
Vocab Set #5

— Today is Monday January 13th —
Test Date: This Friday!

Words this cycle...

7th grade words	Curriculum Words	Homophones
1. Neglect	6. Bias	11. Patience
2. Persevere	7. Cohesion	12. Patients
3. Companion	8. Thesis	13. Billed
4. Abandon	9. Generalization	14. Build
5. Mourn	10. Expository Writing	15. Roll
		16. Role

7th grade words

1. Neglect (verb) - to ignore, or to fail to take care of/give attention to something

ex: When you neglect to water your plants, they can die.

2. Persevere (verb) - to keep working at or persist at what you do through hard times

ex: She persevered during her run, even when it felt like she wouldn't reach the finish line.

3. Companion (noun) - a person to spend time with, a partner

ex: Leo was my studying companion, we helped each other for tests.

4. Abandon (verb) - to give up completely or to desert

ex: We abandoned the house when we found mold in it.

5. Mourn (verb) - to feel or express sadness

ex: Sally was mourning after her hamster had died.

Curriculum Words

6. Bias- a tendency to believe that some people, ideas, etc., are better than others

EX: He showed a bias toward a few workers

7. Cohesion (in writing)- a condition in which people or things are closely united and fit together

EX: A cohesive piece of writing is easy to read, and follow.

8. Thesis- a statement that someone wants to discuss or prove

EX: The author needed new evidence to support their thesis.

9. Generalization- the act or process of forming opinions that are based on a small amount of information

EX: Tabloids typically make generalizations about celebrity lives based on 1 photograph.

10. Expository Writing- writing that is used to explain, describe, give information or inform. Especially assuming that the reader has prior knowledge or prior understanding of the topic that is being discussed.

EX: I wrote about Hurricane Katrina for my expository essay.

Homophones

10. Patience (noun)- the ability to wait for a long time without becoming annoyed or upset

ex: "I am losing my patience waiting for you to finish working."

11. Patients (noun)- a person that receives medical care

ex: Dr. Bran had a patient with the flu, and needed medicine.

12. Billed (noun)- being asked to pay for goods or services

ex: I get billed for my monthly magazine subscription.

13. Build (verb)- to make something by putting pieces together

ex: IKEA makes you build your own table.

14. Roll (verb)- to move in a smooth, continuous way

ex: I watched the car roll to a stop at the red light.

15. Role (noun)- the part that someone plays in a relationship, or society.

ex: She had an important role designing the bridge.