## **Letter V Vocabulary Words**

## with Definitions and Example Sentences



## **CVC Words**

- $\hfill\square$  van: a type of vehicle that's larger and used for transporting goods or people.
- "They loaded the van with supplies for their restaurant."
- $\ \square$  vat: a large container used for holding liquids. "The slime was mixed together in a large vat."
- □ vet: abbreviation of the word 'veterinarian;' a doctor for animals. "She took her dog to the vet for a checkup."
- □ vex: to annoy or frustrate someone. "The constant noise began to vex him."
- □ vow: a solemn promise. "They made a vow to be honest with each other."

## **Simple Preschool Words**

- □ vase: a container used to hold flowers. "She put fresh flowers in the vase."
- □ vent: an opening that allows air, gas, or liquid to pass out of or into a space.
- "The kitchen has a vent to remove heat and smells from cooking."
- $\ \square$  very: a lot. "The weather is very hot today."
- □ vest: a sleeveless garment worn over a shirt. "He wore a vest with his suit."

Kindergarten Words
$\hfill\square$ vast: very large in size or amount. "The desert is vast and filled with sand."
$\hfill\square$ veil: a piece of fine material worn to cover the face. "The bride wore a veil over
her face on her wedding day."
$\hfill \Box$ verse: a line of poetry or a section of a song. "She wrote a verse for the song."
$\hfill\square$ view: the ability to see something. "The view from the mountain is spectacular."
$\hfill\square$ visit: to go and spend time with someone. "They went to visit their grandparents."
$\hfill\square$ voice: the sound that people make when they speak or sing. "Her voice is very
calming to hear."

Elementary Words
$\hfill\square$ vacation: a period of time for rest and relaxation. "They went on vacation to the
beach."
□ valid: based on truth or reason. "His argument was valid and well researched."
$\hfill \Box$ value: the importance or worth of something. "He taught them the value of work-
ing hard."
□ various: different kinds. "The store sells various types of candy."
$\hfill \Box$ vein: a tube in the body that carries blood to the heart. "The doctor examined the
vein in his arm."
□ vendor: a person or company offering something for sale. "The vendor sold fresh
fruits at the market."
□ verdict: a decision made by a judge or jury during a court case. "The jury deliv-
ered a guilty verdict."
$\hfill \Box$ version: a form of something that's been changed or updated from an earlier form.
"He downloaded the latest version of the software."
$\hfill \Box$ vessel: a ship or large boat. "The vessel sailed across the ocean."
$\hfill \Box$ victory: an act of defeating an opponent. "They celebrated their victory in the
volleyball game."
□ village: a small community or group of houses. "They live in a quiet village."
$\hfill \square$ villain: the bad person in a story or movie; a criminal. "The movie was about a
villain getting caught for their crimes."

Food Words
$\square$ vanilla: a flavoring of food that comes from a vanilla plant and is often used in
desserts. "She added vanilla to the cake batter."
uegetable: a plant or part of a plant used as food. "She loves to eat the vegeta-
bles grown in her garden."
urmicelli: a type of pasta similar to spaghetti. "She made a vermicelli dish with
tomato sauce."
□ vichyssoise: a thick, creamy soup made of potatoes, leeks, and cream. "They
served vichyssoise as a starter."
□ vinegar: a sour liquid used for seasoning or preserving food. "She used vinegar
in the salad dressing."
□ vinaigrette: a dressing made from oil and vinegar. "The salad was served with a
light vinaigrette."

Animal Words
$\hfill \Box$ vaquita: a rare species of porpoise found in the Gulf of California. "The vaquita is
critically endangered."
□ vervet: a small African monkey. "The vervet monkey swung from tree to tree."
□ vicuña: a wild South American animal, similar to a llama. "The vicuña roamed the
high Andes."
$\hfill\square$ viper: a venomous snake. "The viper enjoyed warming itself in the sun."
$\hfill \Box$ viperfish: a deep-sea fish with long, fang-like teeth. "The viperfish glows in the
dark ocean depths."
□ vireo: a small songbird. "The vireo sang a cheerful tune."
□ vizsla: a breed of dog with reddish-golden fur originating in Hungary. "The vizsla
is known for its hunting skills."
$\hfill\square$ vole: a small rodent similar to a mouse. "The vole burrowed into the ground."
□ vulture: a large bird of prey that scavenges for food. "The vulture circled high
above."

Object Words
□ vacuum: a tool that's pushed across the floor to remove dirt. "The vacuum
cleaner picked up all the dirt in the hall."
$\hfill\square$ valve: a device that controls the flow of a fluid. "The plumber fixed the valve
under the sink."
$\hfill\square$ vehicle: something used for transporting people or goods. "They bought a new
vehicle."
$\hfill \hfill \hfill$ violin: a string instrument played with a bow. "She learned to play the violin."
$\hfill \square$ visor: a stiff brim at the front of a cap. "He wore a visor to keep the sun out of
his eyes."

Places Words
$\hfill\square$ valley: a low area of land between hills or mountains. "The river flowed through
the valley."
$\hfill \square$ vault: a secure room where valuables are stored. "The bank kept the money in a
vault."
$\hfill \Box$ venue: the location where an event takes place. "The concert was held at a
large venue."
□ viaduct: a long bridge-like structure, typically a series of arches. "The train
crossed the viaduct."
□ villa: a large and luxurious country house. "They rented a villa in Italy for their
vacation."
□ volcano: a mountain or hill with a crater that can erupt with lava. "The volcano
erupted with great force."

Nature and Environment Words
□ vapor: a substance diffused or suspended in the air. "Water vapor condensed on
the windows."
□ veld: open grassy land primarily in southern Africa. "The animals grazed on the
veld."
□ vine: a climbing or trailing plant. "The vine grew along the fence."
□ vortex: a mass of whirling fluid or air. "The tornado formed a vortex of wind."

Emotions and Trait Words
□ valiant: showing bravery or determination. "The firefighter made a valiant effort to
get the cat out of the tree."
□ valuable: worth a great deal of money or importance. "Her necklace is very valu-
able."
□ vehement: showing strong and passionate feelings. "She was vehement in her
argument that cookies are the best dessert."
□ vengeful: wanting revenge. "The character in the story felt vengeful and wanted to
get back at the villain."
□ vibrant: full of energy and enthusiasm. "The city is vibrant with life."
□ vigilant: keeping careful watch for possible danger. "The guard remained vigilant
throughout the night."
□ virtuous: having high moral standards. "She is known for her virtuous character."
□ vivacious: lively and animated. "Her vivacious personality made her the life of the
party."
□ volatile: likely to change quickly and unexpectedly. "The weather was volatile,
changing quickly from sunny to stormy."

Action Words
$\hfill \hfill \hfill$ vacate: to leave a place. "They had to vacate the camping spot before the storm
arrived."
$\square$ vanish: to disappear suddenly. "The magician made the rabbit vanish."
$\square$ vary: to differ in size, amount, or degree. "The prices vary depending on the
season."
□ venture: to undertake a risky or daring journey. "They decided to venture into
the unknown forest."
$\hfill \Box$ ventilate: to cause air to enter and circulate freely. "They ventilate the bathroom
with a fan in the ceiling."
□ verify: to make sure something is true. "He needed to verify the facts before
publishing the article."
$\square$ visualize: to form a mental image of something. "She tried to visualize her
seeing her best friend again soon."
$\hfill \hfill \hfill$ volunteer: to offer to do something without being paid. "They decided to volun-
teer at the local animal shelter."
$\hfill\square$ vote: to make a choice in an election. "They went to vote for the new president."