Word Quest 5

List 2 · Feelings and character 2

Vocabulary and example	Write it

fortunate adj. /ˈfɔːtʃənət/

lucky

Family: fortunately (adv.)

We were **fortunate** to get the last tickets.

fuss n./v. /fʌs/

unnecessary worry or excitement

Family: fusses · fussed · fussy (adj.) **Use it with:** make a fuss

Don't make a **fuss**: it's only a small cut.

gloom n. /gluːm/

darkness; also, a feeling of sadness

Family: gloomy (adj.)

A sense of **gloom** filled the room after the bad news.

hearty adj. /ˈhɑːti/

large and filling (of food); also, warm and friendly

Family: heartier · heartily (adv.) **Use it with:** a hearty laugh

We ate a **hearty** breakfast before the hike.

horrified adj. /ˈhɒrɪfaɪd/

very shocked and upset

Family: horrify (v.)

She was **horrified** by the mess.

horrifying adj. /ˈhɒrɪfaɪɪŋ/

causing great shock and fear

The accident was **horrifying**.

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humane adj. /hjuːˈmeɪn/

kind; not causing pain

Family: humanely (adv.) **Tip:** Not the same as "human".

We need a **humane** way to catch the mice.

humble adj. /ˈhʌmbl/

not thinking you are better than others

Family: humbler · humbly (adv.)

Despite his fame, he's very **humble**.

idle adj. /ˈaɪdl/

not working or doing anything; also, lazy

Family: idly (adv.)

The machines stood **idle** during the holiday.

innate adj. /ɪnˈneɪt/

that you are born with

She has an **innate** talent for music.

innovative adj. /ˈɪnəveɪtɪv/

new and creative

Family: innovation (n.)

The school uses **innovative** teaching methods.

inward adj./adv. /ˈɪnwəd/

towards the inside; also, in your mind

Family: inwards **Tip:** Opposite: outward.

He felt an **inward** calm.

loneliness n. /ˈləʊnlinəs/

the sad feeling of being alone

Family: lonely (adj.)

Many old people suffer from **loneliness**.

Vocabulary and example	Write it

marvel v./n. /ˈmɑːvl/

to be amazed by something

Family: marvels · marvelled · marvellous (adj.) **Use it with:** marvel at

We **marvelled** at the size of the whale.

misery n. /ˈmɪzəri/

great unhappiness

Family: miseries · miserable (adj.)

The long, wet camping trip was pure **misery**.

morale n. /məˈræl/

how confident and happy a group feels

Tip: Stress: mo-RAL.

Winning lifted the team's **morale**.

mourn v. /mɔːn/

to feel deep sadness after someone dies

Family: mourns · mourned · mourning (n.)

The whole town **mourned** the old doctor.

optimist n. /ˈɒptɪmɪst/

a person who always expects good things to happen

Family: optimists · optimistic (adj.) **Tip:** Opposite: pessimist.

She's an **optimist**: she thinks every day will be great.

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