

CENTRO EDUCATIVO CONEET

FEBRUARY VOCABULARY

4th GRADE

1. gulp To swallow (drink or food) quickly or in large mouthfuls, often audibly.
2. cradle Cradle, cradled, cradling. To hold gently and protectively.
3. drought A prolonged period of extremely dry weather, leading to a shortage of water.
4. overcome To succeed in dealing with (a problem).
5. wilt (Of a plant) become limp through loss of water, heat, or disease; droop.
6. daze To make unable to think or react properly.
7. flee To run away from danger.
8. batter Batter, battered. Battering. To hit or beat something repeatedly using heavy blows in order to damage it.
9. shed A simple roofed structure, typically of wood and used for storage or to shelter animals.
10. seep Seep, seeped, seeping. To pass or escape through an opening very slowly and in small quantities (refers to liquids or gases).
11. bedding Bedclothes.
12. dandelion A widely distributed weed of the daisy family, with large bright yellow flowers followed by globular heads of seeds with downy tufts.
13. yank Yank, yanked, yanking. To pull with a jerk.
14. wheeze To breathe with a whistling or rattling sound in the chest, as a result of obstruction in the air passages.
15. blur Blur, blurred, blurring. Make or become unclear or less distinct.
16. murder The unlawful premeditated killing of one person by another.
17. reluctant Unwilling and hesitant; disinclined.
18. shy Nervous or timid in the company of other people.
19. gut Somebody's belly, especially if it is noticeably large.
20. hunch Hunch, hunched, hunching. To raise (one's shoulders) and bend the top of one's body forward.

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| 21. punch | To hit somebody or something with the fist. |
| 22. bullet | A metal projectile fired from a small firearm, typically cylindrical and pointed. |
| 23. sizzle | To make a hissing sound when frying or roasting. |
| 24. blister | A small bubble on the skin filled with serum and typically caused by friction or burning. |
| 25. exhilarate | To make very happy or animated. |
| 26. prank | A practical joke or mischievous act. |
| 27. duty | A moral or legal obligation. |
| 28. supply | Supply, supplied, supplying. To give, sell or make available something that is wanted or needed by somebody or something. |
| 29. clumsy | Awkward in movement or performance. |
| 30. landmark | An object or feature of a landscape or town that is easily seen and recognized from a distance. |
| 31. kidnap | kidnap, kidnapped, kidnapping. To abduct and hold captive, typically to obtain a ransom. |
| 32. keelboat | A yacht built with a permanent keel rather than a centerboard. |
| 33. pirogue | A long, narrow canoe made from a single tree trunk, especially in Central America and the Caribbean. |
| 34. awesome | So impressive or overwhelming as to inspire a strong feeling of admiration or fear. |
| 35. rattlesnake | A heavy-bodied American pit viper with a series of horny rings on the tail that rattle when vibrated as a warning. |
| 36. creaky | Making a prolonged squeaking noise. |
| 37. hail | Small balls of ice and hardened snow that fall like rain. |
| 38. drag | Drag, dragged, dragging. To pull along forcefully, roughly, or with difficulty. |
| 39. freak | A person, animal, or plant with a physical abnormality. |
| 40. wapiti | A large deer that has tall branched antlers and lives in herds. |
| 41. soggy | Very wet and soft. |
| 42. dreary | Dull, bleak, and depressing. |
| 43. weasel | A small, slender carnivorous mammal related to, but smaller than, the stoat. |

44. blubber The fat of sea mammals, especially whales and seals.

SCIENCE AND GEOGRAPHY

1. pollution Contamination.
2. Nature preserves They are special parks where plants and animals live and the ecosystems are protected.
3. recycle To use old things to make new things.
4. landforms The shapes on Earth's surface.
5. hill It rises above the land around it, but not as high as a mountain does.
6. plateau A land area having a level surface raised much higher above nearby land.
7. plain The lowest type of landform, it is mostly flat or gently rolling.
8. weathering Is the breaking and wearing away of landforms