

What to do today

IMPORTANT Parent or Carer – Read this page with your child and check that you are happy with what they have to do and any weblinks or use of internet.

1. Read a dictionary entry

- Read *Dictionary Entry*.
- Use different colours to show the different parts as indicated.
- Look at the *Revision Card*. Why does the word 'Fast' have two versions?

2. Find out about some words

- Read the words on *Word Grid*.
- Use a dictionary or the dictionary website to work out what they can mean.
<https://kids.britannica.com/kids/browse/dictionary>
- The words in blue might belong to more than one word class.
- Choose three words and make dictionary entries for them, using the *Template*.

3. Write some sentences

- Write sentences that use the words from the *Word Grid*.
- Challenge yourself to write a crazy story that uses all these words at least once!

Well done! Now show a grown-up your story. Talk to them about the meanings of the words from the Word Grid.

Try these Fun-Time Extra

- Can you find five new words in the dictionary that you don't think anyone in your house will know.
- Learn to spell them, learn what they mean and then impress the people you live with!

Dictionary Entry

plumber noun

A person whose job is to fit and repair things such as water pipes, toilets, etc.

*I think we'll have to call the **plumber** to fix that tap.*

wooden adjective

To be made of wood.

*The karts were **wooden**.*

fast adverb

To move quickly.

*She drove **fast** in her kart.*

fast adjective

Moving or capable of moving at high speed.

*He won as he had a **fast** bike while my car was too slow.*

Use different colours to show these parts of each entry:

- The word
- The word class
- A definition
- An example sentence

The first has been done for you.

Make a key to show what your colours mean.

Revision Card – Word Classes

Multiple word classes

Look at how Mario and Luigi are using the word 'click'.



I heard a loud
click.

noun

verb

I will **click** my
fingers loudly.



Are they the same word class?

No! One is a verb and the other is a noun.

Multiple word classes

What about the word 'hard'?



This is a super
hard piece of
cheese!

adjective

I find swimming
very **hard** to do.

adverb



Are they the same word class?

No! One is an adverb and the other is an adjective.

Word grid

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| spikey | plumber | difficult | kick |
| slowly | jump | run | fast |
| bumpy | track | kart | trick |
| hard | level | race | aggressively |
| high | skid | helmet | wooden |

Dictionary definitions template

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Word Grid Writing

*Write sentences that use some of the words from the Word Grid OR
Challenge yourself to write a crazy story that includes all of them.*



A large rectangular writing area with a decorative orange and black zigzag border. The interior is divided into 20 horizontal lines for writing.