Word Quest 2

List 9 · Money and shopping

Vocabulary and example	Write it

account n. /əˈkaʊnt/

an arrangement with a bank to keep your money; also, a login for a website

Family: accounts **Use it with:** a bank account · open an account · an email account **Tip:** On account of means because of.

I opened a bank **account** to save my pocket money.

advertise v. /ˈædvətaɪz/

to tell people about something so they will buy it

Family: advertises · advertised · advertisement (n.) **Use it with:** advertise a product · advertise online

The new phone was **advertised** on every bus in the city.

afford v. /əˈfɔːd/

to have enough money to buy something

Family: affords · afforded · affordable (adj.) **Use it with:** can afford · can't afford **Tip:** Usually with "can" or "can't".

We can't **afford** a new car this year.

bet v./n. /bet/

to risk money on what will happen; also, to be sure

Family: bets · bet **Use it with:** I bet · make a bet · a safe bet **Tip:** I bet in speech means "I'm sure".

I **bet** you can't eat ten dumplings in one minute!

budget n. /ˈbʌdʒɪt/

a plan for how much money you can spend

Family: budgets **Use it with:** on a budget · a tight budget · over budget

Our class trip has a **budget** of 3,000 yuan.

3,000

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charge v./n. /tʃɑːdʒ/

to ask an amount of money for something; also, to fill a battery

Family: charges · charged **Use it with:** free of charge · in charge of · charge a phone **Tip:** In charge of means responsible for.

The museum doesn't **charge** students.

deal n./v. /diːl/

an agreement, especially in business

Family: deals · dealt **Use it with:** make a deal · a good deal · deal with **Tip:** Deal with a problem means take action to solve it.

I'll make you a **deal**: you wash, I dry.

debt n. /det/

money that you owe someone

Family: debts **Use it with:** in debt · pay off a debt **Tip:** The "b" is silent: "det".

He worked for three years to pay off his **debt**.

export v./n. /ˈekspɔːt/

to sell goods to another country

Family: exports · exported · exporter (n.) **Use it with:** export to · exports of **Tip:** Stress: the verb ex-PORT; the noun EX-port.

China **exports** a lot of electronics.

goods n. /gʊdz/

things that are made to be sold

Use it with: electrical goods · goods train **Tip:** Always plural.

The shop sells sports **goods**.

import v./n. /ɪmˈpɔːt/

to buy goods from another country

Family: imports · imported **Use it with:** import from · imports of

We **import** coffee from Africa.

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income n. /ˈɪŋkʌm/

money that you receive regularly, from work or other places

Family: incomes **Use it with:** a monthly income · low income

Their family **income** went up when his mum got a new job.

invest v. /ɪnˈvest/

to put money into something to make more money later

Family: invests · invested · investment (n.) **Use it with:** invest in · invest money

My uncle **invested** in a small tea shop.

loan n. /ləʊn/

money that you borrow and must pay back

Family: loans **Use it with:** take out a loan · pay back a loan

My cousin got a bank **loan** to pay for university.

millionaire n. /ˌmɪlɪəˈneə/

a very rich person, with at least a million yuan or dollars

Family: millionaires **Use it with:** become a millionaire

The old fisherman became a **millionaire** after he found a pearl.

payment n. /ˈpeɪmənt/

an amount of money that is paid

Family: payments · pay (v.) **Use it with:** make a payment · online payment

You can make the **payment** by phone.

product n. /ˈprɒdʌkt/

something that is made to be sold

Family: products · produce (v.) **Use it with:** a new product · dairy products

This shop only sells **products** made in our city.

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profit n. /ˈprɒfɪt/

money you earn after paying all your costs

Family: profits · profitable (adj.) **Use it with:** make a profit · profit from

The lemonade stand made a **profit** of 50 yuan.

50

refund n./v. /rɪˈfʌnd/

money given back to you when you return something

Family: refunds · refunded **Use it with:** a full refund · get a refund

The shoes broke, so I asked for a **refund**.

sum n. /sʌm/

an amount of money; also, a simple calculation

Family: sums **Use it with:** a large sum · do sums

They paid a large **sum** for the painting.

supply v./n. /səˈplaɪ/

to give people things that they need

Family: supplies · supplied · supplier (n.) **Use it with:** supply with · water supply · school supplies

This farm **supplies** milk to five schools.

value n. /ˈvæljuː/

how much something is worth

Family: values · valuable (adj.) **Use it with:** good value · the value of

The **value** of this old coin is 1,000 yuan!

1,000

worth adj. /wɜːθ/

having a certain value; deserving

Use it with: worth it · worth doing · worth a visit **Tip:** It's worth it means it was good, even if it was hard or expensive.

This old stamp is **worth** a lot of money.