Word Quest 1

List 24 · How much, how long, how often 2

Vocabulary and example	Write it

few det. /fjuː/

a small number of

Family: fewer · fewest **Use it with:** a few · very few · quite a few **Tip:** A few = some; "few" without "a" = not many (a bit negative).

Only a **few** students came to school in the snowstorm.

final adj./n. /ˈfaml/

last; also, the last game in a competition

Family: finals · finally (adv.) **Use it with:** the final match · the final exam

This is the **final** question of the quiz.

half n. /hɑːf/

one of two equal parts

Family: halves (pl.) **Use it with:** half an hour · half price · in half **Tip:** Half past three = 3:30.

Cut the apple in **half** and share it.

height n. /haɪt/

how tall someone or something is

Family: heights · high (adj.) **Use it with:** the height of · at a height of **Tip:** Spelled with "ei" and ends in "t", not "th".

What's the **height** of the Shanghai Tower?

high adj. /haɪ/

far above the ground; tall

Family: higher · highest · height (n.) **Use it with:** a high mountain · high school · high price **Tip:** Use "tall" for people: a tall boy, not a high boy.

The fence was too **high** to climb.

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hour n. /ˈaʊə/

a period of sixty minutes

Family: hours **Use it with:** an hour · for hours · rush hour **Tip:** The "h" is silent, so we say "an hour".

The film is three **hours** long!

include v. /ɪnˈkluːd/

to have something as one part of the whole

Family: includes · included · including (prep.) **Use it with:** include in · including tax

The price **includes** breakfast.

January n. /ˈdʒænjuːəri/

the first month of the year

Use it with: in January · January 1st

School starts again in **January** after the winter holiday.

July n. /dʒuːˈlaɪ/

the seventh month of the year

Use it with: in July · July 4th

July is the hottest month in our city.

kilometer n. /kɪˈlɒmɪtə/

a distance of 1,000 metres

Family: kilometers · km **Use it with:** a kilometer away · kilometers per hour **Tip:** American spelling; British English writes "kilometre".

I run five **kilometers** every Sunday morning.

later adv. /ˈleɪtə/

after now, or after the time you are talking about

Use it with: later on · two days later · sooner or later

See you **later**!

Vocabulary and example	Write it

length n. /leŋθ/

how long something is from one end to the other

Family: lengths · long (adj.) · lengthen (v.) **Use it with:** the length of · in length

The **length** of the pool is 50 metres.

50

level n. /'levl/

a height or standard; also, a stage in a game

Family: levels **Use it with:** high level · sea level · level of English

I finally reached **level** 50 in my favourite game!

50

line n. /laɪn/

a long thin mark; also, people waiting one behind the other

Family: lines **Use it with:** a straight line · stand in line · a bus line **Tip:** Stand in line is American; British English says "queue".

Draw a **line** under the title.

low adj. /ləʊ/

not high; close to the ground or small in number

Family: lower · lowest **Use it with:** a low price · low temperature · low voice

The table is too **low** for my legs.

many det. /'meni/

a large number of

Family: more · most **Use it with:** how many · too many · so many **Tip:** Use "many" with countable nouns: many books; "much" with uncountable: much water.

How **many** people are in your class?

million n. /'mɪlɪən/

the number 1,000,000

Family: millions **Use it with:** a million · millions of **Tip:** No -s after a number: "two million people", not "two millions".

This city has more than twenty **million** people.

2000

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Vocabulary and example	Write it

month n. /mʌnθ/

one of the twelve parts of a year

Family: months · monthly (adj.) **Use it with:** next month · last month · once a month

February is the shortest **month**.

never adv. /'nevə/

not at any time

Use it with: never again · never ever **Tip:** Don't use another "not" with it: "I never go", not "I don't never go".

I have **never** seen snow.