

# Answer Key 100 Examples Of Word Analogy



## BLUE DIVISION

These samples indicate the level of challenge students will encounter in the moderately difficult BLUE DIVISION of the WordMasters Challenge meets.

GRADE	SAMPLE WORDS	SAMPLE ANALOGIES:	
3	prairie rural orchard soil urban thicket	WOODS : ACORN :: ORCHARD : _____ a. peach b. thicket c. prairie d. apple seed e. orange juice	RURAL : SOIL :: URBAN : _____ a. prairie b. store c. pavement d. bus e. thicket
4	blur corral keen vault blunt wealth	PICTURE : BLURRED :: KNIFE : _____ a. keen b. painful c. wealthy d. blunt e. shiny	HORSES : CORRAL :: GOLD COINS : _____ a. treasure b. wealth c. vault d. rodeo e. silver
5	cascade forage mar gale plunder lull	SHEEP : FORAGE :: OUTLAWS : _____ a. plunder b. mar c. shoot d. run e. graze	BREEZE : GALE :: TRICKLE : _____ a. lull b. plunder c. forage d. sunshine e. cascade
6	squabble plummet fallow idle quash laden	LIGHT : TURN OFF :: RUMOR : _____ a. start b. squabble c. hear d. quash e. plummet	FIELD : FALLOW :: _____ a. hiker : laden b. ditch : deep c. factory : idle d. cellar : dark e. squabble : angry
7	gnarled vanquish infantry tranquil grimace insidious	THIEF : SNEAKY :: _____ a. tree : gnarled b. day : tranquil c. disease : insidious d. robber : violent e. loser : vanquished	PLEASURE : SMILE :: PAIN : _____ a. aspirin b. suffering c. grimace d. tranquility e. joy
8	manifesto rift hobble schism haven withstand	FRIENDSHIP : RIFT :: SOCIETY : _____ a. haven b. meeting c. schism d. manifesto e. party	HOBBLE : PROGRESS :: _____ a. cripple : crutches b. block : view c. withstand : pain d. assist : attempt e. repay : debt

## ANSWER KEY: 100 EXAMPLES OF WORD ANALOGY

WORD ANALOGIES ARE A FASCINATING ASPECT OF LANGUAGE THAT ILLUSTRATE THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PAIRS OF WORDS. THEY SERVE AS A POWERFUL TOOL FOR UNDERSTANDING MEANINGS, ENHANCING VOCABULARY, AND IMPROVING ANALYTICAL THINKING. AN ANALOGY TYPICALLY COMPARES TWO DIFFERENT THINGS TO HIGHLIGHT SOME FORM OF SIMILARITY BETWEEN THEM. IN THIS ARTICLE, WE WILL EXPLORE 100 EXAMPLES OF WORD ANALOGIES, GROUPED INTO VARIOUS CATEGORIES, COMPLETE WITH EXPLANATIONS AND AN ANSWER KEY TO HELP YOU UNDERSTAND THE RELATIONSHIPS BEING ILLUSTRATED.

## UNDERSTANDING WORD ANALOGIES

BEFORE DIVING INTO THE EXAMPLES, IT'S ESSENTIAL TO UNDERSTAND HOW WORD ANALOGIES WORK. A WORD ANALOGY FOLLOWS THE FORMAT A : B :: C : D, WHICH MEANS "A IS TO B AS C IS TO D." THE RELATIONSHIPS CAN BE BASED ON VARIOUS CONNECTIONS, SUCH AS SYNONYMS, ANTONYMS, PARTS TO WHOLE, FUNCTIONS, AND MORE.

# TYPES OF WORD RELATIONSHIPS

1. SYNONYMS - WORDS THAT HAVE SIMILAR MEANINGS.
2. ANTONYMS - WORDS THAT HAVE OPPOSITE MEANINGS.
3. PART TO WHOLE - ONE WORD IS A PART OF THE WHOLE REPRESENTED BY ANOTHER WORD.
4. FUNCTION - THE FUNCTION OF ONE WORD IS SIMILAR TO THE FUNCTION OF THE OTHER.
5. DEGREE - ONE WORD INDICATES A LESSER OR GREATER DEGREE OF THE OTHER.

## EXAMPLES OF WORD ANALOGIES

LET'S EXPLORE 100 WORD ANALOGY EXAMPLES DIVIDED INTO DIFFERENT CATEGORIES FOR BETTER UNDERSTANDING.

### 1. SYNONYMS

1. HAPPY : JOYFUL :: SAD : SORROWFUL
2. QUICK : FAST :: SLOW : SLUGGISH
3. BEGIN : START :: END : FINISH
4. SMART : INTELLIGENT :: DUMB : STUPID
5. BRAVE : COURAGEOUS :: COWARDLY : TIMID

### 2. ANTONYMS

6. HOT : COLD :: LIGHT : DARK
7. LOVE : HATE :: SUCCESS : FAILURE
8. RICH : POOR :: STRONG : WEAK
9. SOFT : HARD :: ROUGH : SMOOTH
10. HAPPY : SAD :: UP : DOWN

### 3. PART TO WHOLE

11. WHEEL : CAR :: LEAF : TREE
12. FINGER : HAND :: PETAL : FLOWER
13. CHAPTER : BOOK :: SCENE : PLAY
14. ENGINE : VEHICLE :: HEART : BODY
15. ROOM : HOUSE :: PAGE : BOOK

### 4. FUNCTION

16. KNIFE : CUT :: PEN : WRITE
17. BRUSH : PAINT :: SHOVEL : DIG
18. PHONE : CALL :: CAMERA : PHOTOGRAPH
19. OVEN : BAKE :: REFRIGERATOR : CHILL
20. HAMMER : NAIL :: SCREWDRIVER : SCREW

## 5. DEGREE

- 21. WARM : HOT :: COOL : COLD
- 22. TINY : SMALL :: HUGE : MASSIVE
- 23. BRIGHT : DAZZLING :: DIM : DARK
- 24. PLEASANT : ENJOYABLE :: TERRIBLE : AWFUL
- 25. CALM : PEACEFUL :: AGITATED : DISTURBED

## 6. COUNTRY AND CAPITAL

- 26. FRANCE : PARIS :: JAPAN : TOKYO
- 27. ITALY : ROME :: GERMANY : BERLIN
- 28. CANADA : OTTAWA :: AUSTRALIA : CANBERRA
- 29. BRAZIL : BRASÍLIA :: INDIA : NEW DELHI
- 30. RUSSIA : MOSCOW :: EGYPT : CAIRO

## 7. ANIMAL AND GROUP NAME

- 31. LION : PRIDE :: FISH : SCHOOL
- 32. BIRD : FLOCK :: COW : HERD
- 33. WOLF : PACK :: BEE : SWARM
- 34. HORSE : TEAM :: ELEPHANT : PARADE
- 35. DUCK : RAFT :: ANT : COLONY

## 8. COLOR AND OBJECT

- 36. RED : APPLE :: YELLOW : BANANA
- 37. BLUE : SKY :: GREEN : GRASS
- 38. WHITE : SNOW :: BLACK : COAL
- 39. ORANGE : CARROT :: PURPLE : EGGPLANT
- 40. PINK : ROSE :: BROWN : CHOCOLATE

## 9. PROFESSION AND TOOL

- 41. CARPENTER : HAMMER :: PAINTER : BRUSH
- 42. DOCTOR : STETHOSCOPE :: CHEF : KNIFE
- 43. FARMER : PLOW :: SCULPTOR : CHISEL
- 44. GARDENER : TROWEL :: MECHANIC : WRENCH
- 45. ARTIST : EASEL :: WRITER : TYPEWRITER

## 10. TIME AND DURATION

- 46. HOUR : MINUTE :: DAY : HOUR
- 47. YEAR : MONTH :: WEEK : DAY
- 48. CENTURY : DECADE :: EPOCH : ERA
- 49. SECOND : MILLISECOND :: DAY : WEEK
- 50. LIFETIME : DECADE :: CHILDHOOD : ADOLESCENCE

## 11. NATURE AND ELEMENTS

- 51. EARTH : SOIL :: OCEAN : WATER
- 52. MOUNTAIN : ROCK :: FOREST : TREE
- 53. DESERT : SAND :: RIVER : WATER
- 54. SKY : AIR :: SEA : WAVES
- 55. VOLCANO : LAVA :: GLACIER : ICE

## 12. FOOD AND FLAVOR

- 56. SWEET : SUGAR :: SOUR : LEMON
- 57. BITTER : COFFEE :: SPICY : CHILI
- 58. SALTY : SEA :: TANGY : VINEGAR
- 59. SAVORY : MEAT :: FRESH : SALAD
- 60. RICH : CHOCOLATE :: MILD : CHEESE

## 13. SPORTS AND EQUIPMENT

- 61. SOCCER : BALL :: TENNIS : RACKET
- 62. BASKETBALL : HOOP :: GOLF : CLUB
- 63. SWIMMING : POOL :: RUNNING : TRACK
- 64. BASEBALL : BAT :: CRICKET : WICKET
- 65. BOXING : GLOVES :: WRESTLING : MAT

## 14. BODY PARTS AND FUNCTION

- 66. EYE : SEE :: EAR : HEAR
- 67. HAND : GRIP :: FOOT : WALK
- 68. BRAIN : THINK :: HEART : BEAT
- 69. LUNG : BREATHE :: STOMACH : DIGEST
- 70. SKIN : PROTECT :: MUSCLE : MOVE

## 15. TECHNOLOGY AND USAGE

- 71. COMPUTER : PROGRAM :: PHONE : CALL
- 72. TELEVISION : WATCH :: RADIO : LISTEN
- 73. CAMERA : CAPTURE :: PRINTER : PRINT
- 74. TABLET : BROWSE :: LAPTOP : WORK
- 75. INTERNET : CONNECT :: GPS : NAVIGATE

## 16. INVENTIONS AND INVENTORS

- 76. LIGHT BULB : EDISON :: TELEPHONE : BELL
- 77. AIRPLANE : WRIGHT BROTHERS :: AUTOMOBILE : FORD
- 78. COMPUTER : TURING :: TELEVISION : FARNSWORTH
- 79. VACCINE : JENNER :: RADIO : MARCONI
- 80. INTERNET : BERNERS-LEE :: STEAM ENGINE : WATT

## 17. EMOTIONS AND EXPRESSIONS

- 81. HAPPY : SMILE :: SAD : CRY
- 82. ANGRY : FROWN :: SURPRISED : GASP
- 83. EXCITED : JUMP :: BORED : YAWN
- 84. FEARFUL : TREMBLE :: CONFIDENT : STAND TALL
- 85. GRATEFUL : THANKFUL :: LONELY : ISOLATED

## 18. LITERATURE AND GENRE

- 86. POEM : POETRY :: NOVEL : FICTION
- 87. PLAY : DRAMA :: ESSAY : NON-FICTION
- 88. COMIC : HUMOR :: BIOGRAPHY : LIFE STORY
- 89. FANTASY : MAGIC :: MYSTERY : SUSPENSE
- 90. THRILLER : ACTION :: ROMANCE : LOVE STORY

## 19. GEOGRAPHY AND FEATURES

- 91. MOUNTAIN : PEAK :: VALLEY : BOTTOM
- 92. RIVER : STREAM :: OCEAN : SEA
- 93. DESERT : DUNE :: FOREST : CANOPY
- 94. ISLAND : SHORE :: CONTINENT : LANDMASS
- 95. GLACIER : ICEBERG :: VOLCANO : ERUPTION

## 20. CLOTHING AND PURPOSE

- 96. SHIRT : WEAR :: SHOE : WALK
- 97. COAT : WARMTH :: HAT : SHADE
- 98. BELT : HOLD :: GLASSES : SEE
- 99. SOCK : FOOT :: GLOVE : HAND
- 100. DRESS : FORMAL :: SHORTS : CASUAL

## CONCLUSION

WORD ANALOGIES ARE AN EXCELLENT WAY TO ENHANCE OUR UNDERSTANDING OF LANGUAGE AND ITS INTRICACIES. THEY NOT ONLY IMPROVE VOCABULARY BUT ALSO CHALLENGE OUR MINDS TO THINK CRITICALLY ABOUT THE RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN WORDS. BY RECOGNIZING PATTERNS AND CONNECTIONS, WE CAN BETTER COMPREHEND THE RICHNESS OF LANGUAGE AND ITS USAGE IN DAILY LIFE. WHETHER USED IN EDUCATIONAL SETTINGS OR AS A FUN EXERCISE, MASTERING WORD ANALOGIES CAN BE A REWARDING EXPERIENCE. THE 100 EXAMPLES PROVIDED HERE SERVE AS A USEFUL RESOURCE FOR ANYONE LOOKING TO DELVE DEEPER INTO THE FASCINATING WORLD OF WORD RELATIONSHIPS.

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### WHAT IS A WORD ANALOGY?

A WORD ANALOGY IS A COMPARISON BETWEEN TWO PAIRS OF WORDS THAT SHOWS HOW THEY ARE RELATED IN A SIMILAR WAY.



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