





Multiple Meaning Words

Flashcards

 <h1>ear</h1>	<p>the organ of hearing in people and some other animals</p> <p><i>We hear with our ears.</i></p>
 <h1>ear</h1>	<p>sense of hearing</p> <p><i>When her shouts reached our ears, we ran in the direction of the sound.</i></p>
 <h1>ear</h1>	<p>an ability to hear sounds clearly and accurately</p> <p><i>She plays the piano by ear.</i></p>
 <h1>ear</h1>	<p>the part of the corn plant and certain other plants that bears seeds</p> <p><i>Most sweet corn varieties will have one to two ears per plant.</i></p>

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 <h1>fan</h1>	<p>a device that is waved back and forth with the hand to cool the face or body</p> <p><i>I brought back a beautiful fan from my trip to Japan.</i></p> 
 <h1>fan</h1>	<p>A machine that makes air move by means of spinning blades, usually driven by an electric motor.</p> <p><i>It was hot, so I turned on the fan.</i></p> 
 <h1>fan</h1>	<p>to stir or move with or as with a fan</p> <p><i>He fanned himself with a newspaper while he waited for the bus.</i></p> 
 <h1>fan</h1>	<p>a person who is very interested in a sport or a performing art, or in a person who does that activity</p> <p><i>I am a big fan of tennis.</i></p> 

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fence



a structure used to mark off an area or to keep animals or people in or out

There's a fence around my house.



fence



to place a fence around (often followed by "in," "off," or "out")

They fenced off the playground to keep the kids safe from nearby traffic.



fence



to take part in the sport of fencing

The two competitors fenced well in the match.



fork



a tool with a handle and two or more points. Small forks are used for eating. Large forks are used for digging and pitching hay.

Dad mashed the potatoes with a large fork.



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 <h1>fork</h1>	<p>the point where something divides into two or more branches, or one of the branches</p> <p><i>There's a fork in the road. Do we go to the left or the right?</i></p> 
 <h1>fork</h1>	<p>to pierce, dig, lift, or carry with a fork</p> <p><i>He forked the meat from the grill to the plate.</i></p> 
 <h1>fork</h1>	<p>to separate into branches</p> <p><i>See how the river forks over there.</i></p> 
 <h1>game</h1>	<p>something done for fun or amusement; play</p> <p><i>It's all fun and games around here today.</i></p> 

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 <h1>game</h1>	<p>a form of play or sport having certain rules and equipment for play</p> <p><i>We played a baseball game yesterday.</i></p> 
 <h1>game</h1>	<p>wild animals hunted for sport or food</p> <p><i>The men went to the forest to hunt game.</i></p> 
 <h1>game</h1>	<p>daring in spirit; brave</p> <p><i>Are you game enough to take part in some rock climbing?</i></p> 
 <h1>game</h1>	<p>(informal) ready or willing to take part in</p> <p><i>Are you game for another round of chess?</i></p> 

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handle



the part of an object made to be held in order to lift, move, or hold the object

Use the handles when you pick up that box.



handle



to deal with; manage

The new teacher handles his students really well.



handle



to touch or examine with the hands

Handle the fruit carefully or it will bruise.



handle











to behave or operate in a certain way when used

This motorbike handles very smoothly.



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<h1>head</h1> 	<p>the upper part of the human body, or the front or upper part of the body of an animal, typically separated from the rest of the body by a neck</p> <p><i>I shook my head.</i></p> 
<h1>head</h1> 	<p>mind; intellect; understanding</p> <p><i>She has a good head for numbers.</i></p> 
<h1>head</h1> 	<p>a position of leadership or authority, or the person in such a position</p> <p><i>She is the head of the company.</i></p> 
<h1>head</h1> 	<p>the part of anything regarded as the top or most prominent part</p> <p><i>He hit the nail on the head.</i></p> 

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 <h1>head</h1>	<p>one person or animal of a group, especially when they are being counted</p> <p><i>She counted fifty head as the bus left the parking lot for the class field trip.</i></p> 
 <h1>head</h1>	<p>the side of a coin that shows the main design</p> <p><i>President Lincoln is on the head of a penny.</i></p> 
 <h1>head</h1>	<p>of the highest rank or position; superior; leading; primary</p> <p><i>He is the head chef.</i></p> 
 <h1>head</h1>	<p>to be the director or head of; lead</p> <p><i>She heads the children's Christmas play.</i></p> 

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<h1>head</h1> 	<p>to have the lead or top position or status</p> <p><i>Chocolate heads our list of popular ice cream flavors.</i></p> 
<h1>head</h1> 	<p>to move toward a certain goal or in a certain direction</p> <p><i>We're heading out. Are you coming?</i></p> 
<h1>jerk</h1> 	<p>any sudden, sharp movement that is not expected or planned</p> <p><i>She woke from her bad dream with a jerk.</i></p> 
<h1>jerk</h1> 	<p>a sudden, sharp pull or twist</p> <p><i>The car started with a jerk.</i></p> 


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 <h1>jerk</h1>	<p>(slang) a person who is thought of as stupid or difficult to get along with</p> <p><i>When he pushed me, I called him a jerk.</i></p> 
 <h1>jerk</h1>	<p>to pull or twist suddenly; yank</p> <p><i>She gave the rope a quick jerk and it came lose.</i></p> 
 <h1>jerk</h1>	<p>to make a sudden movement that is not expected or planned</p> <p><i>He jerked when the needle poked him.</i></p> 
 <h1>kid</h1>	<p>a young goat</p> <p><i>Look at that goat with her two kids.</i></p> 






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 <h1>kid</h1>	<p>(informal) a child or young person</p> <p><i>Did you kids have a good day at school?</i></p> 
 <h1>kid</h1>	<p>(informal) to joke or tease</p> <p><i>Would I kid you about something this important?</i></p> 
 <h1>kid</h1>	<p>(informal) to tell a lie to or fool</p> <p><i>Tell me you were kidding when you say you went to the store all by yourself.</i></p> 
 <h1>kind</h1>	<p>helpful; friendly; good</p> <p><i>You are so kind to help me out this afternoon.</i></p> 

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 <h1>kind</h1>	<p>showing understanding or sympathy</p> <p><i>Her mom's kind words made her feel better.</i></p> 
 <h1>kind</h1>	<p>a group of things, people, or animals that are thought of together because of like characteristics</p> <p><i>We're two of a kind.</i></p> 
 <h1>kind</h1>	<p>type; sort</p> <p><i>What kind of boot is that?</i></p> 