Year 6 Vocabulary list

Words from the Academic list

adjacent, compile, conceive, integrity, nonetheless, reluctant, whereby, cease, coherent, converse, diminish, ethics, passive, qualitative, scenario, subordinate, radical, manipulate, inevitable, deviate, ambiguous, advocate, differentiate, ideology, phenomenon, utilise, welfare, notion, liberal, facilitate, discrete, criteria, deduce, immigration, legislation, theory

Words from the National Curriculum spellings lists

accommodate, accompany, according, achieve, aggressive, amateur, ancient, apparent, appreciate, attached, available, average, awkward, bargain, bruise, category, cemetery, committee, communicate, community, competition, conscience, conscious, controversy, convenience, correspond, criticise, curiosity, definite, desperate, determined, develop, dictionary, disastrous, embarrass, environment, equipped, equipment, especially, exaggerate, excellent, existence, explanation, familiar, foreign, forty, frequently, government, guarantee, harass, hindrance, identity, immediate, immediately, individual, interfere, interrupt, language, leisure, lightning, marvelous, mischievous, muscle, necessary, neighbour, nuisance, occupy, occur, opportunity, parliament, persuade, physical, prejudice, privilege, profession, programme, pronunciation, queue recognise, recommend, relevant, restaurant, rhyme, rhythm, sacrifice, secretary, shoulder, signature, sincere, sincerely, soldier, stomach, sufficient, suggest, symbol, system, temperature, thorough, twelfth, variety, vegetable, vehicle, yacht, thorough, thoroughly, borough, plough, drought, bough, principal/principle, bridal/bridle, proceed/precede, weary/wary, morning/mourning, compliment/complement, assent/ascent, draft/draught, advice/advise, device/devise, practice/practice, licence/license, cautious, explanation, international, misdirection, reinfection, interaction, rejuvenation, antisocial, misrepresentation, miscalculation, politician, collision, expansion, subtlest, solemnly, conceive, deceived, co-operate, co-ordinate, encompass

Latin root words

abduct, accelerate, neuralgia, ambidextrous, amiable, antecede, circumnavigate, inclination, credence, chronic, contradict, decelerate, accumulate, envision, collaborate, eloquent, innate, pugnacious, eradicate, contemporary

Greek root words

abyss, archaeology, bibliography, cardiac, egocentric, epidemic, gigabyte, melancholy, diode, esophagus, philosophy, syntax, monotheism, xenophobic

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Maths words

dimensions, addend, algebra, associative, augend, average, circumference, commutative, concentric, congruent, consecutive, coordinate, cubic, diameter, distributive, dividend, divisor, dodecahedron, equation, factorise, formulae, imperial, intersection, linear, mean, metric, minuend, multiplicand, multiplier, quadrant, quotient, radius, ratio, statistics, subtrahend, variable, vinculum

Science words

anomalies, diode, esophagus, aorta, artery, atrium, capillaries, circulatory, oxygenated, deoxygenated, nicotine, saturated, respiration, ventricle, cornea, iris, component, electron, filament, conductor, insulator, renewable, gene, inheritance, evolution, dominant, recessive, fertilisation, adaptation, fossilisation, paleontology, genus, flora, fermentation, reflection, refraction, independent variable

Art words

Element, Texture, Tone, Pattern, Form, Portraiture, Media, Methods, Starting point, Natural forms, Viewpoints, Representing Weathered surfaces, Spaces, Abstract, Acetate, Simple, Linear, outline, Contour, Enlarge, Overwork, Infill, Adapt, transpose, analytical, resist, cubist, figurative, aspects, architecture, graphic, embellish, Maquette, pendant

Computing words

collaborate, gigabyte, debug, simulation, decompose, variable, input/output, algorithm, media, conventions, systematic, logic, hardware/software, optical, LAN, WAN, lag, transfer

DT words

Series, circuit, parallel circuit, names of switches and components, input device, output device, system, monitor, control, program, flowchart function, innovative, design specification, design brief, user, purpose

Languages words

je suis, je ne suis pas, cool, fana de foot, fana de musique, britannique, bizarre, stupide, intelligente, sportif, tu es, il est, elle est, j'habite, maison, ville, campagne, il y a, il n'ya pas de, salon, cuisine, chambre, sale de bains, sale á manger, jouer, je joue, á l'ordinateur, corde á sauter, regarder, télé, Olympiques, faire, je fais, vélo, natation, gymnastique, danse, l'equitation

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Geography words

Amazon, basin, biome, confluence, continent, endangered, estuary, percolation, source, tributary, tropical, mineral, climate change, ozone layer, deforestation, physical/human, fieldwork, natural resources, sustainability, fossil fuel, ecosystem, industry, public service, settlement, latitude, longitude, equator, hemisphere

History words

Allies, Axis, atomic, Blitz, censorship, Nazism, Zeppelin, civilian, concentration camp, evacuate, liberate, occupied, propaganda, ration, refugee, cavalry, warfare, social, economic, cultural, civilisation, reconstruction, archaeology, munition, Meso-America, nobles, hierarchy, bloodletting, conquistadors, glyphs, agriculture, astronomy, interpretations, theory, climate, codex/codices, pagan, significance, Minoan, Mycenaean, Classical, Hellenistic, Roman Greek, city-state, democracy, architecture, empire, culture, terrain, polis, agora, trireme, monarchy, oligarchy, citizens, suffrage, stadium, Olympic, revival, marathon, myth, hoplite, phalanx, legacy

Music words

Synthesizer,
Timbre, Sampling,
Riff, Reggae,
Outro Notation,
Melodic, Interlude,
Harmony, Grime,
Ensemble,
Composing,
Notation,
Dynamics,
Appraising,
ACapella

PE words

pivot, Sidelines, transverse Lines, Simultaneous Contact, Substitution, Shooting Circle, Dodging, Contact, Defending Team, Marking

RE words

monotheism, polytheism, omnipotence, omniscience, eternal, holiness, ministry, kingdom, psalm, secular, miracle, confession, commandment, humanity, humanitarian, humanist, atheist, agnostic, resurrection, solemn, Pentecostal, Orthodox, commitment, Khalsa, Langar, Amrit, Guru Granth Sahib, Gurdwara, cosmology, evolution, creationism,

Other Tier 2 words

UNICEF – Dignity, Non-discrimination, Participation, Interdependence, Indivisibility, Transparency, Accountability, Inherent, Indivisible, Inalienable, Universal, Unconditional, Duty bearers, Rights holders.