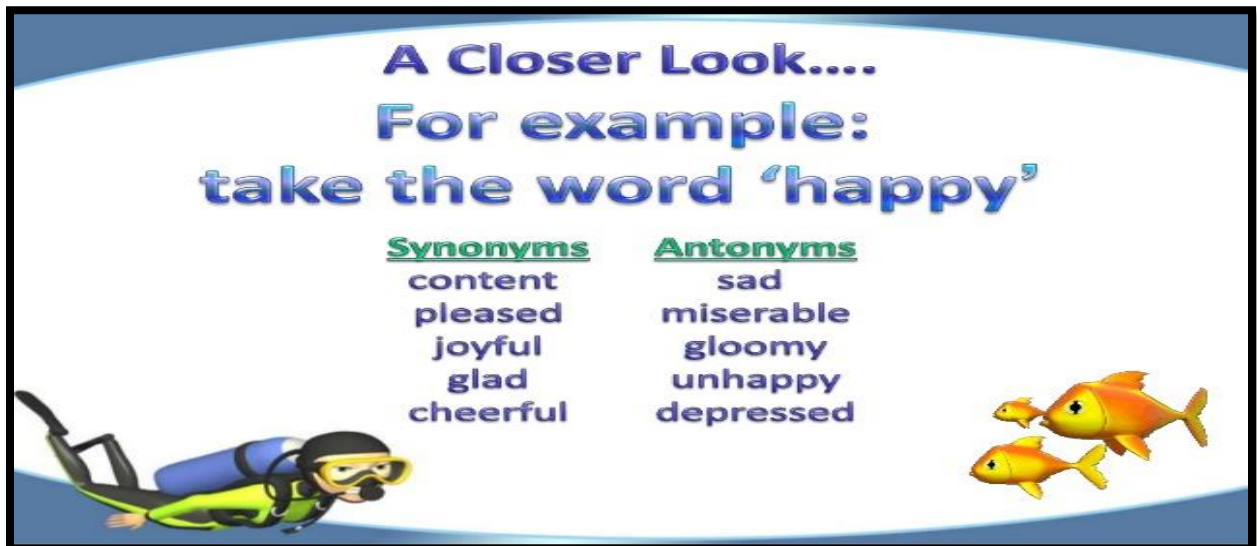
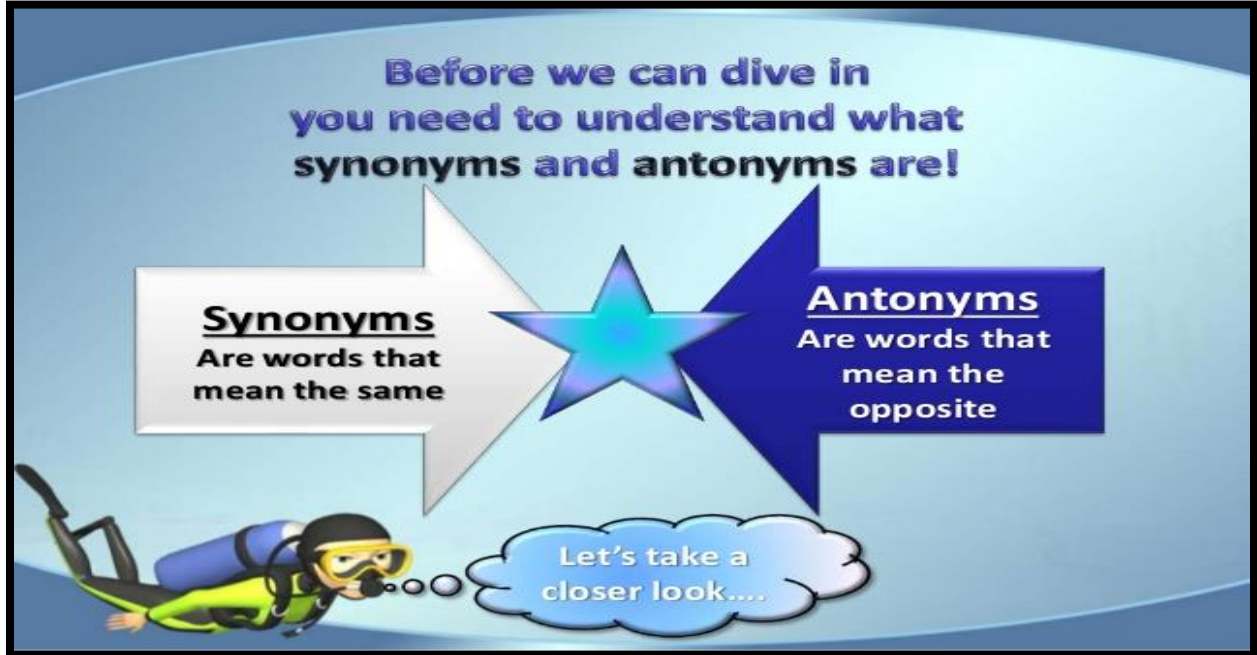

VOCABULARY:

Synonyms, Antonyms And One Word Substitute



WHAT IS A SYNONYM?

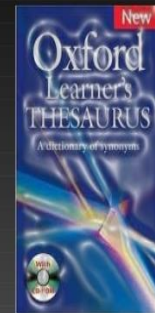
A **SYNONYM** is a word that has the **same** or **almost the same** meaning as another word.

EXAMPLES:

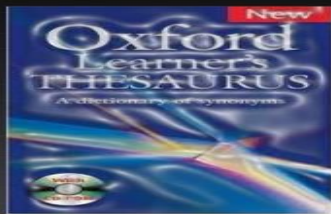
big- large
cold-chilly

ANOTHER RESOURCE
to find a synonyms for evening

THE THESAURUS!



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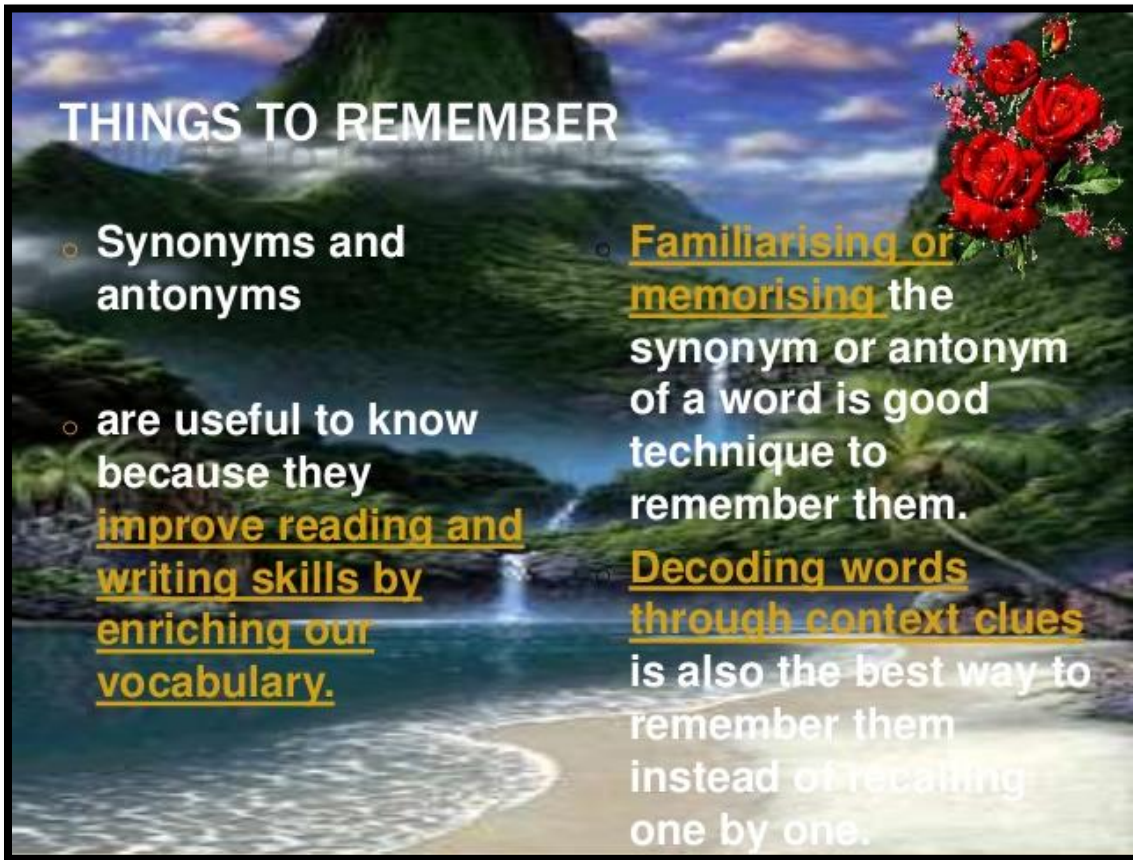
A thesaurus
is a **book of**
synonyms,
which makes
it a perfect
resource for
finding
synonyms!

What is an antonym?

An **antonym** is a word that means the **opposite** of another word.

EXAMPLES:

happy-sad
hot-cold



Synonyms And Antonyms

TICK with suitable synonym from the options:

1. The engine has been subjected to exhaustive tests.
a) Complicated b) thorough c) exclusive d) compulsory
2. We must prevent the proliferation of nuclear weapons.
a) Complicated b) increase c) expansion d) extension
3. I told him that he was a very erudite person.
a) Boring b) pleasant c) learned d) demanding
4. He didn't unearth his secret to the last.
a) Suppress b) dig c) disclose d) simplify
5. They are carrying a charade of negotiations with the government.
a) Series b) charter c) pretence d) serious
6. He gave her his pristine white handkerchief.

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- a) Pure b) position c) primary d) priestly
7. Researchers say they have made a major **breakthrough** in cancer treatment .
- a) Advancement b) setback c) discovery d) improvement
8. The play loses **momentum** towards the end .
- a) Encouragement b) interest c) energy d) drive
9. Kamal is a **renowned** actor.
- a) Important b) famous c) notorious d) interesting
10. One should take necessary steps to **accomplish** one's goal
- a) Perform b) complete c) perfect d) achieve
11. Akbar is known for his **fortitude**.
- a) Audacity b) cunning c) timidity d) courage
12. He made a **cogent** argument at the meeting
- a) Powerful b) logical c) appealing d) convincing
13. The incident **blemished** his reputation .
- a) Fix b) mend c) darken d) spoil
14. The waiter was **chastised** for forgetting the customer's order.
- a) Criticized b) punished c) pardon d) spare
15. He was selfish and **callous** man.
- a) Hard b) heartless c) humane d) kind
16. The article was full of lies and **defamation**.
- a) False information b) truth c) confidential information d) improper
17. The job requires manual **dexterity**.
- a) Cleverness b) skill c) easily movable d) finesse
18. She spoke with **eloquence** on the need of better society .
- a) Poetry b) oratory c) finery of speech d) inability
19. I'm not **gullible** enough to believe what you say.
- a) Easy b) fooled c) cheated d) wide eyed
20. His **pragmatic** opinion of public education comes from his long experience.
- a) Logical view b) busy c) practical d) realistic
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21. He was kind but **eccentric** man .
a) Crazy b) strange c) hilarious d) abnormal
22. They gave all their children **fanciful** name
a) Foolish b) fantastic c) imaginative d) unreal
23. She was always **scrupulous** about her work
a) Careful b) honest c) immoral d) dishonest
24. He was **conscientious** about following doctor's orders
a) Very careful b) immoral c) dishonorable d) honest
25. Please donate **magnanimously** for orphanage
a) Gallant b) noble c) huge d) degenerate
26. The rules are made to be **enforced**..
a) replied b) applied c) supplied d) engraved
27. The post master looked at me **suspiciously**..
a) carefully b) doubtfully c) affectionately d) untruthfully
28. Lakshmibai is the most famous Indian woman to have **defied** the British.
a) opposed b) accepted c) considered d) jopined
29. Michael is bored with his daily **Chores**..
a) plans b) obstacles c) lessons d) tasks
30. Mary felt **elated** and decided to give her best.
a) sorrow b) victorious c) happy d) happy and excited
31. We should always try to maintain and promote communal **amity**..
a) bondage b) peace c) hatred d) understanding
32. He was told to take his shoes off of the **couch**..
a) chair b) stool c) sofa d) seat
33. He was **dismayed** when he saw the smoke coming out from under the hood of his car.
a) confused b) scared c) worried d) frightened
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34. They lived an **austere** life in the village
a) simple b) harsh c) strict d) lavish
35. She wrote **indignant** letter to the letter.
a) anger b) fearless c) delighted d) pleased

TICK with suitable ANTONYM from the options:

1. Rainfall is more **abundant** this year .
a) minimal b) plentiful c) generous d) bare
2. They watched the ballons slowly **ascend** the sky.
a) arise b) awake c) lift d) descend
3. He received a medal for **bravery**.
a) best b) finery c) cowardice d) bold
4. The prisoners were released from **captivity** .
a) liberty b) prison c) refuge d) arrest
5. The camera has many **attractive** features.
a) appealing b) fascinating c) repulsive d) revolting
6. My **acquaintance** with that person saved me from a danger which would have killed me.
a) Friendship b) information c) enmity d) knowledge
7. The invaded forces were **annihilated** by Our Army.
a) destroy b) suppress c) support d) extinguish
8. His **benevolence** made it possible for many poor boys to attend college.
a) kindness b) charity c) humanity d) inhumanity
9. That is the ship that was **crippled** in a storm in 1987.
a) disable b) impair c) ease d) weaken
10. A surface is made of **coarse** material.
a) unpolished b) indelicate c) rude d) elegant
11. He works long hours every day to the **detrimental** of his health.
a) adverse b) damaging c) beneficial d) destructive
12. It is only because of his **invincible** determination, he succeeded.
a) inseperable b) indestructible c) powerless d) defenceless
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13. He took voluntary retirement at the **zenith** of his career.
a) apex b) peak c) pinnacle d) nadir
14. The army **consolidated** its position.
a) raised b) injured c) weakened d) degraded
15. His pain **worsened** day by day.
a) infected b) lessened c) aggravated d) increased
16. He took **voluntary** retirement.
a) compulsory b) essential c) necessary d) natural
17. He has **elegant** manners.
a) crude b) primitive c) uncivilized d) indecent
18. Make a **prudent** use of time.
a) foolish b) poor c) proper d) unwise
19. This is a **barbarous** act.
a) civilized b) inhuman c) savage d) cruel
20. The result of DNA fingerprinting finally **exonerated** the man.
a) clear b) acquitted c) freed d) arrested
21. Medicines are given to **mitigate** the patients' pain.
a) ease b) help c) relieve d) aggravate
22. The soldiers couldn't **impede** the enemy advances.
a) assist b) hold back c) interfere d) stop
23. We were **reluctant to** go the party.
a) hesitant b) inclined c) unwilling d) willing
24. Destiny plays a **crucial** role in one's life .
a) deciding b) meaningful c) trivial d) general .
25. The movie is full of **obscure** reference, we didn't understand.
a) mysterious b) unclear c) clear d) confusion.
26. These photos give **ever lasting** memories .
a) temporary b) permanent c) eternal d) changing
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ONE WORD SUBSTITUTE

1. A place where horses kept – stable
 2. One who leaves his own country to settle in another- emigrant
 3. One who does something for pleasure but not as profession – amateur
 4. A person who says one thing and does another – hypocrite
 5. One who looks at the brighter side of life- optimist
 6. One who looks at the negative side of life- pessimist
 7. One who works for the betterment of the underprivileged people through money – philanthropist
 8. A person who helps someone to do wrong or a crime is called – accomplice
 9. Never making a mistake – infallible
 10. One who spends lavishly- spendthrift
 11. Something that cannot be ignored –inevitable
 12. A remedy for all diseases – panacea
 13. One who abstain himself from alcoholic drinks and other harmful drugs –
Tee-totaler
 14. One who has long experience in a particular field- veteran
 15. One who has noble ideas- idealist
 16. Impossible to forget- indelible
 17. Longing for past – nostalgia
 18. Remove completely- obliterate
 19. One who believes in peace- pacifist
 20. One who gets pleasure hurting someone – sadist.
 21. One, who considers the happiness and well-being of others first – Altruist
 22. A person appointed by two parties to solve a dispute- Arbitrator
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23. A critical judge/expert of any art and craft - Connoisseur
 24. One, who offers one's services - Volunteer
 25. One who is all powerful - Omnipotent
 26. Literary theft or passing off an author's original work as one's own - Plagiarism
 27. One who is present all over - Omnipresent
 28. One, who is devoted to the pleasure of eating and drinking - Epicure
 29. One who easily believes others - Credulous
 30. Mysterious personality - Enigma
 31. One with unlimited power –autocrat
 32. One who knows everything – omniscient
 33. A speech delivered without previous preparation - Extempore
 34. One who loves mankind – Philanthropist
 35. A book published after the death of the author- Posthumous
 36. One who knows many languages –Polyglot
 37. One who looks at the dark side of the things in life- Pessimist
 38. One who looks at the dark brighter side of the things in life- Optimist
 39. A person who lives above 100 years – centenarian
 40. A book lover –Bibliophile
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