Letter P Vocabulary Words



with Definitions and Example Sentences

CVC Words
$\hfill \hfill \hfill$ pad: a piece of soft material used as a cushion. "She placed a pad on the hard
seat."
□ pal: a friend. "He went to the park with his pal."
□ pan: a metal container used for cooking. "She fried eggs in the pan."
$\hfill\square$ pat: to touch gently with a flat hand. "She gave the dog a pat on the head."
□ pet: an animal kept for companionship. "He has a pet cat."
$\hfill\Box$ pin: a small, thin piece of metal used for fastening. "She used a pin to hold the
fabric together."
$\hfill \hfill \hfill$ pit: a large hole in the ground. "They dug a pit for the campfire."
$\hfill\square$ pod: a long, thin part of some plants that contains seeds. "They picked peas from
the pod."
□ pot: a container used for cooking. "She cooked soup in the large pot."
□ pup: a young dog. "The pup played with a ball."
Simple Preschool Words
□ page: one side of a sheet of paper. "She read a page from her book."
$\hfill \Box$ pair: two things that are similar and meant to be used together. "She bought a
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□ pink: a color that is a lighter, pastel shade of red. "The kids played with a pink beach ball." □ pig: a farm animal with a snout and a curly tail. "The pig rolled in the mud."
Kindergarten Words
□ palace: a large and impressive home of a ruler or an important person. "The king
lived in a grand palace."
🗆 panic: a sudden feeling of fear that you cannot control. "She felt panic when she
lost her way."
□ parcel: a package or bundle of items. "The mailman delivered a parcel."
□ pardon: the action of forgiving or being forgiven. "He asked for a pardon."
□ parrot: a colorful bird known for its ability to mimic sounds. "The parrot said 'hello'
from its cage."
□ pastel: a soft and delicate shade of a color. "She painted the room pastel blue."
□ pebble: a small, smooth stone. "She collected a pebble from the beach."
□ pedal: a lever pressed by the foot in a machine. "He pushed the pedal on his
bike."
□ pirate: a person who robs or commits illegal acts at sea. "They dressed as a pirate
for Halloween."

Elementary Words

□ parade: a public procession celebrating a specia	l day or event. "They watched
the parade on Main Street."	

- \Box patient: able to accept or tolerate delays, problems, or suffering without becoming annoyed or anxious. "She was patient with the slow service."
- □ pattern: a repeated decorative design. "She liked the floral pattern on the dress."

□ perfect: having all the required or desirable elements, qualities, or characteris-
tics. "Her height made her perfect for organizing the tall shelves."
□ perform: to carry out an action or task. "He will perform in the school play."
$\hfill\Box$ photograph: a picture made using a camera. "She took a photograph of the
sunset."
$\hfill\Box$ picnic: an outing or occasion that involves taking a packed meal to be eaten
outdoors. "They went for a picnic in the park."
$\hfill\Box$ polite: showing good manners towards others. "He was polite to everyone he
met."

Food words
□ pancake: a thin, flat cake that's often eaten for breakfast. "She made pancakes
with blueberries in them."
□ papaya: a tropical fruit with orange flesh. "He enjoyed a slice of papaya."
$\hfill\square$ pasta: a food originally from Italy made from durum wheat and water that comes
in various shapes. "They had pasta with vegetables for dinner."
□ peach: a round, juicy fruit with fuzzy skin. "She ate a peach for snack."
□ peanut: a plant with seeds that are often roasted and eaten. "He spread peanut
butter on his toast."
$\hfill \Box$ pear: a sweet fruit with a thin skin and soft flesh. "She packed a pear in her
lunch."
$\hfill\Box$ pepper: a vegetable that can be spicy. "He added fresh sliced pepper to his
salad."
$\hfill\Box$ pie: a baked dish of fruit or meat and vegetables, typically with a top and base of
pastry. "They baked an apple pie."
□ pineapple: a large tropical fruit with rough, spiky skin and a sweet yellow interior.
"She cut the pineapple into cubes for dessert."
□pizza: a dough topped with sauce, cheese, and variety of vegetables and meat.
"The children enjoyed eating pizza at the birthday party."

 $\hfill\Box$ plum: a small, round fruit with a smooth skin and sweet flesh. "He picked a plum

from the tree and ate it."

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Object Words

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 $\ \square$ palette: a board used by artists to mix colors. "She arranged the paints on her palette."

□ paperclip: a small piece of bent wire used to hold sheets of paper together. "He used a paperclip to keep his notes organized."

□ passport: a document issued by a country to a citizen allowing that person to travel to a different country. "She showed her passport at the airport."

$\hfill \square$ pillow: a soft cushion that supports the head during sleep. "He fluffed his pillow
before going to bed."
$\hfill\square$ poster: a large printed picture used for decoration or advertisement. "She hung a
movie poster on her wall."
\square puzzle: a game featuring a problem that's solved by using thought or rearranging
letters, words, or numbers, to find answers. "They worked together to complete the
puzzle."
$\hfill \square$ pyramid: a large structure with a square or triangular base and sloping sides that
meet in a point at the top. "They visited the ancient pyramid in Egypt."

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□ park: a large public green area in a town, used for recreation. "They walked their
dog in the park."
□ parkway: a wide road with a dividing strip of grass, trees, or flowers. "They drove
along the parkway."
$\hfill\square$ pier: a structure leading out from the shore into the water, used as a place for
ships to dock or people to walk. "They fished from the pier."
$\hfill\square$ plaza: an open area in towns or cities with shops, walkways, and plantings. "They
met at the plaza for coffee."
□ port: a town or city with a harbor where ships load or unload. "The port was busy
with cargo ships."
□ prairie: a large open area of grassland. "They saw bison on the prairie."

Nature and Environment Words

$\hfill\square$ peak: the pointed top of a mountain. "They climbed to the peak of the mountain."
$\hfill\Box$ pine: a type of tree that has needles instead of leaves and stays green all year
round. "They planted a pine tree in the backyard."
□ plateau: an area of high, flat land. "They hiked across the plateau."
$\hfill \Box$ pond: a small body of still water. "They fed the ducks at the pond."



Emotion and Trait Words

$\hfill \hfill$ peaceful: free from disturbance; tranquil. "The garden was a peaceful place to
relax."
□ persistent: continuing to try to do something even if it's difficult or others tell you
to stop. "She was persistent in her studies."
□ playful: fond of games and amusement; lighthearted. "The kitten was very play-
ful."
□ pleasant: giving a sense of happy satisfaction or enjoyment. "The weather was
pleasant."
□ proud: feeling satisfaction from an achievement. "She was proud of winning her
tennis match."
□ puzzled: unable to understand; perplexed. "He looked puzzled at the strange
instructions."

Action Words
$\hfill\square$ paint: to cover a surface with paint. "They decided to paint the fence."
$\hfill\square$ park: to bring a vehicle to a halt and leave it temporarily. "They will park the car
near the store."
$\hfill\square$ paste: to stick something to something else with glue. "She used glue to paste the
picture in her scrapbook."
□ pause: to stop temporarily. "She took a pause to catch her breath."
$\hfill\Box$ pick: to choose or select from a group. "She will pick a dress for the party."
$\hfill \square$ plant: to place a seed in the ground to grow. "They decided to plant flowers in the
garden."
$\hfill \square$ play: to engage in an activity for enjoyment. "The children went outside to play."