

# Word of the Day

## Spring Term 2020

Week 11 - March 23rd 2020



### Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **faultless** Word Class (adjective)  
Pronunciation / Syllables (fault-less)

Definition: Something that is faultless is perfect and has no mistakes at all.

Gracie's test scores were **faultless**; every answer was correct.

Challenge: Use WOD in a sentence with a relative clause.

Synonym: perfect  
flawless

Antonym: faulty

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### Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **extricate** Word Class (verb)  
Pronunciation / Syllables (ex-tri-cate)

Definition: If you extricate yourself or another person from a difficult or serious situation, you free yourself or the other person from it.

Alison **extricated** herself from the group of unkind girls.

Challenge: Use WOD in a sentence with a relative clause.

Synonym: release  
remove

Antonym: entangle  
involve

Morphology  
Prefix:   
Suffix: -ed  
-s

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**Vocabulary Ninja**

### Grasshopper Word

Word of the Day: **elude** Word Class (verb)  
Pronunciation / Syllables (e-lude)

Definition: If you elude someone or something, you avoid them or escape from them.

The bank robber **eluded** the police officers.

Challenge: Use WOD with a prefix or suffix.

Synonym: evade  
avoid

Antonym:

Prefix:

Morphology

Suffix: -ed  
-ing

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**Vocabulary Ninja**

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# This Week's Words

**Grasshopper**

**rest**

**stare**

**weak**

**mild**

**angry**

**Shinobi**

**volatile**

**sashay**

**drizzle**

**shovel**

**jumble**

**Vocabulary Ninja**

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Word Class  
(verb / noun)

Pronunciation / Syllables

(rest)

**Definition:** If you rest or if you rest your body, you do not do anything active for a time.

Everyone needed a rest after finishing PE.

**Phrases:**

*I need to rest*

*rest and recharge*

*please rest*

*you need to rest*

**Challenge:**

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Morphology

**Synonym :**

relax  
pause  
stop

**Antonym :**

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(verb)

Pronunciation / Syllables

(*stare*)

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**Teddy stared at the birds through the window.**

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(adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables

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**Definition:**

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Carl was not strong enough, he was weak.

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*(mild)*

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(adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables

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Phrases:

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*very mild*

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warm

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(adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables

(*vol-a-tile*)

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Playtime was always a **volatile** situation.

**Phrases:**

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Fred's thoughts were **jumbled**; he was confused.

**Phrases:**

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**Morphology**

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