, contemporary, convention | release restore | |

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Year 4

| | Monday Root Word | Tuesday Tier 2 Vocabulary | Wednesday Retrieval – Root Word | Thursday Retrieval – Tier 2 Vocabulary | Friday Quiz |
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| Week 1 | cycl – circle e.g. bicycle, cyclone, tricycle | abandon accompany | contra – against e.g. contradict, contrary, controversy | reverse rigid | |
| Week 2 | de – reduce e.g. debug, decelerate, dethrone | accurate acquire | corp – body e.g. corporal, corporation, corpse | shift survive | |
| Week 3 | dec – ten e.g. decade, decathlon, December | advantage announce | cosm – universe e.g. cosmic, cosmos, microcosm | symbol target | |
| Week 4 | demo – people e.g. democracy, demonstrate, epidemic | annual approach | cred – belief e.g. credit, credulous, incredible | unique visible | |
| Week 5 | dent – teeth e.g. dentist, dentures, trident | appropriate attract | cycl – circle e.g. bicycle, cyclone, tricycle | abandon accompany | |
| Week 6 | dia – through/across e.g. diagonal, diagram, diameter | aware brief | de – reduce e.g. debug, decelerate, dethrone | accurate acquire | |
| Week 7 | dcit – speak e.g. contradict, dictionary, prediction | cease component | dec – ten e.g. decade, decathlon, December | advantage announce | |
| Week 8 | dis – away e.g. disagree, disappear, disqualify | consider converted | demo – people e.g. democracy, demonstrate, epidemic | annual approach | |
| Week 9 | domin – master e.g. dominate, domineering, dominion | convinced couple | dent – teeth e.g. dentist, dentures, trident | appropriate attract | |
| Week 10 | don – give e.g. donate, donor, pardon | crucial debate | dia – through/across e.g. diagonal, diagram, diameter | aware brief | |
| Week 11 | du – two e.g. duet, duo, duplicate | definite deny | dcit – speak e.g. contradict, dictionary, prediction | cease component | |
| Week 12 | dur – last e.g. durable, duration, endure | detect display | dis – away e.g. disagree, disappear, disqualify | consider converted | |

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| Week 13 | equ – equal e.g. equal, equanimity, equidistant | document efficient | domin – master e.g. dominate, domineering, dominion | convinced couple | |
| Week 14 | ex – out e.g. exclude, exclaim, exhale | ensure estimate | don – give e.g. donate, donor, pardon | crucial debate | |
| Week 15 | extr – beyond e.g. extraordinary, extra- terrestrial, extrovert | exceed flexibility | du – two e.g. duet, duo, duplicate | definite deny | |
| Week 16 | fer – carry e.g. ferry, refer, transfer | initial instruction | dur – last e.g. durable, duration, endure | detect display | |
| Week 17 | fid – faith e.g. confide, confident, fidelity | internal link | equ – equal e.g. equal, equanimity, equidistant | document efficient | |
| Week 18 | flect/flex – bend e.g. flexible, inflect, reflect | major maximum | ex – out e.g. exclude, exclaim, exhale | ensure estimate | |
| Week 19 | fore – in front of e.g. forebode, forecast, forefather | minimum obtained | extr – beyond e.g. extraordinary, extra- terrestrial, extrovert | exceed flexibility | |
| Week 20 | form – shape e.g. deform, reform, uniform | obvious possession | fer – carry e.g. ferry, refer, transfer | initial instruction | |
| Week 21 | fig – run away e.g. fugitive, refuge, refugee | predicted previous | fid – faith e.g. confide, confident, fidelity | internal link | |
| Week 22 | gen – birth e.g. generate, genesis, genetic | prior public | flect/flex – bend e.g. flexible, inflect, reflect | major maximum | |
| Week 23 | geo – earth geography, geology, geometry | recovery rejected | fore – in front of e.g. forebode, forecast, forefather | minimum obtained | |
| Week 24 | gon – angle e.g. diagonal, hexagon, polygon | research select | form – shape e.g. deform, reform, uniform | obvious possession | |
| Week 25 | graph – writing e.g. autograph, biography, graphics | sequence stability | fig – run away e.g. fugitive, refuge, refugee | predicted previous | |
| Week 26 | herb – plant e.g. herbal, herbicide, herbivore | structure suitable | gen – birth e.g. generate, genesis, genetic | prior public | |
| Week 27 | hexa – six e.g. hexagon, hexameter, hexapod | supply support | geo – earth geography, geology, geometry | recovery rejected | |

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| Week 28 | hydro – water e.g. dehydrate, hydrate, hydrogen | technology text | gon – angle e.g. diagonal, hexagon, polygon | research select | |
| Week 29 | im/im/in/ir – not, without e.g. illegal, impossible, inappropriate, irrational | typical united | graph – writing e.g. autograph, biography, graphics | sequence stability | |
| Week 30 | inter – between e.g. intercept, international, intersection | evidence option | herb – plant e.g. herbal, herbicide, herbivore | structure suitable | |
| Week 31 | ject – throw e.g. eject, project, reject | excluded market | hexa – six e.g. hexagon, hexameter, hexapod | supply support | |
| Week 32 | jud – law e.g. judicial, judge, prejudice | removed site | hydro – water e.g. dehydrate, hydrate, hydrogen | technology text | |
| Week 33 | kilo – thousand e.g. kilogram, kilometre, kilowatt | similar temporary | im/im/in/ir – not, without e.g. illegal, impossible, inappropriate, irrational | typical united | |
| Week 34 | lab – work e.g. collaborate, laboratory, labour | transform volume | inter – between e.g. intercept, international, intersection | evidence option | |

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Year 5

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| Week 1 | liber – free e.g. liberal, liberate, liberty | abstract ethical phase | ject – throw e.g. eject, project, reject | excluded market | |
| Week 2 | loc – place e.g. location, dislocate, relocate | absolutely evaluation phenomenon | jud – law e.g. judicial, judge, prejudice | removed site | |
| Week 3 | log – word e.g. analogy, catalogue, dialogue | access eventually philosophy | kilo – thousand e.g. kilogram, kilometre, kilowatt | similar temporary | |
| Week 4 | lun – moon e.g. lunacy, lunar, lunatic | adaptation evolution physical | lab – work e.g. collaborate, laboratory, labour | transform volume | |
| Week 5 | magna – great e.g. magnitude, magnify, magnate | alternative exist political | liber – free e.g. liberal, liberate, liberty | abstract ethical phase | |
| Week 6 | mal – bad e.g. malfunction, malicious, malnourished | analysis expansion potential | loc – place e.g. location, dislocate, relocate | absolutely evaluation phenomenon | |
| Week 7 | mand – order e.g. command, demand, mandatory | anticipate experience precise | log – word e.g. analogy, catalogue, dialogue | access eventually philosophy | |
| Week 8 | mar – sea e.g. marine, maritime, submarine | appreciation exploitation principle | lun – moon e.g. lunacy, lunar, lunatic | adaptation evolution physical | |
| Week 9 | mater – mother e.g. maternal, maternity, matriarch | assessment factor priority | magna – great e.g. magnitude, magnify, magnate | alternative exist political | |
| Week 10 | max – greatest e.g. maximal, maximise, maximum | association familiar procedure | mal – bad e.g. malfunction, malicious, malnourished | analysis expansion potential | |

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| Week 11 | medi – middle e.g. medieval, mediocre, medium | assume features process | mand – order e.g. command, demand, mandatory | anticipate experience precise | |
| Week 12 | memor – remember e.g. memory, commemorate, memorial | atmosphere file propose | mar – sea e.g. marine, maritime, submarine | appreciation exploitation principle | |
| Week 13 | micro – very small e.g. microbe, microscope, microchip | attained focus prospect | mater – mother e.g. maternal, maternity, matriarch | assessment factor priority | |
| Week 14 | mid – middle e.g. mid-air, midday, midriff | attitudes format published | max – greatest e.g. maximal, maximise, maximum | association familiar procedure | |
| Week 15 | milli – thousandth e.g. millimetre, millilitre, millipede | authority foundation random | medi – middle e.g. medieval, mediocre, medium | assume features process | |
| Week 16 | mini – small e.g. miniature, minimum, minuscule | automatic framework reaction | memor – remember e.g. memory, commemorate, memorial | atmosphere file propose | |
| Week 17 | mis – wrong e.g. misbehave, misprint, mistake | available generated refine | micro – very small e.g. microbe, microscope, microchip | attained focus prospect | |
| Week 18 | mono – one e.g. monochrome, monologue, monotheism | benefit global region | mid – middle e.g. mid-air, midday, midriff | attitudes format published | |
| Week 19 | mort – death e.g. immortal, mortal, mortician | bond government related | milli – thousandth e.g. millimetre, millilitre, millipede | authority foundation random | |
| Week 20 | nat – birth e.g. innate, nativity, natural | budget guarantee reluctant | mini – small e.g. miniature, minimum, minuscule | automatic framework reaction | |
| Week 21 | neg – no e.g. negative, renege, negate | category hierarchy represent | mis – wrong e.g. misbehave, misprint, mistake | available generated refine | |
| Week 22 | nom – name e.g. denominator, nominate, nomination | channel highlighted required | mono – one e.g. monochrome, monologue, monotheism | benefit global region | |

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| Week 23 | non – not e.g. nondescript, nonfiction, nonsense | circumstances identified reserve | mort – death e.g. immortal, mortal, mortician | bond government related | |
| Week 24 | nov – new e.g. innovate, novelty, novice | civil impact resources | nat – birth e.g. innate, nativity, natural | budget guarantee reluctant | |
| Week 25 | numer – number enumerate, numerator, numerous | clarity imposed response | neg – no e.g. negative, renege, negate | category hierarchy represent | |
| Week 26 | oct – eight e.g. octagon, octogenarian, octopus | code incident retained | nom – name e.g. denominator, nominate, nomination | channel highlighted required | |
| Week 27 | omni – all e.g. omnipotent, omniscient, omnivore | commit indicate revealed | non – not e.g. nondescript, nonfiction, nonsense | circumstances identified reserve | |
| Week 28 | para – beside parachute, parallel, parasite | communication inferred revision | nov – new e.g. innovate, novelty, novice | civil impact resources | |
| Week 29 | path – feeling e.g. antipathy, empathy, sympathy | community influence revolution | numer – number enumerate, numerator, numerous | clarity imposed response | |
| Week 30 | ped – foot e.g. pedal, pedestal, pedestrian | complex innovation role | oct – eight e.g. octagon, octogenarian, octopus | code incident retained | |
| Week 31 | pel – force e.g. compel, expel, repel | conceived input route | omni – all e.g. omnipotent, omniscient, omnivore | commit indicate revealed | |
| Week 32 | penta – five e.g. pentagon, pentagram, pentathlon | concept insight schedule | para – beside parachute, parallel, parasite | communication inferred revision | |
| Week 33 | per – throughout e.g. perennial, permanent, persist | condition intensity scheme | path – feeling e.g. antipathy, empathy, sympathy | community influence revolution | |
| Week 34 | phon – sound e.g. cacophony, microphone, telephone | confirmed intention section | ped – foot e.g. pedal, pedestal, pedestrian | complex innovation role | |

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| | Monday Root Word | Tuesday Tier 2 Vocabulary | Wednesday Retrieval – Root Word | Thursday Retrieval – Tier 2 Vocabulary | Friday Quiz |
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| Week 1 | photo – light e.g. photogenic, photograph, photon | confined interaction security | pel – force e.g. compel, expel, repel | conceived input route | |
| Week 2 | poli – city e.g. metropolis, police, politics | conflict international sensitive | penta – five e.g. pentagon, pentagram, pentathlon | concept insight schedule | |
| Week 3 | poly – many e.g. polygon, polymer, polytheism | conscious investigate separate | per – throughout e.g. perennial, permanent, persist | condition intensity scheme | |
| Week 4 | pop – people e.g. populace, popular, population | consistent involved series | phon – sound e.g. cacophony, microphone, telephone | confirmed intention section | |
| Week 5 | port – carry e.g. export, import, portable | construction isolated severe | photo – light e.g. photogenic, photograph, photon | confined interaction security | |
| Week 6 | pos – put e.g. expose, deposit, dispose | context issues signal | poli – city e.g. metropolis, police, politics | conflict international sensitive | |
| Week 7 | post – after e.g. posthumous, postpone, postscript | contract justification significant | poly – many e.g. polygon, polymer, polytheism | conscious investigate separate | |
| Week 8 | pre – before e.g. preclude, prediction, prepare | contrast limit society | pop – people e.g. populace, popular, population | consistent involved series | |
| Week 9 | pro – before e.g. prognosis, prologue, prophet | contribution literature solely | port – carry e.g. export, import, portable | construction isolated severe | |
| Week 10 | pul – urge e.g. compulsion, expulsion, impulsive | control logic source | pos – put e.g. expose, deposit, dispose | context issues signal | |

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| Week 11 | quad – four e.g. quad bike, quadrilateral, quadruped | controversial maintain specific | post – after e.g. posthumous, postpone, postscript | contract justification significant | |
| Week 12 | quart – fourth e.g. quart, quarter, quartet | cultural media standard | pre – before e.g. preclude, prediction, prepare | contrast limit society | |
| Week 13 | re – again e.g. reaction, rebound, rewind | data medium strategies | pro – before e.g. prognosis, prologue, prophet | contribution literature solely | |
| Week 14 | reg – rule e.g. regal, regent, regulate | decline mental style | pul – urge e.g. compulsion, expulsion, impulsive | control logic source | |
| Week 15 | rupt – break e.g. bankrupt, corrupt, interrupt | definition migration subsequent | quad – four e.g. quad bike, quadrilateral, quadruped | controversial maintain specific | |
| Week 16 | scend – climb e.g. ascend, crescendo, descend | demonstrate military substitution | quart – fourth e.g. quart, quarter, quartet | cultural media standard | |
| Week 17 | sci – know e.g. conscience, conscious, science | design monitoring sufficient | re – again e.g. reaction, rebound, rewind | data medium strategies | |
| Week 18 | scope – see e.g. microscope, periscope, telescope | despite motivation summary | reg – rule e.g. regal, regent, regulate | decline mental style | |
| Week 19 | scribe/script – write e.g. describe, inscribe, script | develop national sustainable | rupt – break e.g. bankrupt, corrupt, interrupt | definition migration subsequent | |
| Week 20 | sect – cut e.g. bisect, dissect, section | device necessary system | scend – climb e.g. ascend, crescendo, descend | demonstrate military substitution | |
| Week 21 | sed-sid – sit e.g. preside, sedentary, sediment | dimension negotiation technique | sci – know e.g. conscience, conscious, science | design monitoring sufficient | |
| Week 22 | semi – half semicircle, semicolon, semi-final | discrimination neutral tension | scope – see e.g. microscope, periscope, telescope | despite motivation summary | |

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| Week 23 | serv – keep e.g. conserve, preserve, reserve | distorted nevertheless theme | scribe/script – write e.g. describe, inscribe, script | develop national sustainable | |
| Week 24 | sol – alone e.g. desolate, solitary, solo | distribute nonetheless theory | sect – cut e.g. bisect, dissect, section | device necessary system | |
| Week 25 | spec – look e.g. inspect, spectacle, spectator | dominant objective traditional | sed-sid – sit e.g. preside, sedentary, sediment | dimension negotiation technique | |
| Week 26 | sta – stand e.g. stable, stagnant, stationary | duration occur transfer | semi – half semicircle, semicolon, semi-final | discrimination neutral tension | |
| Week 27 | struct – build e.g. construct, destruction, structure sub – below e.g. submarine, submerge, substandard | economy organise transport | serv – keep e.g. conserve, preserve, reserve | distorted nevertheless theme | |
| Week 28 | super – higher e.g. superior, supernatural, supersonic tact – contact, touch e.g. intact, tactile | eliminate outcomes transition | sol – alone e.g. desolate, solitary, solo | distribute nonetheless theory | |
| Week 29 | tele – far e.g. telephone, telescope, television terr – land e.g. extra-terrestrial, terrain, territory | emerged overall trend | spec – look e.g. inspect, spectacle, spectator | dominant objective traditional | |
| Week 30 | tract – pull e.g. contract, retract, tractor trans – across e.g. transfer, transparent, transport | emphasis overcome trigger | sta – stand e.g. stable, stagnant, stationary | duration occur transfer | |

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| Week 31 | <p>tri – three e.g. triangle, tricycle, tripod</p> <p>un – not e.g. undone, unfair, unfriendly</p> | <p>encounter overseas underlying</p> | <p>struct – build e.g. construct, destruction, structure</p> <p>sub – below e.g. submarine, submerge, substandard</p> | <p>economy organise transport</p> | |
| Week 32 | <p>uni – one e.g. unicycle, unison, universe</p> <p>vac – empty e.g. evacuate, vacant, vacuum</p> | <p>enhanced period variation</p> | <p>super – higher e.g. superior, supernatural, supersonic</p> <p>tact – contact, touch e.g. intact, tactile</p> | <p>eliminate outcomes transition</p> | |
| Week 33 | <p>ver – truth e.g. aver, verdict, verify</p> <p>verb – word e.g. adverb, proverb, verbal</p> | <p>environment persistent visual</p> | <p>tele – far e.g. telephone, telescope, television</p> <p>terr – land e.g. extra-terrestrial, terrain, territory</p> | <p>emerged overall trend</p> | |
| Week 34 | <p>vers/vert – turn e.g. extrovert, introvert, reverse</p> <p>vid – see e.g. evidence, provide, video</p> | <p>establish perspective voluntary</p> | <p>tract – pull e.g. contract, retract, tractor</p> <p>trans – across e.g. transfer, transparent, transport</p> | <p>emphasis overcome trigger</p> | |

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