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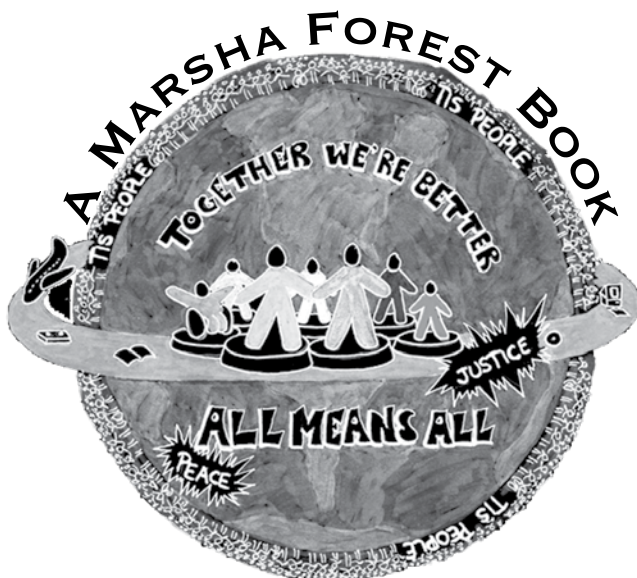
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TO READ  
with the  
Self Teaching Dictionary**

# THE U-CAN DICTIONARY

## THE PEOPLE'S BOOK



We have given you everyday words with their most commonly used meanings. We have broken down the words numerically and alphabetically from 1 letter words to 11 letter words.

In some of the definitions, we have used the word in a sentence to show the meaning as it was hard to break it down. In these sentences, the word is in CAPITAL letters.

There are words that sound the same but spelled differently. A few examples are: where-wear-ware; there-their; night-knight; to-two-to; here-hear

### ABC RULES 123

#### TIPS FOR SUCCESS:

1. Learn the Alphabet
2. Learn the Sounds of the Alphabet
3. Know that every word has a vowel    A E I O U
4. Now you can look up any word
5. You NEED to learn the 1,2,3 letter words
6. BEFORE you move on to the larger 4,5,6, etc. letter words

In the U-Can Dictionary, there are 7,247 words.

The words are broken down the way they can be seen and heard. Look for smaller words within the words.

All the words in the meanings can be found in this Dictionary, so if you don't know a word in the meaning, look it up....

- U CAN teach yourself
- U CAN do this on your time anywhere
- U CAN play the "MEANINGS" game
- U CAN play the "SPELLING" game
- U CAN learn words by reading the meaning
- U CAN learn to read one word a time
- U CAN know where to start with the word board

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## **Publishing the U-CAN Dictionary**

Inclusion Press is very pleased to be the publisher of the **U-CAN Dictionary** - which is much more than 'just another dictionary'. Since 1989, we have been publishing materials for individuals, families and systems to 'include everyone' as a full and participating citizen in society. One of the key 'disabling' issues in our society is illiteracy, which is why this book is important to us, to Canada, and the world.

Literacy is a critical issue in the world today. This includes countries like Canada where an estimated 40% of Canadian adults have significant reading difficulties. As a past President of Frontier College, I spent decades focusing on creating better options for literacy. A staggering array of resources and finances have been expended. Some progress has been made. But this is a complex challenge because it requires literally millions of unique individualized decisions and commitments, one by one, by people who are convinced they 'cannot learn' - to learn.

**U-CAN** is a unique and remarkable response to this simmering crisis that undermines the inherent gifts and capacities of so many citizens. It is a 'handbook' for non-readers and new readers that begins at the beginning - with one-letter words, then two-letter words, and then grows simply and elegantly into a carefully selected introductory English vocabulary. There is nothing like it. It is a significant contribution to literacy learning and learners everywhere.

It is unique because of its concept and because of its authors. I have known Justin Page for three decades, beginning when he was a young, illiterate ex-offender. Once he learned, his passion to teach was explosive, but



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it always had a difference. He was a catalyst for school kids. He mobilized street kids, the unwanted, the 'unwashed', as students and teachers. He motivated them to acknowledge their own incredible skills and to teach each other. **Beat the Street** was born. Other programs followed. **The Order of Canada** and the **J. Roby Kidd Awards** acknowledged this remarkable contribution.

Justin's passion has never waned. Annmarie, his wife, added a new twist. Remarkably, her first favourite book was a dictionary. Thus this man of enormous creativity, and the dictionary lover, stirred together a new idea - a dictionary for new learners - designed by and for people who had serious reading difficulties.

The design team has been deep in wisdom, but not in 'formal certified' education. There are no PhDs, no MAs, no degrees from 'educational institutions'. Instead, 32 friends and citizens who have struggled, helped to shape this remarkable innovation by ensuring it was the 'people's dictionary'. They selected a few thousand words from hundreds of thousands. They debated 'definitions' that had to be short and simple - so a five-year-old could understand. In fact, Jack, their five-year-old was a key contributor of many definitions. And so was Michael, who lives with the label of autism, but needed things to be 'orderly' so he could find them and feel comfortable.

So this is no ordinary book. It is a significant contribution, an original idea, a unique approach to helping people to find themselves, to discover their own talents and thus to be full and contributing citizens.

This is a way for people to help themselves - and parents, siblings and friends to be coaches and supporters. It is truly a remarkable innovation, one word at a time.

Jack Pearpoint  
President  
Inclusion Press

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jack Pearpoint', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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My name is Annmarie Page. I am the co-author of this wonderful and unique U-CAN Dictionary.

The first books I remember getting were my little white Bible for my First Communion, and The Charlie Brown Dictionary. I read it daily, looking at all the wonderful words and their meanings. I would try to use them in sentences on my friends and family.

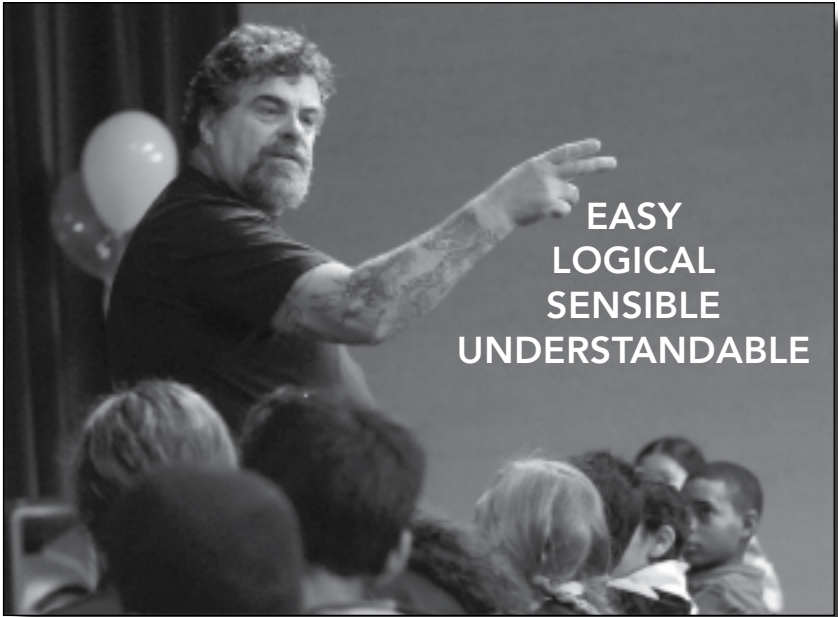
This U-CAN Dictionary came to be out of my husband's frustrating task of trying to read. He was going on about 1, 2, and 3 letter words. One day I turned to him, completely exhausted, and said, "What are you doing, writing a dictionary?" And he said, "that's it exactly - with your help."

With the help of many friends and family members we gathered some awesome knowledge, put this beautiful book together and gave it to Justin. Sounds easy, eh!!! Ha not so...

He looks through it and says "Can you make the definitions shorter?" Another 3 months or so, we finished shortening the definitions, brought it to Justin, terrified that he was going to make more changes. Thankfully we were finished...But wait!...He said he wanted it in French as well... So now we are working on a French Dictionary. Watch for it coming soon.



Annmarie Page



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Justin Page, who did not learn to read and write until he was 33, tells students about the joy of literacy at the downtown branch of the Hamilton Library. Page has made it his mission to teach street people how to read.

(September 17, 2008)

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Learning is challenging, enjoyable and rewarding

Get caught reading yours today



## It Began with a Question...

It all began with a question.....“How many 2 letter words are there?” Which was followed by, “How many 3 letter words are there?” By the time we gathered all the words together, we had about 500,000 words. Then I had my volunteers go through the lists of words and highlight the most common. We kept only the root words and eliminated the plurals, and the action words (ing). You would be surprised at how many variations of one word there are...

So on we go... After about 7 months of chasing down our word lists and definitions (we began calling them our babies), we had collected lists from all the volunteers. Then my serious work began - compiling a list from everyone’s lists, eliminating some words as I went. I ended up with a grand total of ....7,247 words.....WOW!

I would read the words and meanings out loud to help select the most common daily meanings. One day, while we were driving back from the cottage, my son Jack piped in with the meanings that only a 4-year-old can. “Dachshund” – *weiner dog*. Great – really, really good. Dylan gave me: “Drama” – unwanted problems... Even Michael, my Autistic son, helped to show the durability of the book by flicking the pages while eating a handful of ice cream no less.

I remember working on the word “MUG”. I put “a large drinking cup”. So I looked up the word “CUP” to check and it said “a drinking vessel”. So I looked up “VESSEL”, it said “a ship”, hmmm. So I went back to “cup” and changed it to “used for drinking liquids” and left “VESSEL” as “a ship”.

Annmarie Page



## Justin's reflections...

There was a time when I couldn't read the writing on the wall, literally. Below is a quote from a poster, sponsored by Imperial Oil, which was made for my **Beat the Street** Program. These words express the power and passion that has driven me to combat illiteracy:

*"Illiteracy is a heartbreaking waste that savages hope and makes a mockery of childhood dreams. And it's destroying the future of more young Canadians than most of us would believe. But, through programs like Beat the Street, kids who had once been 'hopeless cases' are learning to read and write at last, and long-closed doors are springing open.*

*At Imperial Oil Limited, we believe such programs make Canada a better place for all. If your company can lend its support to initiatives like this, please join in."*

**The Creator of the U-CAN DICTIONARY ©  
REV. JUSTIN PAGE CM**



Justin Page did not know how to read and write. When he walked through the doors of Frontier College, known for its excellence in teaching adults to read, he was 33 years old. Ironically, **Dr. Norman Bethune**, Justin's 5th cousin, also worked for the College almost a century before. While there, Justin met Dr. Marsha Forest, who taught him to read. He took his knowledge to the streets, and seeing a great need, he went back to Frontier College, and with the help of Jack Pearpoint, they put together a street literacy program. **Beat the Street** was born. Using street signs, menus and newspapers for materials, hookers, bag ladies, punk rockers and bikers were organized as both tutors and students. He adapted the program into two Native Literacy Programs in Winnipeg and Regina, with Metis and Aboriginal Canadians. Next, through **Read Canada**, he was creating literacy awareness for all.

For his achievements in the field of literacy and creating these programs, he was awarded Canada's highest honour, for lifetime achievement, "**The Order of Canada**". He has also been awarded **The J. Roby Kidd Award** for Excellence in Education, **125<sup>th</sup> Commemorative Medal**, **The Paul Harris Award** (Rotarian International Medal, 1989), and just recently, **The 2012 Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal** for his continuing contributions to fellow citizens and Country.

As an advocate for this cause, he continues to help those who fall through the cracks of the educational system. Today, in his 60s, his passion to find answers to unlock the world of words for everyone has motivated him to create this exceptional and unique dictionary.

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"I can't change the world, BUT The U-CAN Dictionary can change your life. Thank God."

and now

**Welcome**

to the

**U-CAN**

**Dictionary**

**The Self Teaching  
Dictionary**

**Note:** The U-CAN dictionary is intended to be a 'starter' dictionary. Thus, although many words have multiple meanings, we have created very simple and common definitions/uses, with the clear understanding that you will discover and know additional meanings over time.





# A a

## 1 ONE

A 1st letter of the alphabet

## 2 TWO

Ab a stomach muscle  
Ad information in a paper  
Am I AM a painter  
An it's AN apple  
As easy AS abc  
At he is AT the store

## 3 THREE

Aah to exclaim in delight  
Ace card in a card game  
Act way to behave  
Add to increase  
Aft at the rear of a boat  
Age number of years in time  
Ago before the time it is now  
Aha expression of realization  
Aid to support or help  
Ail not well  
Aim to point something at  
Air what we breathe  
Ale like beer

# A a

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All	the whole of
Alp	high mountain
Amp	unit of electric current
And	eat AND drink
Ant	a small insect
Any	one or another
Ape	large monkey
Apt	skilled
Arc	half a circle
Are	the kids ARE playing
Arf	dog's bark
Ark	a large ship
Arm	from shoulder to wrist
Art	drawing
Ash	greyish powder from a fire
Ask	question about something
Asp	venomous snake
Ass	donkey
Ate	the kids ATE the cake
Awe	wonder or deep respect
Awl	a tool for making holes
Axe	tool for cutting trees
Aye	yes

### **4 FOUR**

Able	having the skill
Ache	to be in pain

Acne	pimples
Acid	battery fluid
Acre	a way of measuring land
Ahoy	a sailor's expression
Aide	assistant or helper
Airy	delicate
Ajar	partly open
Akin	of the same kind
Ally	join together
Also	as well as
Alto	low music range
Amid	in the middle of
Anti	acting against
Arch	a curved structure
Area	amount of surface
Arid	not much rain
Army	a large group of soldiers
Atom	small particle element
Aunt	relative
Auto	car
Away	from this place
Axis	what an object turns on
Axle	bar that connects 2 tires

**5 FIVE**

Abide	to put up with a person
About	was that ABOUT me

# A a

## The U-CAN © DICTIONARY

Above	the sky is ABOVE
Abuse	treat badly
Abyss	deep hole in the earth
Acorn	nut of an oak tree
Actor	plays a part in movies
Acute	sharp and severe
Adapt	adjust to something
Adept	being good at something
Admit	confess
Adopt	to raise and accept
Adore	to admire or love
Adorn	add beauty to
Adult	a fully grown person
Affix	to attach
After	it was AFTER you left
Again	one time more
Agent	acts on someone's behalf
Aglow	bright with light or heat
Agree	to have the same idea
Ahead	in front of
Aisle	space between two rows
Alarm	sound to raise attention
Album	a book to store pictures
Alder	a tree
Alert	a signal to warn
Algae	water plants
Alias	fake name
Alibi	proof one was elsewhere

Alien	from Mars
Align	put in a line
Alike	similar
Alive	having life
Alley	narrow road or passage
Allot	give out as a share
Allow	to give permission
Aloft	far above the ground
Alone	not near or with others
Along	beside
Aloof	not warm or friendly
Aloud	to be heard
Altar	a religious table
Alter	to make different
Amaze	surprise
Amend	to change for the better
Amiss	not right or proper
Among	in the middle of
Ample	more than enough
Amuse	to please
Angel	a heavenly being
Anger	a strong hurtful feeling
Angle	corner, join of two lines
Angry	mad
Ankle	connects the foot
Annoy	to bother or disturb
Aorta	main artery of the body
Apart	away from one another

# A a

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Appal	to fill with horror
Apple	red or green fruit
Apply	put into practice
April	4th month of the year
Apron	worn to protect clothes
Arena	a space used for sports
Argue	to have a disagreement
Arise	to get up
Aroma	a nice smell
Array	an orderly arrangement
Arrow	a stick with a sharp point
Arson	purposely starting a fire
Aside	on or to one side
Askew	turned the wrong way
Aspen	a kind of poplar tree
Asset	valuable or useful
Atlas	a book of maps
Atone	to make up for a wrong
Attic	below the roof of a house
Audio	relating to sound
Avert	to turn away
Avoid	to keep away from
Awake	to wake up
Award	given for job well done
Aware	knowing or realizing
Awful	very bad

**6 SIX**

Abduct	to take away by force
Ablaze	on fire
Aboard	on board
Abrupt	curt in manner
Absent	not present
Absorb	to suck up
Absurd	contrary to reason
Accent	way of speaking
Accept	to receive or admit
Access	means of entering
Accord	agreement of opinion
Accuse	a crime or offense
Acquit	to find not guilty
Across	on the opposite side of
Action	a fast-paced activity
Active	to be busy
Actual	in fact
Adjust	to modify
Admire	to regard with delight
Adrift	floating at random
Adverb	a word modifying a verb
Advice	an opinion offered
Advise	to offer an opinion
Affair	business of any kind
Affect	influence
Affirm	to answer positively

# A a

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Afford	to be able or rich enough
Afloat	out at sea
Afraid	fear or apprehension
Agency	business of an agent
Agenda	a list of items to attend
Aghast	struck with amazement
Airbag	safety device
Airway	windpipe
Allude	to refer indirectly
Allure	the power to attract
Almond	a nut
Almost	very close
Alpine	relating to mountains
Amazon	jungle
Ambush	wait and attack
Amount	a quantity or volume
Anchor	keeps a boat still
Angora	very soft clothing material
Animal	living thing
Anklet	bracelet around ankle
Annual	once every year
Answer	a solution to a problem
Anthem	hymn of praise or loyalty
Antler	horns
Anyhow	at any rate
Anyone	chosen without thought
Appeal	request for a review



Appear	to become visible
Arcade	place to play games
Archer	one who shoots a bow
Armful	the amount arms hold
Armpit	underarm
Around	in a circular formation
Arouse	to stimulate feelings
Arrear	unpaid debt
Arrest	stop, police stoppage
Arrive	to reach a place
Artery	vessel from the heart
Asleep	in a state of sleep
Assail	to attack violently
Assert	to state positively
Assign	give something as a task
Assist	to help
Assume	suppose, adopt an idea/cause
Asthma	a respiratory disease
Asylum	a place of protection
Atrium	a hall lit from above
Attach	to join to
Attack	attempt to cause damage
Attend	to be at an event
Attire	what one wears
August	8th month of the year
Author	one who writes a book
Autism	intellectually unique

# A a

## The U-CAN © DICTIONARY

Avenge	to take vengeance
Avenue	a broad street
Awhile	for a short time

### 7 SEVEN

Abandon	to leave behind
Abdomen	the belly
Ability	power to perform
Abolish	to do away with wholly
Absence	withdrawn from a place
Absolve	release or discharge
Abstain	to not do
Abusive	prone to ill treat
Academy	a school of learning
Acclaim	to shout approval
Account	a record of transactions
Achieve	to accomplish
Acquire	to get something
Acrobat	flexible person doing gymnastics
Acrylic	synthetic fiber
Actress	a female actor
Adamant	firm in thought
Adapter	used for different plugs
Address	place of residence
Adjourn	to end or suspend
Admiral	a naval officer
Advance	to bring forward

Aerobic	exercise
Against	in contact with
Agility	quickness of motion
Agitate	to stir up
Agonize	to wrestle over something
Ailment	sickness
Airflow	any flow of air
Airport	where you catch a plane
Alcohol	an intoxicating beverage
Alfredo	white pasta sauce
Algebra	mathematics
Alimony	an enforced allowance
Allergy	sensitivity to substances
Already	so soon
Amnesty	a general pardon
Amplify	to make louder
Analyst	someone who analyzes
Anarchy	without formal order, confusion
Anatomy	science of the body
Anchovy	type of small fish
Ancient	very old
Android	robot with a human form
Anguish	extreme pain
Another	one more
Antacid	tablet taken for heartburn
Anthill	where ants live
Antique	old

# A a

## The U-CAN © DICTIONARY

Anxiety	stress and uneasiness
Anxious	greatly concerned
Anybody	any person
Anymore	from now on
Anytime	at any time
Apology	said when sorry
Applaud	to clap your hands
Approve	to regard as good
Apricot	an orange stone fruit
Armoire	wardrobe
Armoury	where weapons are kept
Arrange	to put in order
Arrival	the act of arriving
Article	a story in a newspaper
Ashtray	for collecting cigarette ash
Asphalt	a black road substance
Aspirin	tablet taken for headaches
Assault	to hurt, to attack
Athlete	person who plays sports
Attempt	to try something
Attract	to arouse interest
Auction	public sale
Autopsy	tells the cause of death
Average	a middle number, normal
Avocado	a green stone fruit
Awesome	inspiring wonder
Awkward	clumsy

**8 EIGHT**

Aardvark	a mammal
Abnormal	not conforming to rule
Absolute	definite
Academic	good at studying
Accident	sudden, unexpected event
Accurate	in exact truth
Acoustic	the science of sounds
Activate	to put into action
Activity	something done
Additive	an added substance
Adequate	good enough
Adhesive	something that sticks
Adorable	very pleasing
Advisory	able to give advice
Advocate	a supporter of something
Airborne	carried by the air
Airbrush	a handheld paint sprayer
Aircraft	any type of flying plane
Airfield	where planes take off
Airplane	large flying transportation
Alderman	a member of council
Alienate	cause to feel alone
Alkaline	batteries
Allergic	having an allergy
Alliance	partnership
Allocate	to set aside for a purpose

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Alphabet	abc's - "a" to "z"
Altitude	a vertical distance
Aluminum	type of metal
Ambition	a desire to do well
Amethyst	purple gemstone
Amputate	to remove something
Anaconda	large snake
Ancestor	who one is descended from
Announce	to make known
Anorexia	eating disorder
Anteater	animal that eat ants
Antelope	like deer
Antidote	remedy
Apparent	visible to the eye
Appendix	a text added to a book
Appetite	hunger
Applause	people clapping hands
Appraise	to set a value
Approach	to come near
Approval	an indication of agreement
Aquarium	a tank for keeping fish
Armchair	a chair with arms
Arrogant	excessive pride in oneself
Artifact	an object by humans
Assemble	to put together
Assembly	a group of people
Asteroid	planet-like body

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Astonish	surprise
Attitude	state of mind
Attorney	lawyer
Audience	people watching a show
Audition	to perform for a part
Aversion	fixed dislike
Aviation	the art of flying

### **9 NINE**

Absorbent	absorbing liquids
Abundance	an overflowing fullness
Accessory	earrings, scarves, etc.
Accompany	to go with
Addiction	uncontrolable habit or practice
Admirable	deserving highest esteem
Admission	permission to enter
Advantage	favorable to success
Adventure	new experience
Aesthetic	concerned with beauty
Affection	tender attachment
Affidavit	a sworn statement
Affiliate	group of associated things
Affluence	wealth and power
Aftercare	care during recovery
Afterlife	life after death
Afternoon	after lunch
Afterward	to do later

# A a

## The U-CAN © DICTIONARY

Agreement	an understanding
Airstream	a flow of air
Alcoholic	person addicted to alcohol
Alignment	organizing in a straight line
Alleviate	to make less severe
Alligator	a large reptile
Allowance	pocket money
Alongside	next to, beside
Ambiguous	vague and unclear
Amendment	that which is added
Ampersand	& (cool eh!)
Amphibian	fish, frogs, lizards, etc.
Amusement	done for fun
Anchorman	host of the news
Animation	move in motion pictures
Annulment	invalidates a marriage
Anonymous	whose name is withheld
Antarctic	at the South Pole
Antiglare	reduces glare
Antipasto	starter for a meal
Apologize	to say sorry
Appliance	stove, fridge, etc.
Appraisal	assess the value
Apprehend	to take
Arbitrate	to make a judgement
Architect	who designs buildings
Arrogance	self-assumption



Arrowhead	pointed part of an arrow
Arrowroot	a plant - often used in cookies
Arthritis	swelling of the joints
Artichoke	edible vegetable
Artillery	large weapons
Asparagus	long-stem vegetable
Assailant	who attacks another
Associate	a companion
Assurance	full confidence or trust
Astrology	study of stars
Astronaut	one who goes into space
Astronomy	the study of planets
Attendant	who watches something
Authentic	genuine
Authority	power to enforce rules
Authorize	to give permission
Autograph	a person's own signature
Automatic	acting out of habit
Available	readily obtainable
Avalanche	massive snow slide on mountain

**10 TEN**

Abbreviate	to make shorter
Accelerate	to move faster
Accomplice	a partner in crime
Accomplish	to finish successfully

Accountant	works with numbers
Accumulate	to collect
Administer	to give
Admittance	permission to enter
Adolescent	teenager
Adrenaline	intense excitement
Aftershave	lotion used after shaving
Aftertaste	a lingering flavour
Allegation	not necessarily fact
Alteration	making different
Ambassador	an official representative
Ammunition	stock of bullets and shells
Antagonize	to work against
Antibiotic	medicine
Anticipate	to think ahead
Antifreeze	prevents freezing
Antiseptic	preventing infection
Apostrophe	the text character (')
Appearance	a thing seen
Applicator	used to apply something
Appreciate	to be thankful for
Apprentice	a trainee
Arithmetic	math
Artificial	man-made

Assignment	an assigned task
Assistance	help
Assortment	a collection of items
Atmosphere	the air around the Earth
Attachment	a strong bond
Auditorium	a large meeting room, theatre
Automobile	car
Automotive	related to the car industry

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Aboveground	above the surface
Abacadabra	magic word
Accelerator	gas pedal
Achievement	a great or heroic deed
Acknowledge	to recognize as truth
Acquisition	something acquired
Acupuncture	type of therapy
Aerodynamic	reduces air drag
Affiliation	knowing someone
Affirmative	yes
Agriculture	growing crops
Altercation	dispute
Alternative	a second possibility, option
Anniversary	yearly special event

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Application	the thing applied
Appointment	booking for a meeting
Appropriate	suitable
Approximate	nearly exact
Archaeology	study of the past, artifacts
Architecture	building design
Arrangement	a deal, a plan
Association	connection to something
Astrologist	one who predicts based on stars