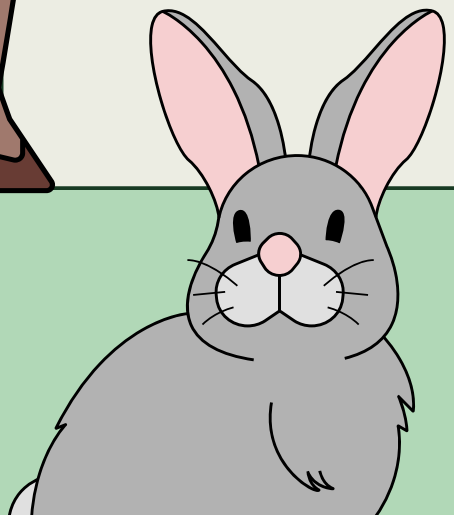


SYNONYMS, ANTONYMS, ANALOGIES

Understanding Word Relationships



LESSON OUTLINE

Learning Outcomes

Word Relationships: Synonym,
Antonym, and Analogy

Food Web and Words

Group Activity

Analogy Word Match

Summary



LEARNING OUTCOMES

Today you will be learning:

- How to use the relationship between particular words, such as synonyms and antonyms or analogies, to better understand each of the words.

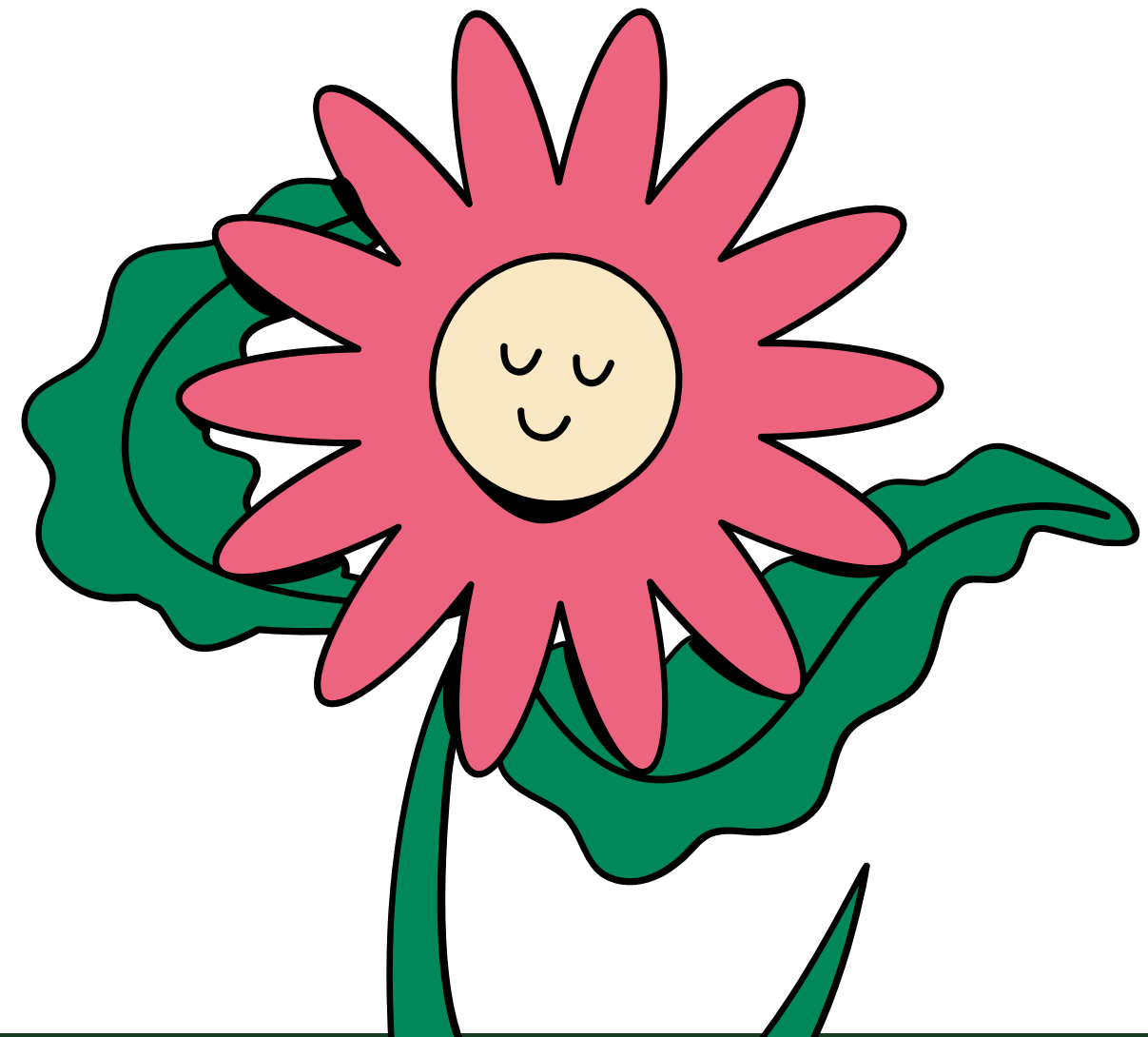


WORD RELATIONSHIPS

Synonym

It is a word having the same or nearly the same meaning as another word.

For example: happy, joyful, and elated are all synonyms



WORD RELATIONSHIPS



Antonym

They are two words with opposite meanings.

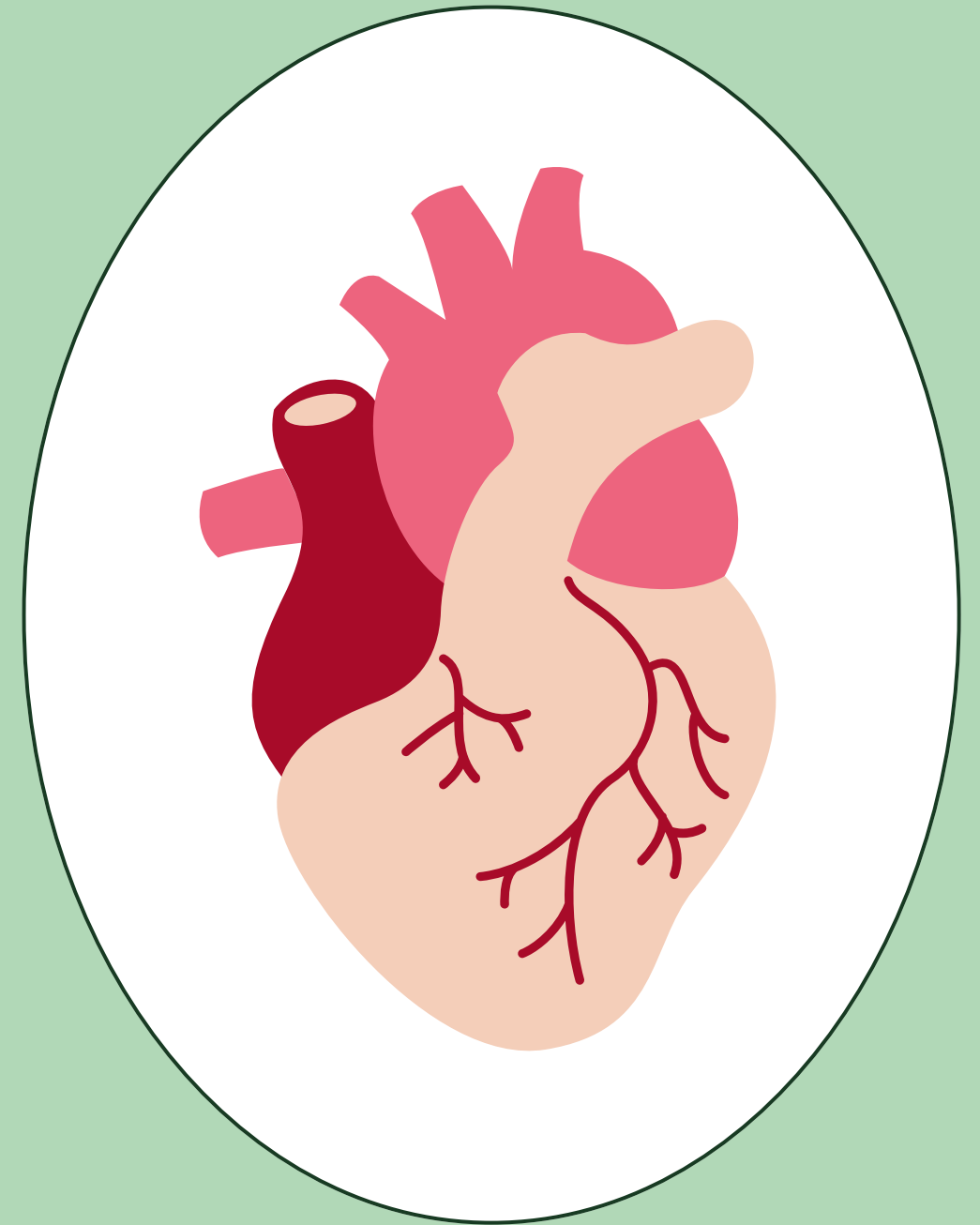
For example: **cold** and **hot** are antonyms

WORD RELATIONSHIPS

Analogy

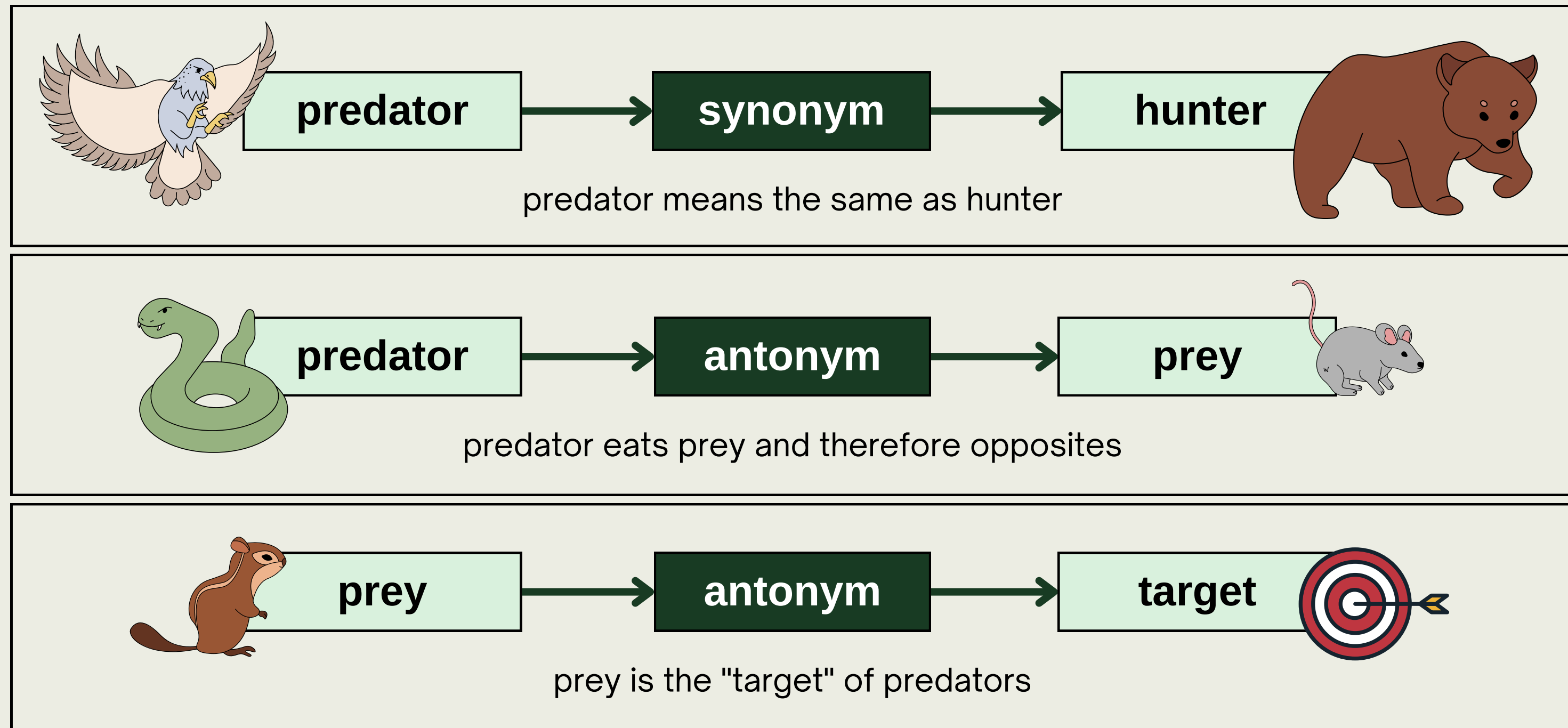
a similarity between like features of two things, on which a comparison may be based.

For example: both **heart** and **water pump** help move liquids, so they can be paired in an analogy



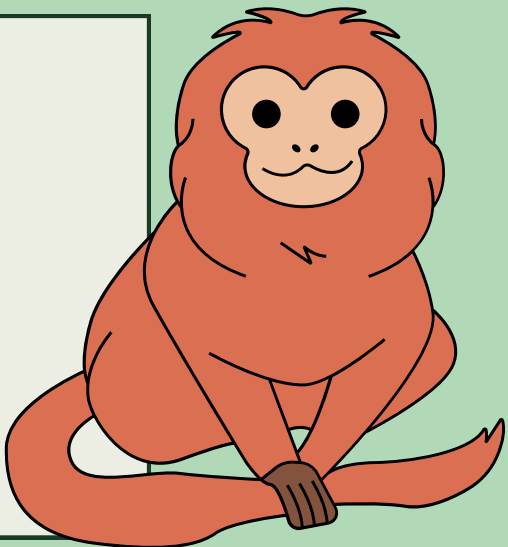
FOOD WEB AND WORDS

Using the food web relationships as an example,
check out the different relationships between words.



GROUP ACTIVITY

Get together in groups and discuss what words should be under each column and why.



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Antonyms (opposite meaning words)

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Funny

Brave

Careful

Strict

Good

Joyful

Hilarious

Bold

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Courageous

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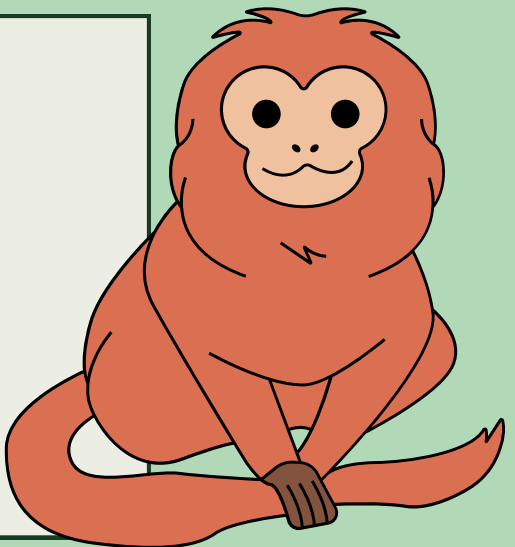
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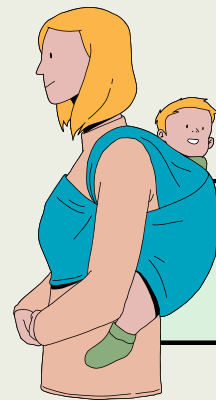
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Did you group the words correctly?

ANALOGY WORD MATCH

Which words share similar characteristics?
Why do you think so?



life



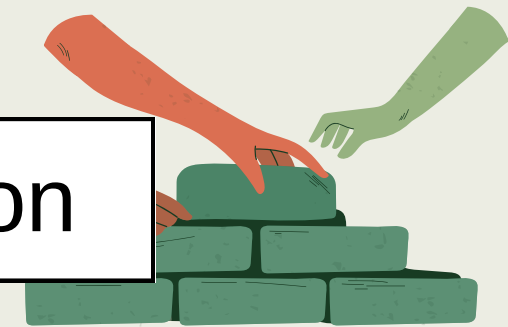
brain



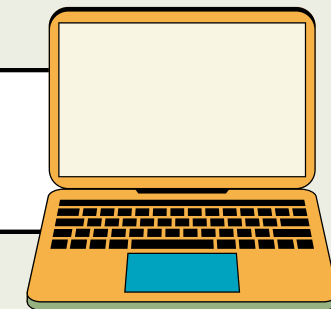
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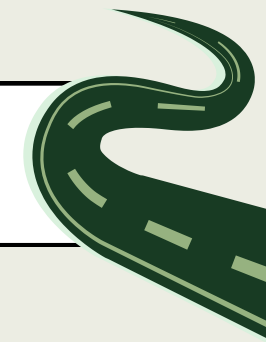
foundation



computer



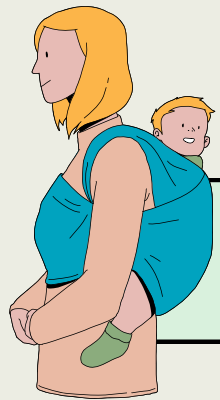
journey



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ANSWER KEY



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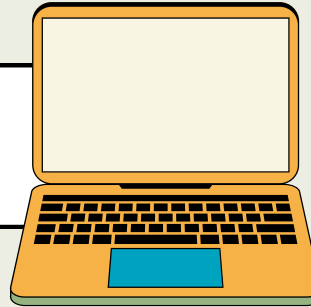


Both "life" and a literal "journey" have paths and destinations.



brain

computer



Both the brain and the computer store and process information.



family

foundation

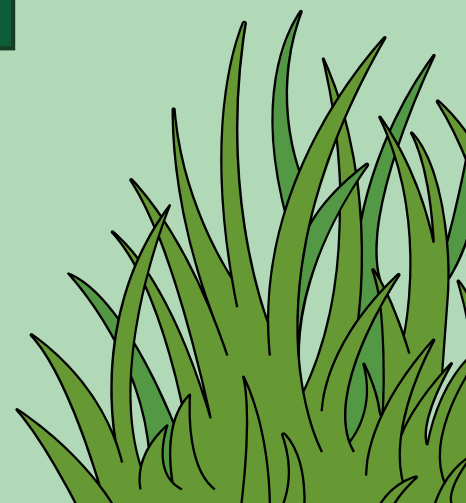


A family lives in a home and is considered a "foundation of society." The literal foundation keeps houses stable and secure.

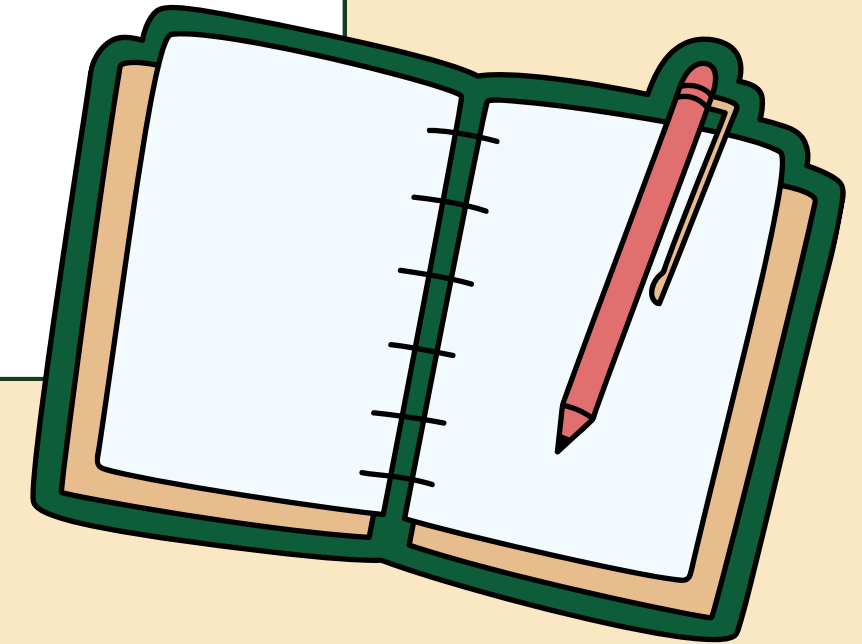


SUMMARY

Synonym	Antonym	Analogy
Synonyms can help you deepen your knowledge of words by similar association.	Antonyms can help you strengthen your knowledge of words by opposite association.	Analogies can help you understand that words can be linked to other words in unexpected ways to highlight similar characteristics and add depth of meaning.



ASSIGNMENT



1. Prepare a list of eight (8) words.
2. Use a thesaurus to find a synonym and an antonym for each word
3. Find an analogy for at least five (5) of those words
4. Create flashcards using Canva for any of the following categories:
synonyms, antonyms, or analogies.