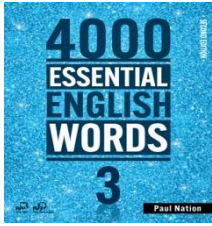


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## Word List

### Unit 1

Word	Part	Definition
acre	n.	a unit for measuring area
afterlife	n.	a life that begins when a person dies
archaeology	n.	the study of the remains left by ancient societies
chamber	n.	a closed space or room used for a special purpose
channel	n.	a long, deep space between two edges
core	n.	the main or central part of something
corridor	n.	a narrow passage
distinct	adj.	different or stands out
elite	adj.	a high-level group
engineer	v.	to skillfully plan out how to make that thing
found	v.	to start, organize, or establish that thing
gap	n.	a space between two things
glory	n.	the importance, magnificence, or specialness of something
interior	n.	the inside of something
lion	n.	a large animal in the cat family
role	n.	a job, position, or part in something
royal	adj.	related to a king or queen
sole	adj.	the only one
stairs	n.	a set of steps built to go from one level of a building to another
surface	n.	the top layer of something

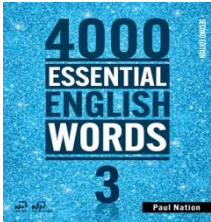


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### Unit 2

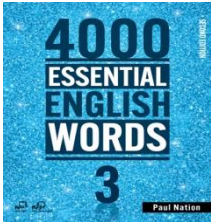
Word	Part	Definition
agreement	n.	a formal decision about future action
arise	v.	to arise is to happen
benefactor	n.	a person who gives money to help someone
blacksmith	n.	a person who makes things out of metal
chimney	n.	a tall pipe used to carry smoke out of a building
compensate	v.	to pay someone for the time they spent doing something
encounter	v.	to find or meet a person or thing
exceed	v.	to be more than something
forge	v.	to make or produce, especially with difficulty
humble	adj.	People who are humble do not believe that they are better than other people
iron	n.	a strong metal that is used to make many objects
ladder	n.	an object that is used to climb up and down
modest	adj.	If people are modest, they do not think that they are too important
occupy	v.	to live, work, or be there
penny	n.	a coin worth one cent
preach	v.	to talk about and promote a religious idea
prosper	v.	to be successful or make a lot of money
province	v.	an area that is controlled by a country
satisfaction	n.	the feeling of having done or received something good
sustain	v.	to keep it going



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### Unit 3

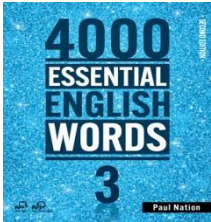
Word	Part	Definition
acquire	v.	to get or gain possession of that thing
awkward	adj.	embarrassing and uncomfortable
caretaker	n.	a person who takes care of very young, old, or sick people
deceive	v.	to make someone believe something that is not true
discourage	v.	to make someone feel less excited about something
fake	adj.	made to look real in order to trick people
hatred	n.	a strong feeling of not liking someone or something
hut	n.	a house made of wood, grass, or mud that has only one or two rooms
inferior	adj.	not as good as something else
lodge	n.	a house in the mountains used by people who hunt or fish
neglect	v.	to not take care of it properly
newcomer	n.	a person who has recently arrived at a place or a group
offense	n.	behavior that is wrong or breaks a law
overlook	v.	to not notice it or to not realize that it is important
repay	v.	to pay back or to reward someone or something
ridiculous	adj.	silly or strange
satisfactory	adj.	good enough
shepherd	n.	a person who protects and cares for sheep
venture	v.	to go to a place that may be dangerous
wheat	n.	a plant from which we get the grain used to make bread



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### Unit 4

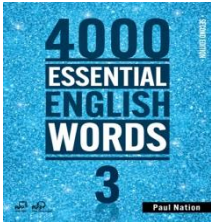
Word	Part	Definition
alley	n.	a narrow road between houses or buildings
ax	n.	a tool used to cut wood
bunch	n.	a group of the same things
chore	n.	an unpleasant job that must be done
decent	adj.	OK or good enough
disgraceful	adj.	behavior that is very bad
elbow	n.	the middle part of an arm, where it bends
grateful	adj.	feels thankful about something
irritate	v.	to annoy someone
kid	n.	to say something that is not true as a joke
loose	adj.	not held in place tightly
offend	v.	to make someone angry or upset
overnight	adv.	happens during the night
persist	v.	to keep doing something even when it is hard
pine	n.	a type of tall, thin tree with needles instead of leaves
scar	n.	a mark on the skin after a wound heals
sensation	n.	a feeling that people get from their senses
sled	n.	a small vehicle used on snow
tease	v.	to laugh at or make fun of someone
valentine	n.	someone loved or admired with great affection



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### Unit 5

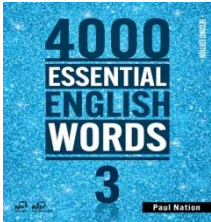
Word	Part	Definition
acquaint	v.	to get to know something or someone
cemetery	n.	a place where people are buried when they die
creature	n.	an animal or person
curse	n.	to hope that bad things happen to that person
disguise	v.	something you wear so people cannot tell who you are
fancy	adj.	nicer or more detailed than normal
flashlight	n.	a small electric light that people carry in their hands
hood	n.	part of a coat that goes over a person's head
inhabitant	n.	a person who lives in a certain place
nourish	v.	to give someone or something the food needed to live
pirate	n.	a sailor who steals things from other boats
publication	n.	something printed, like a newspaper or book
riddle	n.	a question that is difficult to answer but meant to be funny
rot	v.	to slowly get softer and become destroyed
shortly	adv.	happens very soon
skeleton	n.	all the bones of a body
spoil	v.	to rot or to make bad
starve	v.	to not get enough food for a long period of time
thrill	n.	an exciting feeling
wicked	adj.	very bad or evil



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### Unit 6

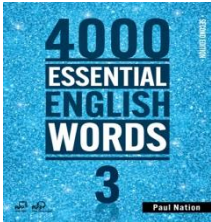
Word	Part	Definition
alert	v.	to tell or warn that person about something
broadcast	n.	a television or radio show
bulletin	n.	a news report about very recent and important events
bump	v.	a small raised area on a surface
chop	v.	to cut it into pieces with a tool
closet	n.	a small room used to store things
console	v.	to give comfort to a person who feels sad
district	n.	a small part of a city, county, state, or country
drawer	n.	a small part in furniture that is used to store things
endure	v.	to experience and survive something difficult
execute	v.	to kill someone as a legal punishment
grasp	v.	to hold it
rear	n.	the back part of that thing
senator	n.	someone who makes laws for a state
skull	n.	the hard head bone that protects the brain
stir	v.	to mix it using something small, like a spoon
tap	v.	to hit it lightly
tremendous	adj.	very large or very good
underneath	prep.	below or under
worm	n.	a small animal with a long, thin body



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### Unit 7

Word	Part	Definition
abandon	v.	to leave it forever or for a long time
ambitious	adj.	person wants to be rich or successful
bark	v.	to make a short, loud noise, like a dog
bay	n.	an area near the ocean where the land goes inward
brilliant	adj.	very bright or smart
chin	n.	the hard part at the bottom of a person's face
complaint	n.	an expression of unhappiness about something.
deaf	adj.	cannot hear
enthusiastic	adj.	excited by or interested in something
expedition	n.	a long trip, usually to a place very far away
horizon	n.	where the sky looks like it meets the ground
loyal	adj.	always help or support a certain person or thing
mayor	n.	the person in charge of a city
mutual	adj.	felt in the same way by two or more people
overweight	adj.	heavier than is healthy
refuge	n.	a place of safety
restore	v.	to put it back the way it was
rub	v.	to push on it and move your hand back and forth
senses	n.	how living things experience the world: sight, taste, smell, hearing and touch
veterinarian	n.	a doctor who takes care of animals

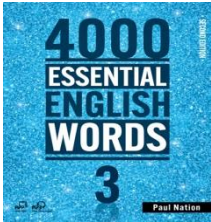


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### Unit 8

Word	Part	Definition
anniversary	n.	a day that celebrates something from the past
arithmetic	n.	math
ashamed	adj.	feeling upset and embarrassed because of a bad action
burst	v.	to suddenly break open or apart
carpenter	n.	a person who builds things with wood
coal	n.	hard black material that people burn for heat
couch	n.	a long, soft seat that many people can sit on
drip	v.	to fall a little bit at a time
elegant	adj.	very fancy and pleasing
fabric	n.	cloth used to make clothes, furniture, etc.
highlands	n.	high areas of land, usually with mountains
ivory	n.	a hard, white substance that comes from elephants
mill	n.	a building in which wheat is ground into flour
needle	n.	a small, sharp piece of metal used to make or fix clothes
polish	v.	to rub it in order to make it shiny
sew	v.	to put pieces of cloth together using string or thread
shed	n.	a small building in which people store things like tools
thread	n.	a thin piece of string
trim	v.	to cut it a little bit
upwards	adv.	moves vertically towards the direction above

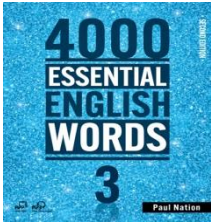




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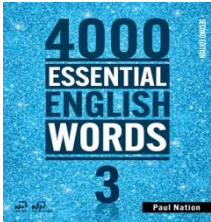
Word	Part	Definition
ally	n.	someone who agrees to help or support another person or group
boast	v.	to talk about how great one is
bounce	v.	to move up and away from a surface after hitting it
bully	n.	a person who is mean to others
carbohydrate	n.	substances in foods like bread that give energy
crawl	v.	to move slowly on hands and knees
defeat	v.	to beat that person in a game or battle
dial	n.	a circular tool, like the front of a clock
dominant	adj.	stronger than others
entire	adj.	the whole thing or group
mercy	n.	a feeling or act of kindness
nod	v.	to move your head up and down
opponent	n.	a person or group trying to defeat another person or group
quarrel	n.	to argue or fight
rival	n.	someone trying to achieve the same thing as another
sore	adj.	feeling or causing pain
sting	v.	to cause pain by pushing a sharp part into the skin
strain	v.	to try very hard
torture	n.	action that causes physical or mental pain
wrestle	v.	to try to push another competitor to the floor



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### Unit 10

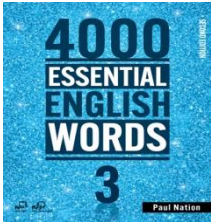
Word	Part	Definition
absence	n.	the state of something being away
aloud	adv.	done so that people can hear it
bald	adj.	has no hair
blanket	n.	a piece of cloth that people use to keep warm or to sit upon
creep	v.	to move quietly and slowly
divorce	n.	the process of ending a marriage
imitate	v.	to act in the exact same way
infant	n.	a baby
kidnap	v.	to take that person illegally
nap	n.	a short sleep, usually during the day
nowhere	adv.	no place or not existing
pat	v.	to hit it softly with your hand
relief	n.	a good feeling after something bad or challenging ends
reproduce	v.	to make something exactly how someone else did it
rhyme	n.	writing or speech that has words with the same ending sounds
suck	v.	to put something in your mouth and try to get something out of it
urgent	adj.	important and needs to be done now
vanish	v.	to go away suddenly
wagon	n.	a cart used to carry heavy things
wrinkle	n.	a line on a person's face that appears as they get old



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### Unit 11

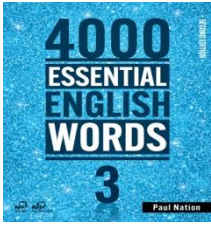
Word	Part	Definition
architecture	n.	the design and form of a building
basket	n.	a container made of woven materials that is used to carry things
bloom	v.	to produce an open flower
canoe	n.	a long, light boat with pointed ends
carpet	n.	a thick, heavy, woven fabric used to cover the floor
cousin	n.	the child of one's aunt and uncle
desk	n.	a piece of furniture that people sit at to do work
gallery	n.	a large space where people can see works of art
guest	n.	someone who is invited to an event, occasion, or location
host	n.	someone who invites a guest someplace
July	n.	The seventh month of the year
modern	adj.	belongs to the current time
museum	n.	a building that displays cultural, social, and scientific objects
pink	adj.	a pale shade of red
plane	n.	a vehicle that has an engine and wings and flies in the air
refrigerator	n.	a large electrical machine used to keep food cold
temperature	n.	a measure of how hot or cold something is
theater	n.	a place where people can watch movies or live shows
upper	adj.	a higher position
welcome	v.	to greet someone or something with pleasure



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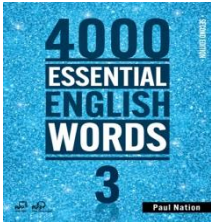
Word	Part	Definition
anticipate	v.	to think that it will happen
barrel	n.	a round thing that you can keep liquids in
beam	n.	a heavy bar
casual	adj.	relaxed or simple
caution	n.	care and attention in order to avoid danger
contrary	adj.	the opposite to another thing
deliberate	adj.	one done on purpose, not by accident
dissolve	v.	to mix it into a liquid until it disappears
explode	v.	to suddenly move apart in many smaller pieces
fasten	v.	to close it or attach it to something
germ	n.	a very small living thing that can make people sick
kit	n.	a set of all the things needed to do something
puff	n.	a little bit of smoke or steam
rag	n.	a small towel
scatter	v.	to make it go in many places
scent	n.	a smell
steel	n.	a strong gray metal
swift	adj.	fast
toss	v.	to throw it softly
triumph	n.	the act or feeling of winning



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### Unit 13

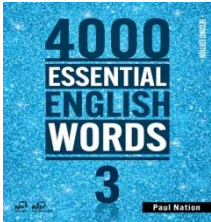
Word	Part	Definition
aboard	prep.	someone aboard a ship or plane is in or on it
bitter	adj.	feels upset or angry about something
bullet	n.	a small metal object that is shot out of a gun
devil	n.	a powerful evil spirit in some religions
drift	v.	to be moved slowly by wind or water
enforce	v.	to make a person follow a rule
fountain	n.	a source of water made by people
harbor	n.	an area of water along a shore where boats land
inhabit	n.	to live in a certain place
march	v.	to walk at a steady pace together with others
millionaire	n.	a person who has at least a million dollars
port	n.	a place where ships stop to load and unload things
sheriff	n.	a police officer who is in charge of a large area
startle	v.	to scare someone suddenly
sweat	n.	to lose liquid from the body through the skin
trigger	n.	the part of a gun that a person pulls to make it fire
unify	v.	to bring people or things together
vessel	n.	a large ship or boat
voyage	n.	a long journey made on a boat or an aircraft
worship	n.	to like and honor a person, thing, or religious figure



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### Unit 14

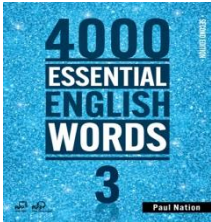
Word	Part	Definition
apprentice	n.	a person who learns how to do a job from a skilled person
assure	v.	to tell them something is true to make them less worried
bandage	n.	a piece of cloth used to stop bleeding
bleed	v.	to lose blood
bond	v.	to become friends with person
chef	n.	a person who cooks in a restaurant
crown	n.	the hat worn by a king or queen
departure	n.	the act of leaving a place
diligent	adj.	works hard and is careful
emperor	n.	the leader of a group of countries
fiber	n.	a thread of a substance used to make clothes or rope
horrible	adj.	very bad
impolite	adj.	rude, or not polite
kneel	v.	to put one or both knees on the ground
luxury	n.	an expensive thing that is nice but not needed
massive	adj.	very big
panic	v.	to feel so nervous or afraid that one cannot think clearly
priority	n.	something that is more important than other things
robe	n.	a long, loose piece of clothing
scold	v.	to criticize someone angrily for doing something wrong



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### Unit 15

Word	Part	Definition
affair	n.	an event or a thing that happened
assembly	n.	a group gathered together for the same reason
bless	v.	to ask God for protection or help
cereal	n.	a breakfast food made from grains that is eaten with milk
cheerful	adj.	happy and pleasant
diameter	n.	the diameter of a round thing is the length across its center
exploit	v.	to use it for greedy reasons rather than good reasons
famine	n.	a long time with little or no food
harvest	n.	the act of collecting food from farming
merry	adj.	happy and pleasant
nut	n.	a hard seed or fruit that comes from some trees and bushes
pardon	v.	to not be angry at someone for asking a question or for making a mistake
pharaoh	n.	a king in ancient Egypt
ripe	adj.	ready to be eaten
roast	v.	to cook it in an oven or over a fire
routine	n.	a way of doing things that is the same every time
scheme	n.	a plan or design
slim	adj.	thin, not thick
stove	n.	device used to cook food
theft	n.	a criminal act that involves someone stealing something

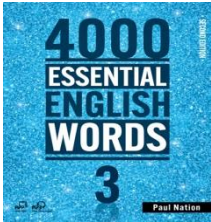


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### Unit 16

Word	Part	Definition
adolescent	n.	a young person or a teenager
aptitude	n.	a natural ability or skill
compliment	n.	to say a nice thing about someone or something
hinder	v.	to stop someone or something from doing something
journalism	n.	the work of collecting the news to put in newspapers or on TV
jury	n.	a group of people that listen to a trial and say if someone is guilty
justice	n.	fairness in the way that people are treated
liberty	n.	freedom to do what one wants
literary	adj.	involved with literature in some way
pharmacy	n.	a place where medicine is sold
pill	n.	a small object that has medicine inside
presume	v.	to believe something is true without being certain
privacy	n.	the state of being happily away from other people
punishment	n.	something that one must endure for any wrongdoing
sensible	adj.	good and smart
slice	n.	a piece from something larger, such as a cake
sorrow	n.	a very sad feeling
straw	n.	a thin tube that is used to suck liquid into the mouth
swell	v.	to become larger and rounder
tidy	adj.	clean and in order

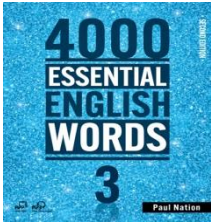




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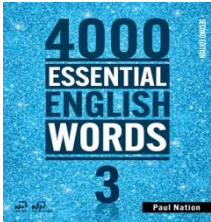
Word	Part	Definition
affection	n.	a feeling of liking someone or something
agency	n.	a business or service set up to act for others
ash	n.	the grey or black powder created when something is burned
confine	v.	to keep it in one place
dismiss	v.	to say it is not important
erupt	v.	to explode or blow apart, especially a volcano
fate	n.	a power that causes things to happen
lava	n.	the hot substance made of melted rock that comes out of volcanoes
miserable	adj.	very unhappy
navigate	v.	to control the way it moves or goes
originate	v.	to start there
remainder	n.	what is left
retrieve	v.	to find it and get it back
shallow	adj.	not deep
slope	n.	ground that is not flat
span	n.	to spread across an amount of time or space
superstition	n.	something magical that people believe is real
sympathy	n.	a feeling of sadness for another person who feels bad
vibrate	v.	to shake very hard
wander	v.	to walk without going to a certain place



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### Unit 18

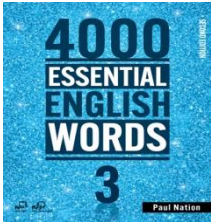
Word	Part	Definition
armor	n.	metal worn by soldiers to protect the body
blaze	v.	to burn brightly or powerfully
boom	n.	to make a loud, deep sound
cliff	n.	a high and often flat wall of rock
flame	n.	part of a fire
independence	n.	the state of being free from the control of others
invasion	n.	an attack by a group from another country
knight	n.	a soldier of high rank and skill who usually serves a king
lightning	n.	the bright light seen during a storm
rebel	n.	a person who fights the government in order to change it
retreat	v.	to run away because of losing a fight
revolution	n.	a change to the political system by a group of people
spear	n.	a long stick with a blade on one end that is used as a weapon
steep	adj.	a slope or angle that rises or falls sharply
summit	n.	the highest part of a hill or mountain
thunder	n.	the loud noise heard during a storm
troops	n.	soldiers that fight in groups in a battle
warrior	n.	a brave soldier or fighter
withdraw	v.	to leave a place, usually during war
yield	v.	to give up control of it or to give it away



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### Unit 19

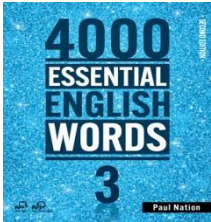
Word	Part	Definition
bench	n.	a long seat for two or more people
daisy	n.	a small flower with white petals and a yellow center
dispute	n.	an argument or disagreement that people have
empty	adj.	one that has no things in it
horror	n.	a feeling of being very afraid or shocked
incident	n.	an event that is usually not pleasant
mist	n.	water that can be seen in the air or on a surface
object	n.	a non-living thing that you can see or touch
orphan	n.	a child who does not have parents
plot	v.	to make a secret plan to do something that is wrong or mean
pregnant	adj.	have a baby
rage	n.	a very angry feeling
revenge	n.	the act of hurting someone who has hurt you
shame	n.	a bad feeling about things one has done wrong
sigh	v.	to breathe out loudly to show tiredness, boredom, or sadness
sneak	v.	to move quietly in order not to be seen or heard
spare	adj.	to give it away because it is not needed
stem	n.	the stick that grows leaves or flowers
supper	n.	a meal that is eaten in the evening
tender	adj.	soft and easy to chew



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### Unit 20

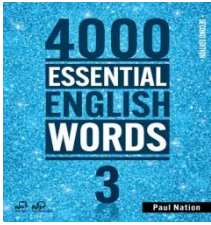
Word	Part	Definition
beneath	prep.	under or lower than
cub	n.	a baby animal, such as a bear or lion
dawn	n.	the time of day when the sun rises
dissatisfied	adj.	not happy with something
ease	n.	a condition without difficulty or hard work
evident	adj.	easy to see or understand
hail	n.	ice that falls from the sky when rain freezes
howl	v.	to make a long, loud sound like a wolf or a dog
leap	v.	to jump a long distance
magnificent	adj.	beautiful and grand
necessity	n.	something that is needed
outcome	n.	the end result of an action or event
pile	n.	a large group of things on top of one another
profound	adj.	deep or very intelligent
seize	v.	to grab it quickly or strongly
squeeze	v.	to press it together and hold it tightly
supreme	adj.	the highest level or best quality
terrific	adj.	very good
trait	n.	part of someone's personality
vital	adj.	necessary for life



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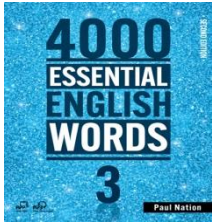
Word	Part	Definition
attack	v.	to hurt or damage it
breast	n.	one of the two soft parts on a woman's chest
cancer	n.	a serious disease that causes cells to grow abnormally
cancerous	adj.	cells are the result of cancer
cell	n.	the smallest part of a living thing that can live by itself
cigarette	n.	a thinly wrapped paper tube filled with tobacco that is smoked
code	n.	a set of symbols used to hide or read a message
cure	v.	a medical treatment to make a sickness go away
destruction	n.	to cause its destruction
DNA	n.	the short form of deoxyribonucleic acid
extensive	adj.	large in size or amount
female	n.	women or girls
furthermore	adv.	more information will be added
gene	n.	controls what it looks like, how an organism grows, and how it develops
inherit	v.	to receive something that is passed down from a relative
link	n.	a connection to something else
male	adj.	men or boys
population	n.	all the people living in an area
result	n.	happens because of something else
sugar	n.	used to make food taste sweet



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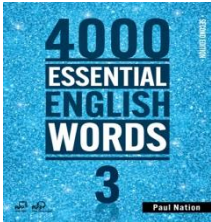
Word	Part	Definition
accommodate	v.	to have enough room
circus	n.	a traveling show with animals and people
coincide	v.	to happen at the same time
commission	n.	to pay that person to do some job
dose	n.	a certain amount of medicine taken at one time
dye	v.	to make it a certain color by using a special chemical
extent	n.	how large, important, or serious it is
gender	n.	a category that describes being either a boy or a girl
headline	n.	the title of a newspaper story
informal	adj.	casual and relaxed, not official
inquire	v.	to ask about it
messenger	n.	one who carries information from one place to another
peer	v.	to watch it carefully
portrait	n.	a painting or photograph of someone
pose	v.	to stay in one place without moving
ranch	n.	a large farm where animals are kept
steer	v.	to control where it goes
stripe	n.	a thick line
tame	adj.	not afraid to be near people
tempt	v.	to offer them something they want but shouldn't have



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van	v.	to not let people do it
cautious	adj.	careful to avoid danger
confess	v.	to admit a bad or embarrassing truth
cottage	n.	a small, old house in the countryside
daytime	n.	the time of the day when the sky is light
desperate	adj.	person will try anything to do or change something
exhausting	adj.	very tiring
fade	v.	to become quieter or less bright
fierce	adj.	angry or violent
gamble	v.	to play a game that involves winning or losing money
lawn	n.	an area covered in grass
mow	v.	to cut it to make it short
outlaw	n.	a criminal who hides from the police
prospect	n.	a possibility that something will happen
purse	n.	a bag in which women keep money, makeup, keys, etc.
rod	n.	a thin stick made of wood or metal
seldom	adv.	n action doesn't happen very often
shave	v.	to cut the hairs on one's face with a sharp tool
terrified	adj.	extremely scared
wizard	n.	a man who can do magic

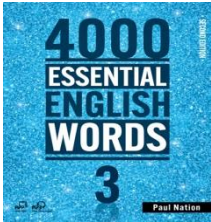


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Word	Part	Definition
abroad	adj.	done in a different country
airline	n.	a company that takes people to different places by plane
audience	n.	a group of people who gather to watch someone do something
bargain	n.	a very good price paid for a product
brief	adj.	lasts a short time
currency	n.	the type of money used in that country
data	n.	a collection of information and facts
domestic	adj.	something that happens within a particular country
draft	n.	a piece of written work that is not in its final form
gather	v.	to form a group or bring together
hobby	n.	a fun and creative activity people do in their free time
income	n.	the money you earned from work
jet	n.	a fast plane with a big engine
maximum	adj.	the highest amount of anything allowed
official	adj.	approved by someone in authority
recommend	n.	to give advice based on experience
refer	v.	to mention or call attention to it
remote	adj.	distant or far away
sleepless	adj.	a time period in which someone does not sleep
volume	n.	the total amount of something

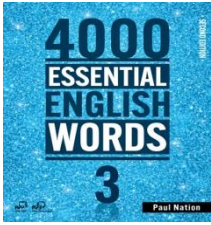




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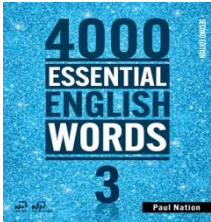
Word	Part	Definition
circulate	v.	to spread something around, especially in a circular way
consequent	adj.	happening because of a different situation
derive	v.	to come, or originate, from a thing or place
drown	v.	to die from not being able to breathe underwater
dynasty	n.	a series of rulers who are all from the same family
fraction	n.	a small part of something
frost	n.	a white layer of ice that forms during very cold weather
illusion	n.	something that looks real, but doesn't actually exist
invade	v.	to take over a place by force
lieutenant	n.	a rank in the military or police, or a person with that rank
marine	adj.	something related to the sea
merit	n.	a positive or good quality
navy	n.	the part of a country's military that fights at sea
polar	adj.	the cold places on Earth's north and south ends
ray	n.	a line of light that comes from a bright object
resign	v.	to quit a job
suicide	n.	the act of killing oneself
tremble	v.	to shake as a result of excitement or cold weather
underlying	adj.	a hidden cause or reason
via	prep.	introduces a route or means of travel



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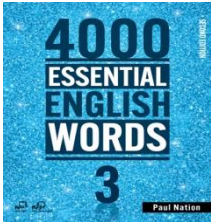
Word	Part	Definition
alter	v.	to change it
aside	adv.	done toward the side of something or someplace
autumn	n.	the season of the year between summer and winter
blend	v.	to mix two or more things together
collapse	v.	to fall down suddenly
crush	v.	to press it together so its shape is destroyed
curve	n.	to move in a line that bends and does not go straight
disgusting	adj.	very unpleasant.
drain	n.	a pipe that carries away water from a building, such as in a kitchen
embrace	v.	to hug
envy	v.	to wish that you had something that other person has
fireworks	n.	objects that create colored lights when they are lit
flour	n.	a powder that is used to make foods like bread
fuse	n.	a string on fireworks that burns to make them explode
jealous	adj.	might take something from you
ginger	n.	a root of a plant that is used to make food spicy and sweet
paste	n.	a thick and smooth substance
receipt	n.	a paper that proves that something was received or bought
wipe	v.	to slide a piece of cloth over it to clean it
wire	n.	a thin string made out of metal



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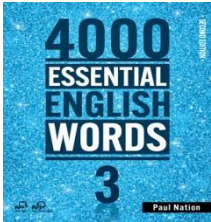
Word	Part	Definition
acknowledge	v.	to accept that it is true or that it exists
ambassador	n.	a government worker who works in another country
blonde	n.	a person with light-colored hair
conquer	v.	to attack and take control of it
drag	v.	to pull it across the ground
exaggerate	v.	to say that something is bigger or better than it really is
heritage	n.	the collection of features of a society, such as language and religion
insult	v.	to say things that will hurt the person's feelings
meanwhile	adv.	happens at the same time as another action
necklace	n.	a piece of jewelry that people wear around their necks
noble	n.	a rich and powerful person
precious	adj.	valuable and important
prejudice	n.	an unfair opinion about people based on the group they belong to
rumor	n.	a story that may not be true
sin	n.	something that is wrong for religious reasons
spectacle	n.	an amazing sight
stack	n.	a pile of different things
suspicious	adj.	does not trust others, or is not trusted by others
tin	n.	an inexpensive metal
vase	n.	an attractive container in which people keep flowers



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Word	Part	Definition
ache	v.	to hurt, or cause pain
arctic	adj.	something is of or from the cold, far-north part of the Earth
canal	n.	a path for water to travel through
chemist	n.	a scientist who works with chemicals
chill	n.	a feeling of cold
congress	n.	a group of leaders in a government
dairy	adj.	something is made from milk
descend	v.	to go downward
grocer	n.	a person who sells food
hesitate	v.	to wait for a short time before doing something
institution	n.	an organization that works to help a city or group of people
jog	v.	to run slowly
merchant	n.	a person who sells things
poke	v.	to push something quickly with your finger or a pointed object
postpone	v.	to make it happen later than planned
splash	v.	to crash into something so that liquid spreads out
stubborn	adj.	don't change their minds easily
suburb	n.	a small part of a large city
tide	n.	the level of the water in the sea
tragedy	n.	a very sad event

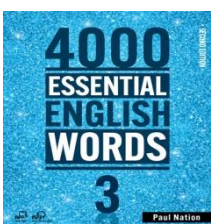


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Word	Part	Definition
bomb	n.	an object that explodes and destroys large areas
certificate	n.	a document that says that something is true or happened
circumstance	n.	an event that makes a situation what it is
coffin	n.	a box used to bury dead people
cope	v.	to cope with a difficult or stressful situation means to deal with it
criticism	n.	the act of saying that something is not correct or good
devastate	v.	to cause great damage or pain to that thing
frown	v.	to make an unhappy look with one's face
gaze	v.	to look at it for a long time
glance	v.	to look at it quickly
grief	n.	the feeling of deep sadness, usually when a person dies
groom	n.	a man who is going to be married
license	n.	an official document that gives one permission to do something
microscope	n.	a device that makes small objects look bigger
nuclear	adj.	relates to the division or joining of atoms
portray	v.	to describe it or show it in a picture
rotate	v.	to turn it around in a circle
souvenir	n.	something bought to remember of a place or event
submarine	n.	a boat that can go underwater for long periods of time
trace	v.	to follow over it with the eyes or a finger



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<b>Word</b>	<b>Part</b>	<b>Definition</b>
coastline	n.	the outline of a country's coast
deter	v.	to prevent or discourage someone from doing something
devise	v.	to come up with an idea or plan about it
distance	n.	how far it is between two points
expertise	n.	the knowledge and skills to do something well
fracture	n.	a crack or break in something
headache	n.	a pain in one's head
implement	v.	to ensure that what has been planned is done
insight	n.	a deep and accurate understanding of something
limb	n.	a large branch on a tree
might	n.	strength or power
optimism	n.	the state of being hopeful about the future
proficient	adj.	able to do something well
raft	n.	a flat kind of boat
ridge	n.	a long, narrow piece of raised land
shoulder	n.	the body part between the top of the arm and the neck
shove	v.	to push it with a lot of power
spouse	n.	the person to whom someone is married
thrust	v.	to push or move something quickly with a lot of force
tolerate	v.	to be able to accept it even when it is unpleasant