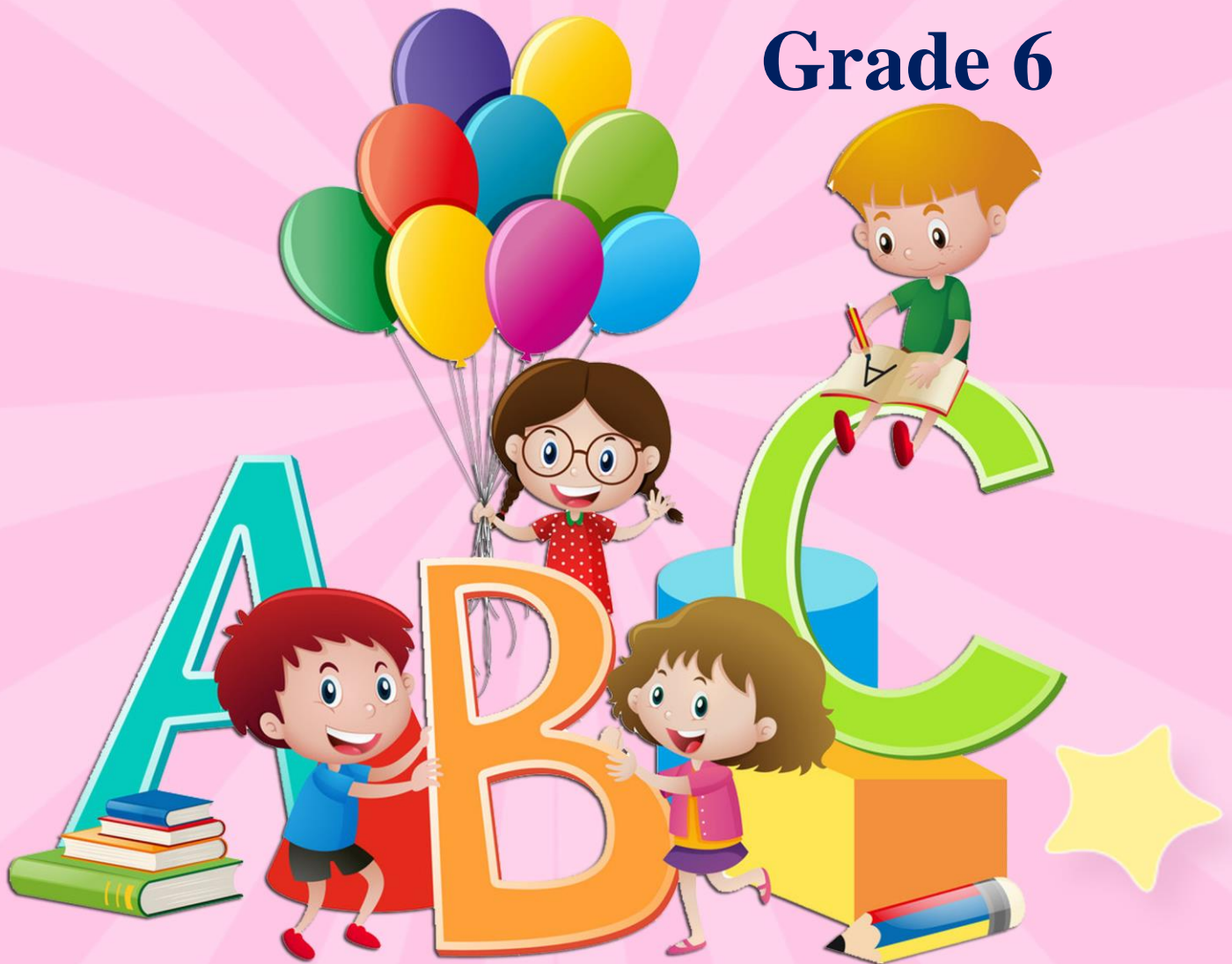




Self-Learning pack

Grade 6



## 11. Synonyms and Antonyms

Read the dialogue and study the words underlined.

Salesman: Good morning!

Amaya : Good morning! I want some balloons.

Salesman: O. K. come and see. Let's go inside. There are many balloons.

Amaya: Oh! Very nice ones. Big balloons, small balloons, beautiful balloons, colourful balloons.

Salesman: What colours do you like?

Amaya: I love pink, yellow, and blue. They are lovely.

Salesman: Here are some dark colour balloons.

Amaya: I dislike them. They are ugly. I need these large, light colour balloons.

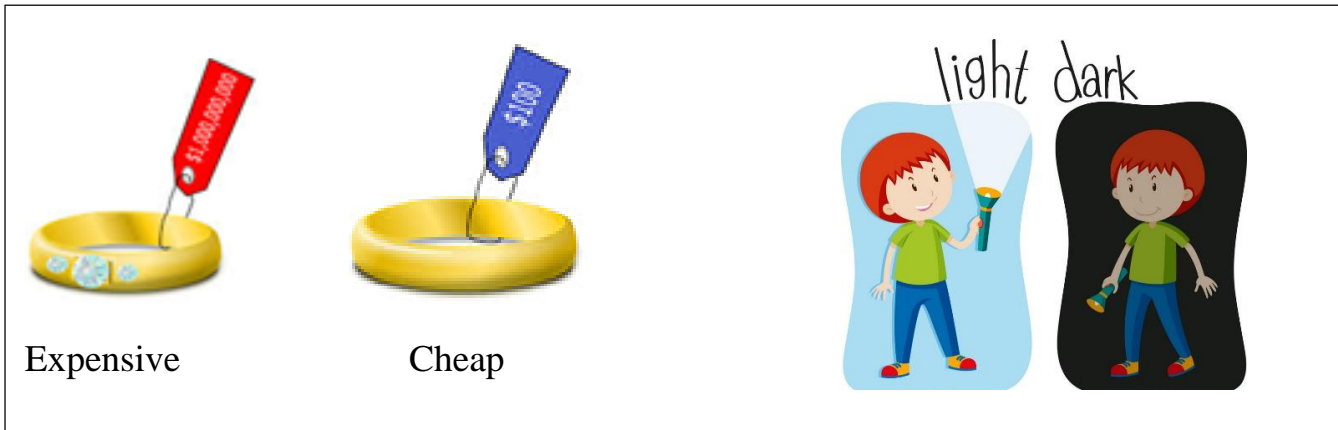
Salesman: They are expensive.

Amaya: oh! Are they costly. I will buy these cheap balloons then.

We find antonyms and synonyms in the above dialogues. They are underlined.

### Antonyms

			
big	small	dislike	like
			
come	go		



Can you read the words given with the pictures?

These are **antonyms or opposite** words.

Now **match the opposite words**.

Beautiful	Small
Cheap	Go
Big	Dislike
Light	Expensive
Like	Ugly
come	Dark

Look at these pictures.

Now let's learn synonyms or the similar words.

Synonyms



Nice flowers



Lovely flowers



I **love** my pet.



I **like** my pet.



**Big** house



**Large** house



It's **expensive**.



It's **costly**.

Complete the table using the synonyms (similar words).

Big	
	Expensive
love	
	Nice



Now do these activities.

Match the antonyms.

Fat tall rich

Sad hot good

Bottom clean

Bad cold thin

Short poor top

Happy dirty

Ex. fat-thin

1.....

5.....

2.....

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3.....

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4.....

Match the synonyms.

Start tiny end hard shut

Beautiful glad fast

Close difficult finish begin

Small quick happy pretty

Ex. Hard-difficult

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Now you know about synonym. It is a word similar in meaning to another.



Example

My mother is *happy*.

My mother is *joyful*.

**Now do the following activity .Find the synonym for the word underlined from the box.**

1. Radha has a little puppy.
2. It is a hard work for the child.
3. There is a large house in the garden.
4. She has a pretty puppy.
5. There are tiny fish in the tank.

Little, difficult, big,  
beautiful, small

As you know antonym is a word opposite in meaning to another word.

**Follow the example and do the activity.**

Lions are brave , but rabbits are timid.



**Select the correct antonym for the word underlined.**

- (a). Old man is slow but the young man is -----
- (b) Elephant is big but the dog is-----
- (c) Train is long but the bus is -----
- (d) The daytime is bright but the night is-----
- (e) The caterpillar is ugly but the butterfly is -----

Dark, fast, small,  
beautiful, short