



**KNOWLEDGE IS POWER**

# **WHAT IS NEW IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE?**

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# ACTUALITY

I am a student of the sixth year and  
I have been studying English for six years.

I must confess I am fond of this language.

I watch lots of cartoons and  
read books in English.

Here I should say that I can understand English  
books much better than cartoons and films.

Not only because I see texts in books but because cartoons are  
full of the words which are new and difficult to find in  
dictionaries.

So,

I realized

that it's very important

to keep up with the changes

of the language to be able to understand it.

# THE AIM

MAKE IT POSSIBLE  
THE UNDERSTANDING AND  
USAGE OF THE NEW ENGLISH WORDS  
AND CREATE SOME BY MYSELF

# THE TASKS

STUDY AND ANALYZE THE DEVELOPMENT  
OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND PRESENT  
THE INFORMATION IN DIAGRAMS

PRESENT THE WORDS THAT APPEAL TO ME  
AND CREATE SETS OF PRACTICAL ACTIVITIES  
TO BE ABLE TO USE THESE WORDS  
CORRECTLY



**WELL, FIRST OF ALL I LOOKED  
THROUGH THE HISTORY OF THE  
LANGUAGE TO FEEL IT AND ITS  
CHANGES AS NOBODY CAN DO  
WITHOUT HISTORY.**

**WHILE WORKING ON MY  
RESEARCH I MADE UP SOME  
DIAGRAMS ABOUT CHANGES  
IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.**

**The old english  
(from 5<sup>th</sup>  
century  
to 1066)**

## **Grammar**

**Nouns decline  
for five cases,  
verbs  
conjugate for  
three persons**

**Sunu - sun**

## **Vocabulary**

**Affected by Celtic  
languages,  
Scandinavian and  
Latin borrowings**

**Ox, cow,  
sheep**

## **Spelling**

**Old English was  
first written in  
runes, There were  
not usually any  
silent letters**

**Cniht - knight**





**Middle  
English  
(1066-  
1450)**

**Grammar**

**The plurals of  
nouns  
generally end  
in -n or -en**

**Ox - oxen**

**Vocabulary**

**Middle English is  
marked by a great  
deal of French  
influence on  
vocabulary.**

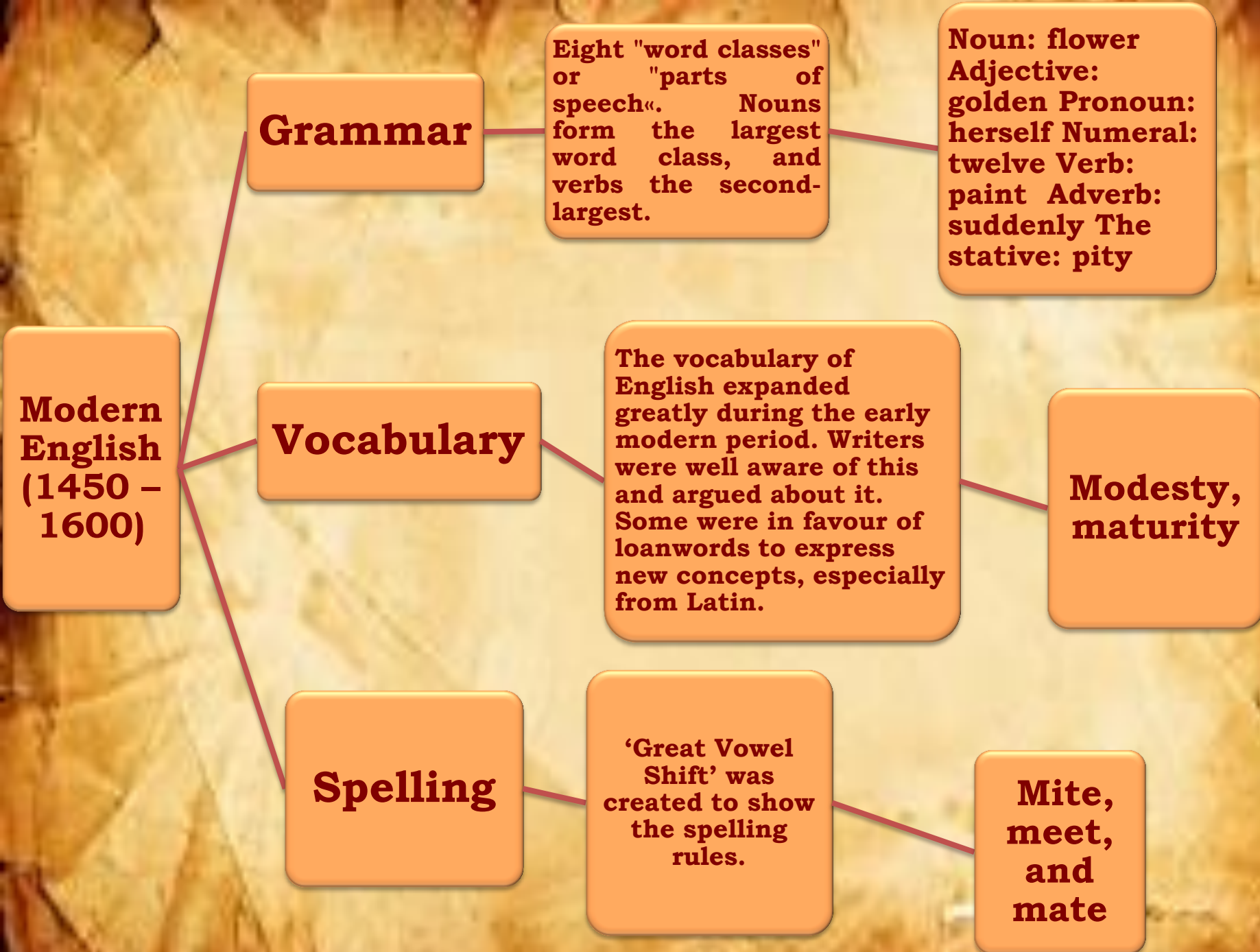
**Duke, peer,  
army,  
peace,  
battle,  
enemy**

**Spelling**

**Middle English  
generally did not  
have silent  
letters.**

**Sine - singen**





# **That's how English looks in different times**

## **Modern (1989)**

**The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing.  
He lets me lie down in green pastures.  
He leads me to still waters.**

## **King James Bible ( 1611 )**

**The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie in green pastures.  
He leadeth me beside the still waters.**

## **Middle English ( 1100-1500 )**

**Our Lord gouerneth me, and nothyng shal defailen to me.  
In the sted of pastur he sett me ther.  
He norissed me upon water fyllyng.**

## **Old English ( 800-1066 )**

**Drihten me raet, ne byth me nanes godes wan.  
And he me geset on swyth good feohland.  
And fedde me be waetera stathum.**



**After analyzing the development of the English language I came to the conclusion that English is alive and evolving really fast. Mostly the changes in the language are based on new words.**

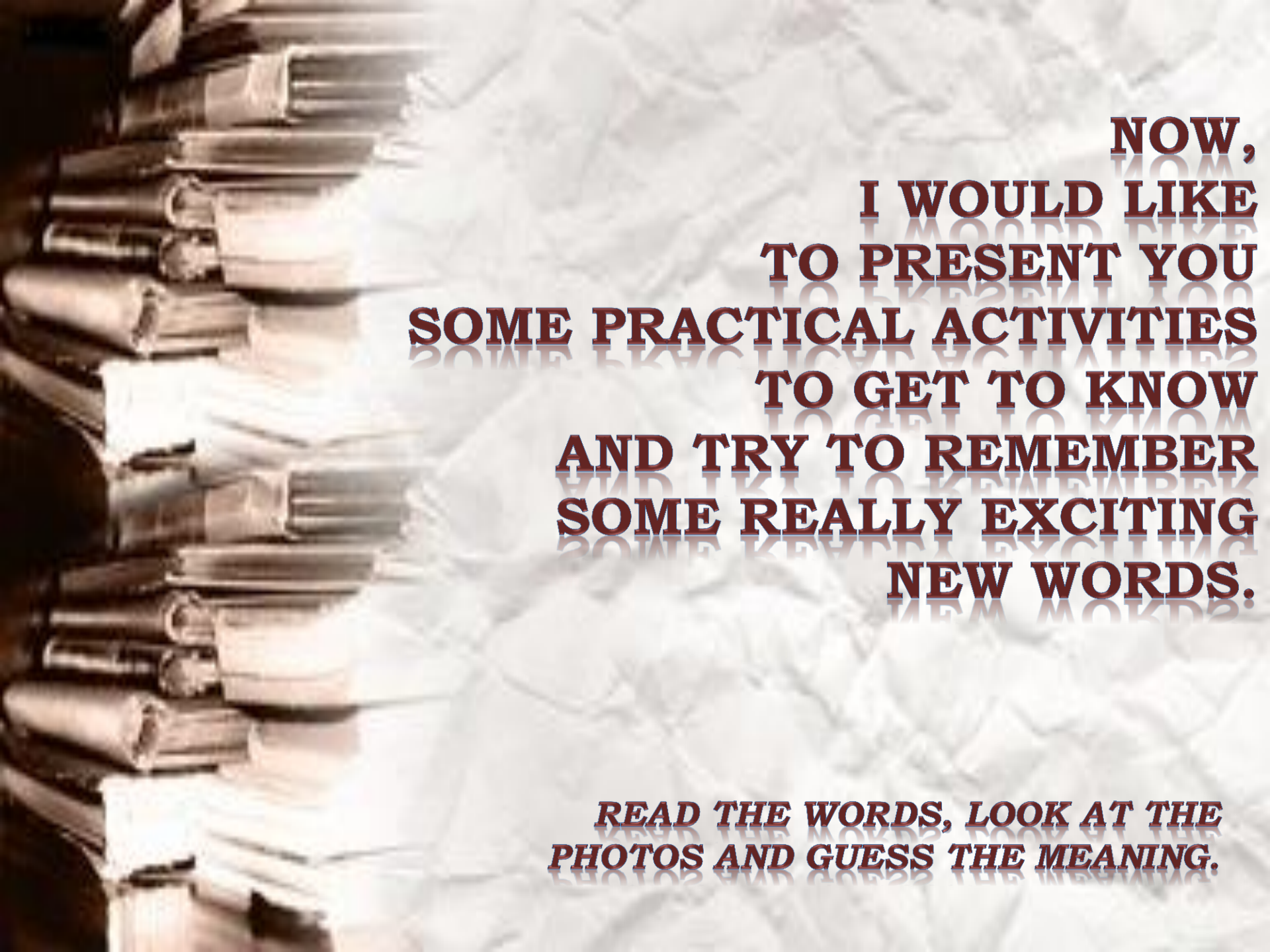
**Some new English words are the ones which have existed for a very long time, but are now used in unique combinations or have developed completely new meanings.**

**Other new English words appear out of nowhere, being invented by creative people or being modified by other languages.**

**Even more new English words are coming from the Internet, which is a powerful force for communication and creation.**

**As for me, I want to keep up with these changes and enrich my vocabulary with some of «newly – born» words.  
You are welcome to join me!**





**NOW,  
I WOULD LIKE  
TO PRESENT YOU  
SOME PRACTICAL ACTIVITIES  
TO GET TO KNOW  
AND TRY TO REMEMBER  
SOME REALLY EXCITING  
NEW WORDS.**

***READ THE WORDS, LOOK AT THE  
PHOTOS AND GUESS THE MEANING.***

## Weak sauce



a. something tasty

b. something of inferior quality

c. something great

My example:

In my opinion, the film  
“Truck” is **weak sauce** as  
it has no sense and acting is  
poor.



# Awesomesauce



a. something cool

b. something awful

c. something interesting

My example:

It was served with bacon  
bread pudding!  
Awesomesauce!



## Ear tickler



a. Someone who tickles ears of other people

b. Someone who pleases other people with paying them a lot of compliments

c. Someone who tells lies

My example:

She got the main part in the play because she is the ultimate ear tickler.



# Overparenting



a. life with parents together under one roof

b. indifference by parents

c. too much involvement by parents in the lives of their children, so that they try to help with or control everything that happens to the child

My example:

Overparenting can lead to me getting anxious and depressed.



# Fish fingers



a. fingers made of fish

b. someone who can't do anything as if they have no fingers like fish don't

c. fish sticks

My example:

Yesterday I tried really tasty fish fingers in a new cafe.



# Dappy



a. doing something stupid or crazy

b. doing something dangerous

c. doing something with a happy smile

My example:

I look really **dappy**, don't I?



# Oversharing



a. providing more personal information than necessary

b. sharing everything with everyone

c. doing something so that people share everything with you

My example:

I told my friend every detail about my first date and my mum blamed me for oversharing.



# Digital detox



a. time when a person uses electronic devices

b. time which a person spends on buying electronic devices

c. time when a person refrains from electronic devices

My example:

Every day I try to have digital detox for at least one hour.



# Fashionista



a. a person who has a lot of friends in fashion industry

b. a person who follows trends

c. a person who hates fashion

My example:

I am 21<sup>st</sup> century little fashionista, aren't I?



# Hotspot



a. an abandoned café

b. a trendy place (a restaurant, a night club etc.)

c. a bad restaurant

My example:

As far as I know the Odeon in London is a **hotspot** cinema.



## Me time



a. time when a person doesn't work and relaxes

b. time when a person spends on their own business

c. time when a person speaks about themselves

My example:

When me time I prefer enjoying fresh air.



## Must-have

a. something that everybody should do

b. something that everybody shouldn't have

c. something that everybody should have

My example:

This set is a **must-have** for every good student.





# Staycation



a. time when you don't have to go anywhere

b. place where you have to stay

c. vacation which you spend at home

My example:

My dad loves staycation. He feels safe in the house.



# Spuds



a. potatoes

b. buckwheet porridge

c. pudding

My example:

They serve only fried **spuds** in this fast food restaurant.



*Here I'm happy to share the story I made up with you. However, some words are missing and you are welcome to fill in the gaps with the ones below:*

oversharing

dappy

fish fingers

overparenting

me time

fashionista

awesomesauce

spuds

One summer day I went to the park to enjoy \_\_\_\_\_ there. I sat on the bench, opened my lunchbox with \_\_\_\_\_ and crispy \_\_\_\_\_. I was eating when suddenly I saw a boy wearing a woman's hat. He looked really \_\_\_\_\_. When he disappeared behind the trees I noticed a young girl in a light shirt, trendy sneakers and \_\_\_\_\_. She looked an absolute \_\_\_\_\_. She approached me and started telling me where she came from, who she lived with and how much money her father earned. Her \_\_\_\_\_ embarrassed me and fortunately I heard my phone beeping. It was my mum calling. Actually, she calls me every half an hour. That's \_\_\_\_\_! But this time she saved me, so I jumped up and hurried out of the park answering my mum's call.



***Of course I've presented  
not all the new words found by me  
on the Internet and here is the link  
to the document with the list of  
other ones.***



## **WHILE WORKING ON NEW WORDS I DARED TO CREATE MY OWN ONES:**

**'Selfist** – this noun could describe a person who likes taking selfies and does it every now and then.

*(I know a lot of girls who are crazy about it, I wish this word could exist)*

**'Bookless** – this adjective could describe a student who comes to school without student's books.

*(Usually boys don't bother to bring books to school and it would be a good word to call them)*

**'Wireless to 'music** – this word combination could mean listen to music by means of a phone and a wireless speaker.

*(Nowadays it's very popular among teens to enjoy music this way and I believe this word combination could be used by many of us)*

**'Mondaylness** – this word could describe the reason why some students miss school on Mondays and it's a mixture of the words *Monday* and *illness*.

*(After weekends it's very difficult to go to school and I'm sure that this word would be loved by those who don't want to use long explanations)*





# **MY CONCLUSIONS**

**New English words are everywhere now.**

**Our vocabulary is constantly growing,  
becoming more colorful and more diverse.**

**New words are a wonderful thing to learn  
because they show the true beauty of language.**

**They are also great for language learners  
to know, because new words are often very  
popular words. They will make you sound more  
cool and modern.**

**Even if you do not use these new words when  
you are speaking, you will be able to understand  
what is meant when other people use them.**

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