

The King and The Sage

calf

►noun

- The young baby of a cow, e.g. *The new calf was born.*



half

►adjective

- One of two equal parts of a whole, e.g. *I took half the cake; He gave me half the apple.*



salmon

►noun

- A large fish that lives in both freshwater rivers and the ocean, e.g. *The fisherman caught a large salmon; The salmon were swimming in the river;*



often

►adverb

- Many times, frequently, e.g. *He visits his parents as often as he can; Do you often visit Vrindavan? He is often late.*

soften

►verb

- To make soft (not hard), e.g. *Use this oil to soften your hair.*



fasten

►adjective

- To attach safely and tightly, e.g. *She fastened her seatbelt; Please fasten the bags onto the roof of the car with this rope.*



listen

►verb [listen, listening, listened]

- To give attention with the ear, to try to hear, e.g. *She listened to the class; Please listen carefully to what I am saying.*

moisten

►verb

- To make slightly wet or damp, e.g. *She moistened her lips by licking them.*



castle

►noun

- An old palace where a king or queen lives, e.g. *He went to visit the castle.*

whistle

►verb [whistle, whistling, whistled]

- To make a clear musical sound by blowing air through the lips, *e.g. He whistled the tune of 'Govindam Adi Purusam'.*

►noun

- An object that is blown to make a loud sound, *e.g. The guard blew the whistle to keep the crowd moving; In sports, the coach blows a whistle at the beginning of the match.*



Christmas

►noun

- The biggest festival of the Christian church. It celebrates the birth of Jesus on the 25th December, *e.g. We have a holiday for Christmas Day.*



chestnut

►noun

- The round nut that comes from a chestnut tree, similar to peanuts but sweeter, *e.g. The chestnuts fell from the tree.*



debt ('b' is silent, rhymes with 'pet')

►noun

- Something that is owed after borrowing, *e.g. She had a debt of 50 rupees to the shop; I do not want to borrow money because I don't like to be in debt; We should try to repay our debt to Krishna by spreading His holy name.*

subtle

►adjective

- Fine, or delicate in meaning, not obvious, *e.g. The taste of milk is very subtle, it does not have a strong taste; As well as our gross bodies, we also have subtle bodies.*

wednesday

►noun

- The fourth day of the week, following Tuesday, *e.g. Every Wednesday they had a dance class; Are you free on Wednesday?*

handsome

►adjective

- Attractive (for men), *e.g. He looked handsome in the suit; Sri Krishna is the most handsome; I want to marry a handsome man.*



handkerchief

►noun

- A small piece of cloth used for wiping one's nose, eyes, face etc, *e.g. He blew his nose on the handkerchief.*

scene ('c' is silent. Sounds the same as 'seen')

►noun

1. The place where some action or event occurs, *e.g. He returned to the scene of the crime.*
2. One part of a drama, *e.g. This drama has 4 scenes; This is scene 1.*



scissors ('c' is silent)

►noun

- A cutting instrument for paper, cloth etc, *e.g. She used the scissors to cut the string.*



raspberry

►noun

- A small red berry, *e.g. She made a raspberry pie; Do you like raspberry jam?*

gnome ('g' is silent)

►noun

- A magical figure from stories considered to be lucky, *e.g. He had a gnome in his garden.*



gnat ('g' is silent)

►noun

- A small fly, *e.g. There were gnats in her room; If you go near the river, the gnats will bite you.*



gnaw ('g' is silent)

►verb [gnaw, gnawing, gnawed]

- To bite or chew on for a long time, *e.g. The dog gnawed the shoe.*



gnarl ('g' is silent)

►adjective

- A twist on a tree branch, *e.g. The tree was old and gnarled*



Fruit	Vegetables	Grains

column

►noun

1. A vertical row or list, *e.g. This table has three columns and four rows.*
2. A pole used to support a building, *e.g. Narashringa Dev came out of a column.*



honest

►adjective

- Someone who doesn't tell lies or steal, *e.g. She is an honest person; We don't like dishonest people; Sri Ram showed us how to be honest, because he went to the forest so that his father would be able to keep his promise.*

hour

►noun

- A period of time equal to 60 minutes, *e.g. He slept for an hour.*

rhyme

►noun

- Words that have the same ending, *e.g. Cat rhymes with bat; Can you think of any words that rhyme with hour? (sour)*



rhythm

►noun

- The beat of a song or poem, *e.g. He was moving his body to the rhythm of the music.*

wrap

►verb [wrap, wrapping, wrapped]

- To cover something, *e.g. He wrapped the Christmas gifts; Please wrap your books in plastic.*

wren

►noun

- A small songbird, *e.g. The wrens were sitting in the tree.*



write

►verb [write, writing, wrote, written]

- To use a pen or pencil to make letters, *e.g. Write your name on the board; Do you know how to write your name in English?*

whole

►adjective

- Total, complete, *e.g. The cake is not whole, one piece is missing; He ate the whole cake; Please put your whole-hearted effort into your studies.*



sword

►noun

- A weapon; a large knife with blades on both sides, *e.g. He lifted up the sword.*

answer

►noun

- A spoken or written reply or response to a question, *e.g. He answered the question.*



lamb ('b' is silent)

►noun

- A baby sheep, *e.g. The lambs were in the field.*

limb ('b' is silent)

►noun

- Legs and arms, *e.g. These are artificial limbs; All her limbs hurt from climbing up the mountain.*



comb ('b' is silent)

►noun

- A tool used for combing hair, *e.g.*

Could you please lend me your comb?

►verb [**comb, combing, combed**]

- To use a comb to untangle the hair, *e.g. She sat in the sun and combed the knots out of her hair; Could you please comb my hair for me?*



crumb ('b' is silent)

►noun

- A small piece of food, *e.g. The crumbs fell off the biscuits; Do not spill any crumbs on the floor, otherwise ants will come to eat them.*



thumb ('b' is silent)

►noun

- The short, fat finger on the hand, *e.g. He stuck his thumb up in agreement; I have a sore thumb.*



dump

►verb [dump, dumping, dumped]

- To drop or throw away, e.g. *Dump your rubbish in the rubbish bin; Dumping rubbish on the street is against the law.*

►noun

- A place where rubbish has collected, e.g. *The empty land behind my house has become a rubbish dump.*



numb ('b' is silent)

►verb [numb, numbing, numbed]

- Having no feeling, e.g. *Her fingers were numb from the cold; I fell asleep using my hand as a pillow and now it has become numb.*

climb ('b' is silent)

►verb [climb, climbing, climbed]

- To move upwards, e.g. *The electrician climbed up the ladder to fix the wires; Monkeys like to climb trees; I had to climb up five flights of stairs.*



island

►noun

- A piece of land completely surrounded by water, e.g. *She went to the Island by boat.*

autumn

►noun



- The season between summer and winter, *e.g. In Autumn, leaves fall off the trees.*



soldier

►noun

- A person who serves in an army, a person engaged in military service, *e.g. He was a soldier in the army.*



two

►noun/adjective

- A cardinal number, $1 + 1$, *e.g. There are two girls waiting at your door.*

heart

►noun

- The organ in our bodies that pumps blood, *e.g. If you put your head on the chest of your friend, you can hear the sound of her heart beating; His heart was beating quickly*

