

# Compound Words

## Closed

### A:

afternoon	afterthought	airbag	aircraft	airline
airport	airspace	airtight	anyone	anytim
anything	anywhere	armchair	armpit	arrowhead

## Open

action hero	air conditioner	air quality	air traffic	alarm clock
animal shelter	apple pie	art gallery	auto shop	award ceremony
amusement park	ankle bracelet	apple tree		

## Hyphenated

able-bodied	air-dry	alli-nclusive	anit-aging	anti-inflammatory
anti-slip	award-winning	age-old		

### B:

## Closed

backbone	backfire	background	backpack	backstroke
ballroom	baseball	basketball	bathrobe	bathroom
bedspread	bedroom	beehive	beeline	birdhouse
birthday	blackboard	bloodhound	bluebird	bookshelf

## Open

baby shower	bank account	barber shop	batting average	beauty salon
bedroom set	birth certificate	blood pressure	book club	book report
box office	bowling alley	brand name	bus stop	business card
butter knife				

## Hyphenated

back-and-forth	back-to-back	best-selling	blue-green	brick-and-mortar
brother-in-law				

## C:

### Closed

campfire	cardboard	catfish	cheesecake	classroom
clockwork	cornmeal	courtyard	cupcake	cutthroat
countdown	crosswalk	courthouse	cashback	carpool
cookbook	campsite	countryside	cupholder	

## Open

cell phone	cherry pie	chicken soup	child care	climate change
coffee maker	common sense	credit card	cotton candy	crab cake
cutting board				

## Hyphenated

co-author	co-worker	check-in	check-up	clean-cut
close-up	crowd-pleaser	cutting-edge		

## D:

### Closed

daybreak	daylight	daydream	deadbolt	deadline
downtown	driveway	drifwood	doorbell	doorknob
doghouse	doughnut	download	downpour	downstairs
drawback	drugstore	drumstick		

### Open

dead end	dance class	day care	decision making	dining room
distance learning	dog park	dining table	doctor's office	

### Hyphenated

day-to-day	daughter-in-law	deep-fried	deep-sea	down-to-earth
dry-clean	duty-free			

## E:

### Closed

eardrum	earphone	earthquake	earmark	earring
earthworm	eggplant	elsewhere	endpoint	everyone
everything	eyebrow	eyesight	eyeball	evergreen
everyday	everywhere			

### Open

egg roll	electric car	emergency room	energy drink	engine oil
eye contact	eye doctor	eye shadow		

## Hyphenated

e-book	eight-legged	eighty-four	earth-friendly	eco-conscious
empty-handed				

## F:

### Closed

farmyard	fireball	firefly	fireman	fireplace
fireproof	fishbowl	fishhook	fisherman	flagpole
flatfoot	fooball	footprint	forehead	freeway
frostbite	fruitcake	fullback	fundraise	

### Open

fact check	family room	family tree	fast food	feather bed
field trip	filing cabinet	fire drill	fire escape	fire station
first aid	first place	food chain	football field	frontdoor
full moon				

## Hyphenated

far-reaching	father-in-law	fire-resistant	full-time	follow-up
four-letter-word	freeze-dried	front-runner	full-length	

## G:

### Closed

gearbox	gatekeeper	ghostwriter	gingerbread	girlfriend
goldfish	grasshopper	greenhouse	groundhog	guideline
gridlock	grownup	getaway		

## Open

game plan	gas station	general store	gift card	goal line
golf course	grade point	grain elevator	grand piano	grass seed
grocery store	ground beef	guard dog	guest list	guitar case

## Hyphenated

get-together	good-natured	goal-oriented	grass-fed	great-grandfather
great-grandmother	gas-powered	front-runner	full-length	fund-raiser

## H:

### Closed

hairbrush	hairline	hairpin	handbook	handout
handshake	hardwood	headband	headlamp	headache
headphone	heartache	heartbeat	homework	houseboat

### Open

hand cream	hand sanitizer	health care	heat wave	high chair
high school	history lessons	home run	honey bee	hot dog
hot water	human being			

### Hyphenated

hand-me-down	hard-working	high-tech	high-risk	high-speed
half-hearted	home-grown	heavy-duty	heart-to-heart	

## I:

### Closed

iceberg	icebox	icebreaker	inboard	income
indoors	inland	input	inside	insight
interchange	interlock	into		

### Open

ice cream	ice cube	ice skate	iron ore	identity card
ice pack	instant message	ink pen	interview question	

### Hyphenated

ice-cold	in-depth	in-flight	in-house	
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## J:

### Closed

jawbone	jaybird	jellybean	jellyfish	jetlag
jetliner	jigsaw	jumpstart	junkyard	jackpot
jackhammer	jackrabbit			

### Open

jam session	jet engine	job interview	job offer	jogging track
jury duty	jump rope	junk food	jungle gym	junior high
junk mail				

## Hyphenated

jack-of-all-trades	jam-packed	job-related	joy-riding	jump-start
jet-blank	jack-in-box			

## K:

### Closed

keyboard	keycard	keyhole	kickball	kickboxing
kickoff	kingfisher	kneecap		

### Open

kennel club	key word	kick stand	kindergarten class	king cobra
king crab	kitchen counter	kitchen sink		

## Hyphenated

kick-start	kid-friendly	king-size	knee-deep	know-it-all
knee-high				

### Closed

## L:

ladybug	landfill	landmark	landslid	laptop
lighthouse	lifeboat	lifeguard	lifejacket	lifetime
lightweight	limelight	livestock	lockbox	locksmith
lookout				

## Open

landing gear	language arts	laser beam	lawn chair	lawn mower
learning curve	leather jacket	lemon juice	library card	life insurance
life preserver	light bulb	living room	log cabin	

## Hyphenated

large-scale	last-minute	left-handed	life-changing	life-size
light-hearted	long-distance	long-term		

## M:

### Closed

mailbox	mainland	makeup	mankind	manmad
masterpiece	meantime	meatball	meatloaf	milkshake
milestone	moonligh	motorbike	mountaintop	mousetrap
moviegoer	mudslide			

## Open

mail carrier	main course	major league	maple syrup	marching band
master bedroom	master plan	medical school	mineral water	

## Hyphenated

make-believe	mass-produced	mother-in-law	mind-blowing	merry-go-round
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## N:

### Closed

namesake	nearby	necktie	newborn	newspaper
nightfall	nightgown	nightmare	nightshade	nightstand
noisemaker	notebook	noteworthy	nutshell	network

### Open

nail polish	name tag	national anthem	national park	nature reserve
needle point	news report	night light	night shift	note card
number line				

### Hyphenated

nail-biting	near-sighted	no-brainer		
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## O:

### Closed

outmeal	offshore	oncoming	outcome	outdoor
outfield	outfit	outgrow	outline	outlive
outnumber	output	outwit		

### Open

oak tree	oil change	oil painting	olive oil	open house
orange juice	outspace			

### Hyphenated

off-road	one-sided	open-minded	out-of-date	
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## P:

### Closed

pancake	paperwork	pathway	playbook	playground
popcorn	postcard	postman	password	paperback
peanut	ponytail			

### Open

packing list	page number	paint brush	parking lot	party favor
peanut butter	pen pal	pencil case	phone call	photo album
picture frame	police officer			

### Hyphenated

part-time	passer-by			
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## Q:

### Closed

quarterback	quicksand	quicksilver	quickstep	
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### Open

quality control	quarter note	queen bee	question mark	quotation mark
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### Hyphenated

queen-sized	quick-witted	quick-thinking	question-and-answer	
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## R:

### Closed

raincoat	rainbow	raindrop	railroad	rainstorm
rainwater	rattlesnake	racehorse	racecar	redhead
rinside	roadway	rowboat	runway	

### Open

radio station	rail line	rain check	rain cloud	reading glasses
real estate	relay race	remote control	river bank	

### Hyphenated

rain-soaked	record-breaking	round-trip	runner-up	risk-taking
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## S:

### Closed

sandpaper	sandbox	sandstorm	sailboat	scarecrow
schoolhouse	schoolwork	screwdriver	seafood	seashore
seashell	seabelt	sidekick	sidewalk	signpost
skyscraper	snowball	snowflake	snowman	stopwatch

### Open

safety pin	salad dressing	salt water	school bus	school year
seat belt	security guard	shopping cart	short story	sight word
silver medal	snow cone	social media	space shuttle	swimming pool

### Hyphenated

self confidence	self-esteem	short-term	sign-up	step-by-step
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## T:

### Closed

tablespoon	tailbone	tailgate	teacup	teamwork
teardrop	teaspoon	textbook	toenail	toolbox
toothbrush	toothpaste	touchdown	townhall	tunderstorm

### Open

table tennis	taco salad	talent show	tea party	team spirit
tennis court	test drive	theater ticket	theme park	time machine
traffic jam	training wheels	tree house		

### Hyphenated

take-off	take-out	t-shirt	tie-break	time-out
time-sensitive	touch-and-go	tried-and-true		

## U:

### Closed

underarm	underdog	underground	underwater	underweight
underway	upkeep	uplift	upload	upstairs
upset				

### Open

used car	utility pole			
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### Hyphenated

up-and-coming	up-to-date	user-friendly		
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## V:

### Closed

videotape	viewpoint	vineyard	voicemail	voiceover
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### Open

vacuum cleaner	vanilla bean	vanilla extract	vegetable oil	vegetable soup
video camera	video game	vocal cords	theme park	time machine
traffic jam	training wheels	tree house		

## W:

### Closed

walkway	wallpaper	warmhearted	washcloth	washroom
watchdog	waterfall	waterproof	website	windmill

### Open

waiting room	walking stick	washing machine	warm blooded	water bottle
water fountain	water park	weather report	wedding cake	world map

### Hyphenated

well-being	well-done	well-educated	well-known	word-of-mouth
work-in-progress	world-famous	world-wide	worn-out	

## X:

### Hyphenated

x-ray				
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## Y:

### Closed

yardstick	yardwork	yearbook	yearlong	yellowcake
yellowfin	yoursel			

### Open

yacht club	yard sale	young adult	youth center	
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### Hyphenated

year-round	young-at-heart			
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## Z:

### Closed

zigzag	zookeeper			
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### Open

zebra fish	zen garden	zero gravity	zinc oxide	zip code
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