Word Quest 4

List 7 · Travel and transport

Vocabulary and example	Write it

aboard adv./prep. /əˈbɔːd/

on or onto a ship, plane or train

Use it with: go aboard · welcome aboard

All passengers are now **aboard**.

anchor n./v. /ˈæŋkə/

a heavy metal object that stops a ship from moving

Family: anchors · anchored **Use it with:** drop anchor

The sailors dropped the **anchor** in the bay.

carriage n. /ˈkærɪdʒ/

one of the parts of a train where people sit; also, a vehicle pulled by horses

Family: carriages

Our seats are in **carriage** 6.

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commute v./n. /kəˈmjuːt/

to travel regularly between home and work

Family: commutes · commuted · commuter (n.)

My dad **commutes** an hour each way to work.

depart v. /dɪˈpɑːt/

to leave

Family: departs · departed · departure (n.) **Use it with:** depart from

The train **departs** at 9:15.

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escort v./n. /ˈeskɔːt/

to go with someone to protect or guide them

Family: escorts · escorted

The police **escorted** the president's car.

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frontier n. /ˈfrʌntɪə/

the border between two countries; also, the edge of what is known

Family: frontiers

They crossed the **frontier** at night.

harbor n. /ˈhɑːbə/

a protected area of water where ships stay

Family: harbors **Tip:** American spelling; British English writes “harbour”.

The fishing boats returned to the **harbor**.

indirect adj. /ɪndaɪˈrekt/

not going straight from one place to another

Family: indirectly (adv.) **Use it with:** an indirect flight

We took an **indirect** route to avoid the traffic.

inland adv./adj. /ˈɪnlənd/

away from the sea, towards the middle of a country

The town is 100 km **inland**.

100 km

landmark n. /ˈlændmɑːk/

a famous building or place that is easy to recognize

Family: landmarks

The Oriental Pearl Tower is a Shanghai **landmark**.

navigate v. /ˈnævɪgeɪt/

to find the right way to travel

Family: navigates · navigated · navigation (n.)

Sailors once **navigated** by the stars.

paddle n./v. /ˈpædl/

a short pole with a flat end, for moving a small boat

Family: paddles · paddled

We **paddled** the canoe across the lake.

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steer v. /stɪə/ to control the direction of a vehicle **Family:** steers · steered **Use it with:** steer clear of It's hard to **steer** a bike with one hand.	
voyage n. /ˈvɔɪɪdʒ/ a long journey by sea or in space **Family:** voyages The **voyage** across the ocean took three weeks.	
wagon n. /ˈwægən/ a vehicle with four wheels pulled by horses **Family:** wagons Settlers crossed America in **wagons**.	

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