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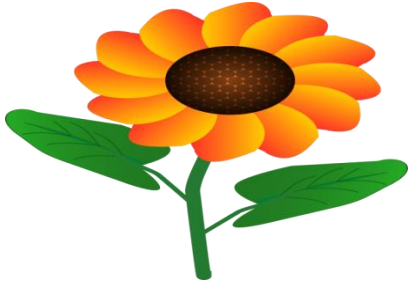
Self-Learning pack

Grade 6



9. Synonyms

Synonyms = similar words



This flower is *beautiful*.

Describe this flower using the similar words given below.

Pretty Nice Attractive

Now, can you tell a similar word for hot?



Warm

This cup of tea is **hot**

Synonyms are words with the same or similar meaning.

You can use many **synonyms** to make your writing interesting.

So, synonyms for beautiful are pretty, nice, attractive

‘Warm’ is a synonym for ‘hot’.

Can you think of *synonyms* for these words? Select and underline the correct one.



close the door.

(Open, shut, touch)



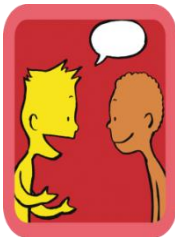
tiny bird

(small, colourful, big)



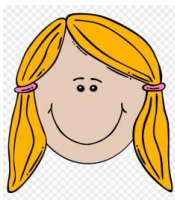
large elephant

(tiny, small, huge)



people talk

(speak, laugh, walk)



she is happy.

(pretty, sad, glad)



pretty lady

(woman, man, child)



Read the list of synonyms carefully. Learn them. Answer the questions given below.

begin	- start	glad	- happy
end	- finish	help	- assist
arrive	- come	reply	- answer
difficult	- hard	fast	- quick

1. Write a similar word (*synonym*) in the place of the underlined word.

Eg.
 We have to reply with a synonym.
 We have to answer with a synonym.

1. The sports meet begins at 1.30 pm.

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2. The questions were so hard.

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3. Competitors end the race now.

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4. Many school vans come to our village every morning.

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5. We are glad to come back to school.

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6. Teacher will assist us to do the task.

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2. Select and underline the synonym given in the same column (similar word) for the words given at the top. The first one is done for you.

1. Large	2. Quick	3. Small	4. Garbage	5. delicious	6. amazing
a. small	a. slow	a. huge	a. fertilizer	a. sour	a. surprising
b. wide	b. fast	b. tiny	b. sand	b. tasty	b. fearful
c. <u>big</u>	c. trip	c. big	c. soil	c. bitter	c. angry
d. slim	d. duck	d. pretty	d. waste	d. biscuit	d. sweet



3. Now rewrite these sentences replacing the similar word.

E.g.

We saw amazing things in the forest.

We saw surprising things in the forest.

1. The food in the café was delicious.

2. The big trees provide shelter to people.

3. The train is very fast.

4. A tiny fish in the tank.

5. Don't put garbage here.

3. Fill in the blanks replacing the similar words from the list.

Last Saturday we walked to a flower garden with our teacher. We started (1. began) our journey at 6.30 am. We saw many beautiful (2.....) flowers and big (3.....) trees. We sat under a tree and ate some tasty (4.....) food teacher gave us. We walked many hours. But it was not a hard (5.....) task. Because we were so glad (6.....) to be there with our teacher. We arrived (7.....) home at 5.00 pm.

(came, began, delicious, large, difficult, pretty, happy)