Letter F Vocabulary Words



with Definitions and Example Sentences

□ fad: a trend that is popular for a short time. "The toy was a fad."
$\hfill\Box$ fan: a device that cools the air. "The fan keeps the room cool."
$\hfill\Box$ fed: past tense of feed, to give food. "She fed the dog."
□ fib: a small lie. "It's dishonest to tell a fib."
□ fig: a type of sweet fruit. "She enjoyed eating a fig."
$\hfill\Box$ fin: the end part of a fish that helps it swim. "The fish uses its fin to move through
the water."
$\hfill\Box$ fit: to be the right size or shape. "The shoe will fit her foot."
$\hfill\Box$ fix: to repair something. "He will fix the broken toy."
$\hfill\Box$ fob: a small object attached to a keychain. "He has a fob for his keys."
□ fog: a low-lying cloud. "The morning fog was thick."
$\hfill\Box$ for: used to indicate the use of something. "A fork is used for eating."
□ fun: enjoyable or amusing. "Playing the game is a lot of fun."
□ fur: the hair on an animal. "The cat's fur is soft."

Simple Preschool Words
$\hfill\Box$ fade: to lose brightness or color. "The fabric will fade in the sun."
□ fail: to not succeed. "He did not fail; he tried his best."
□ face: the front part of the head. "She washed her face."
□ fall: to drop down. "Leaves fall from the tree."
$\hfill\square$ family: a group of related people. "His family includes many aunts, uncles, and
cousins."
□ fast: moving quickly. "The car goes fast."
□ feet: the plural of foot, the part of the body used for standing and walking. "Her
feet were cold in the water."



□ few: not many but more than one. "Only a few apples are left."
□ find: to discover by searching. "Can you find your toy?"
□ fire: a process of burning. "The fire is warm."
□ five: the number after four. "She is five years old."
□ flap: to move up and down. "The bird will flap its wings."
□ flip: to turn over quickly. "She will flip the page."
□ flower: a colorful part of a plant. "She picked a flower from the garden."
□ flow: to move along steadily and continuously. "The river will flow to the sea."
□ flu: short for influenza, a viral infection. "He caught the flu."
□ food: what people and animals eat. "She likes healthy food."
□ foot: the part of the body used for walking. "She hurt her foot."
□ fork: a tool for eating. "He eats with a fork."
□ forklift: a vehicle for lifting heavy things. "The forklift moved the boxes."
□ four: the number after three. "He has four apples."
□ free: not costing anything. 'The candy is free for children to take while
trick-or-treating."
□ freedom: the right to act, speak, or think as one wants. "We cherish our freedom."
□ freeze: to turn to ice. "Water will freeze at 0 degrees."
□ frown: to show unhappiness with your face. "People often frown when feeling sad."
□ fruit: the sweet, edible product of a tree or plant. "She eats fruit every day."
□ full: completely filled; containing all that can be held. "The glass is full of water."
Kindergarten Words
□ fair: even and balanced in treatment. "She plays fair with her friends."
\square fate: a power that is believed to control what happens in the future. "They
believed it was fate that they met."
\square fear: to be scared of something. "She has a fear of spiders."
□ feed: to give food to. "He feeds the cat every morning."
□ fell: past tense of fall, to drop down. "He fell off the swing."
$\hfill\Box$ feel: to examine something by touch; to experience a sensation of something. "I
feel like I may get a stomach ache."

\square fern: a type of green plant that has feathery leaves. "They saw ferns in the
forest."
$\hfill\square$ fest: a gathering or event with lots of fun activities. "They went to the food fest."
\square fife: a small, high-pitched flute. "The musician played the fife."
□ film: a movie. "We watched a film together."
\square flew: past tense of fly, to move through the air. "The bird flew away."
\Box flit: to move swiftly and lightly. "The butterfly flits from flower to flower."
\square flop: to fall or sit down heavily. "He'll flop down on the sofa when he gets home."
\square flub: to make a mistake. "I hope we don't flub our lines in the play."
$\hfill\Box$ foil: a very thin sheet of metal. "She wrapped the sandwich in foil."
\square fold: to bend something over on itself. "Please fold your clothing and put it
away."
□ fond: having a liking or affection for. "She is fond of chocolate."
$\hfill\square$ font: a specific size and style of text. "They chose a new font for the document."

Elementary Words

$\hfill\square$ facet: one side of something that's many-sided. "Every facet of the diamond
sparkled."
□ fang: a long pointed tooth. "The snake's fangs were venomous."
□ fauna: the animals of a particular region or period. "The fauna of Australia
includes kangaroos."
□ fathom: to understand after much thought. "It's hard to fathom the universe."
$\hfill\Box$ federation: a group of states with a central government. "The United States is a
federation."
$\hfill\square$ finesse: skillful handling of a situation. "She handled the negotiations with
finesse."
□ firework: a display of light or noise created by burning explosive or flammable
materials. "There are many fireworks shows for the 4th of July."
□ fish: a water-dwelling animal. "She saw a fish in the pond."
□ fitness: someone's state of health; the ability to do things with strength and
energy. "My grandma improves her fitness by going for walks every day."

$\hfill\Box$ flame: the visible part of a fire. "The flame was hot."
□ fluctuate: to change level, strength, or value frequently. "Prices fluctuate often."
\Box fortify: to strengthen or protect. "They fortify the castle to prevent attacks."
□ fraction: a part of a whole. "A half is a fraction."
$\hfill\Box$ friction: the resistance that one surface or object encounters when moving over
another. "There is friction between the two surfaces when rubbing them together."
□ friend: someone you like and enjoy being with. "I made a new friend."
\Box fry: to cook in hot oil. "We will fry the eggs."
\square fumble: to handle clumsily. "He fumbled with the keys."
□ funny: causing laughter. "The clown is funny."
\square futile: incapable of producing any result; ineffective. "Their efforts to unlock the
door were futile."
□ fuzzy: having a soft texture. "The teddy bear is fuzzy."

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□ falafel: deep-fried balls made from ground chickpeas. "They love eating falafel
with pita bread."
$\hfill\square$ farro: a grain with a nutty flavor often used in salads. "They added farro to their
salad."
$\hfill\Box$ feast: a large meal, typically a celebratory one. "They prepared a feast for the
wedding."
□ fennel: a crunchy, slightly sweet vegetable. "He roasted fennel with other vegeta-
bles."
$\hfill\Box$ feta: a type of crumbly, salty cheese. "She sprinkled feta on her salad."
□ flour: a powder made from ground grains. "You need flour to bake bread."
□ focaccia: a type of flat Italian bread. "They served focaccia with olive oil."
□ frappe: a frozen, frothy coffee drink. "She ordered a mocha frappe."
□ french fries: strips of potatoes fried in oil. "He ordered french fries at the restau-
rant."
□ frittata: an egg-based Italian dish similar to an omelet. "He cooked a spinach
frittata."



□ fruitcake: a cake made with candied or dried fruit. "Grandma makes a fruitcake
every Christmas."
□ fudge: a soft, sweet candy. "She made chocolate fudge."
□ fusilli: a type of spiral-shaped pasta. "She prefers fusilli for her pasta dishes."

Animal words
$\hfill\square$ falcon: a bird of prey known for its speed. "The falcon swooped down to catch its
prey."
□ fawn: a young deer. "The fawn followed its mother through the forest."
□ ferret: a small, furry pet with a long body and tail. "She adopted a playful ferret."
\square finch: a small bird, often colorful and sings well. "A finch was chirping in the
garden."
□ firefly: a beetle that glows in the dark. "Children love to chase fireflies at night."
□ flamingo: a pink bird known for standing on one of its two long legs. "The flamingo
waded in the water."
$\hfill\square$ flea: a small insect that feeds on animals. "The dog was itching because of a flea."
□ flies: insects with a pair of functional wings for flight. "Flies were buzzing around
the picnic."
□ flounder: a type of flatfish. "They caught a flounder while fishing."
$\hfill\square$ fowl: a term often used for birds, especially domesticated chickens. "The farm
raised several types of fowl."
□ fox: a small, wild animal known for its cunning. "A fox found a way to get through
the fence."
□ foxhound: a breed of dog known for its hunting abilities. "The foxhound was eager
for the hunt."
$\hfill\Box$ frog: a small, jumping amphibian. "The frog sat on the lily pad."
$\hfill\square$ frigatebird: a large seabird with long wings. "A frigatebird soared above the
ocean."



Object Words
$\hfill\square$ fabric: a material made by weaving, used for making clothes. "She chose a
beautiful fabric for her dress."
\square feather: the soft plumes covering birds. "The flamingo had pink feathers."
$\hfill\Box$ fence: a structure that encloses an area. "The fence kept the animals inside."
\Box fiddle: a string musical instrument. "He played the fiddle with great skill."
$\hfill\square$ file: a tool used to smooth or shape objects. "He used a file to smooth the edges
of the metal."
$\hfill\Box$ fidget: to move around restlessly. "Some children fidget in their chairs during
class."
\square fist: a person's hand when the fingers are curled towards the palm and held
there tightly. "He clenched his fist in anger."
$\hfill\square$ flag: a piece of cloth with a specific design. "The flag waved in the wind."
$\hfill\square$ flashlight: a portable device that emits light. "He used a flashlight during the
blackout."
$\hfill\square$ flip-flops: a type of open-toed footwear. "He wore flip-flops to the beach."
□ flock: a group of birds or some types of animals. "A flock of birds flew overhead."
$\hfill\square$ flute: a wind instrument made from a tube with holes along it that are stopped
by the fingers or keys. "She played a beautiful melody on the flute."
$\hfill\Box$ frame: a structure that surrounds or encloses something. "The picture was in a
beautiful frame."
$\hfill\square$ frock: a dress or outer garment worn by women and girls. "She wore a lovely
frock to the party."
$\hfill\square$ furnace: a device used to heat homes or buildings. "The furnace keeps the
house warm."
Places Words
☐ factory: a building or set of buildings where goods are manufactured or assem-

bled. "The factory produces cars."

 $\hfill\Box$ fairground: an outdoor area where a fair is held, often with rides and games.

"The fairground was filled with lights and laughter."

☐ farm: a place where food is grown and animals are raised. "They visited the farm to see the animals."
☐ ferry: a place where a ferry boat docks to transport people and vehicles across
water. "They took the ferry to cross the river."
$\hfill\Box$ field: a piece of open land for farming or recreation. "The kids played soccer in the
field."
☐ fire station: a building where firefighters and their equipment are housed. "The fire
station had an open day for the public."
$\hfill\Box$ fjord: a long, narrow arm of the sea or a lake with steep sides or cliffs, created by
glacial erosion. "The fjord in Norway was breathtaking."
$\hfill\square$ flea market: an outdoor market selling second-hand goods. "She found vintage
dresses at the flea market."
$\hfill\square$ footbridge: a narrow bridge for pedestrians. "The footbridge crosses over the
creek."
□ fortress: a large fortified place; a fort or group of forts. "The ancient fortress stood
atop the hill."
□ fountain: a structure that sends water into the air in a garden or city square. "They
made a wish at the fountain."
□ freeway: a wide road for fast-moving traffic. "The freeway was busy during rush
hour."

Nature and Environment Words

$\hfill\square$ fallow: land left unplanted to restore its health and nutrients. "The field was left
fallow for a season."
$\hfill\Box$ fen: a low and marshy or frequently flooded area of land. "They walked through
the fen near the river."
$\hfill\Box$ flora: the plant life of a particular region or period. "The flora of this area is incredi-
bly diverse."
$\hfill\Box$ foam: a mass of small bubbles formed in or on a liquid. "The ocean's waves
crashed into foam on the shore."

$\hfill\Box$ forest: a large area dominated by trees. "They went for a hike in the forest."
$\hfill\square$ fossil: the remains or impression of a prehistoric organism preserved in petrified
form. "They found a fossil on the hike."
$\hfill\Box$ frost: a thin layer of ice on a solid surface, which forms from the atmosphere.
"The frost on the window formed intricate patterns."
$\hfill\Box$ fungi: spore-producing organisms that feed on organic matter. "The fungi thrived
in the damp conditions of the forest."

Emotions and Traits
\square fabulous: amazing or fantastic. "She had a fabulous time at the party."
\square factual: based on facts. "His argument was factual and well-reasoned."
$\hfill\square$ faith: complete trust or confidence in someone or something. "She has faith in
her team's abilities."
□ faithful: loyal and steadfast. "His faithful dog never left his side."
\Box fallacy: a mistaken belief. "The notion that the moon is made of cheese is a falla-
cy."
□ fantastic: extraordinarily good. "They had a fantastic view of the lake."
□ fascinating: extremely interesting. "The lecture on ancient history was fascinat-
ing."
□ fashionable: characteristic of a current popular trend or style. "She wore a fash-
ionable hat."
$\hfill\square$ fastidious: very attentive to and concerned about accuracy and detail. "She was
fastidious about the research used in her report."
□ favorable: expressing approval. "The critic gave a favorable review of the movie."
□ favorite: The most preferred version of something. "Chocolate is his favorite
dessert."
□ fearful: feeling afraid. "The puppy was fearful of the loud fireworks."
$\hfill\square$ festive: of or relating to a festival. "The streets were festive during the holiday
season."
□ fervent: having or displaying a passionate intensity. "His fervent plea moved
everyone."



☐ fickle: changing frequently without a good reason. "His fickle nature made him unpredictable."
- □ fiery: having a passionate, quick-tempered nature. "Her fiery spirit was well-known."
☐ fine: of high quality. "This is a fine example of medieval pottery."
□ flexible: capable of bending easily without breaking. "Yoga makes your body more flexible."
☐ focused: paying particular attention to one specific thing. "She remained focused
on her goal."
□ forthright: straightforward and honest. "She was appreciated for her forthright manner."
☐ frank: open, honest, and direct in speech or writing. "He was frank about his opin-
ions."
☐ fretful: feeling or expressing distress or irritation. "The baby was fretful all night
during the storm."
□ friendly: kind and pleasant. "He was known for being friendly and kind."
□ frugal: to not spend much money. "Her frugal habits helped her save a lot of money."
□ furious: extremely angry. "She was furious when she found out the truth."
Action Words
□ falter: to start to lose strength. "His confidence faltered when he spoke in front of
the class."
$\hfill\square$ fend: to look after and provide for oneself. "She learned to fend for herself when
she moved into her own apartment."
□ fetch: to get and then bring back something. "He went to fetch a pail of water."
□ flinch: to make a quick movement as a reaction to a surprise. "She couldn't help
but flinch when the bird flew by her head."

 $\hfill\Box$ flourish: to grow or develop in a healthy or vigorous way. "The plants flourish in

the rich soil."

☐ fluster: to make someone nervous or confused. "She was flustered by the unex-
pected question."
$\hfill\Box$ forge: to create a relationship or new conditions with much effort. "They will
forge a strong friendship despite their differences."
$\hfill\square$ fracture: to crack or break something. "He fractured his arm during the game."