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> THE DAFFODILS

I wonder'd lonely as a cloud  
That floats on high o'er vales and hills,  
When all at once I saw a crowd,  
A host of golden daffodils,  
Beside the lake, beneath the trees,  
Fluttering and dancing in the breeze.  
Continuous as the stars that shine  
And twinkle on the Milky way,  
They stretched in never-ending line  
Along the margin of a bay:  
Ten thousand saw I at a glance,  
Tossing their heads in sprightly dance.  
The waves beside them danced, but they  
Outdid the sparkling waves in glee:-  
A poet could not but be gay  
In such a jocund company!  
I passed, and passed, but little thought  
What wealth the show to me had brought:

For oft, when on my couch I lie  
In vacant or in pensive mood,  
They glitt'rn upon that inward eye  
Which is the bliss o' existence;  
And then my heart with pleasure fills,  
And dances with the daffodils.

w. WORDSWORTH

Burn a hole in one's pocket: eager  
to spend money.  
Ex: He received a cheque for Rs. 2000/- and it began to burn a hole in  
his pocket.

Beggar can't be choosers: Must accept or take  
whatever is offered  
Ex: when he was asked whether he could  
manage with such a salary he replied  
that beggars cannot (can't) be choosers.

## LONG VOWELS

a grapes snake cake

e key bee eagle

i fire kite iron

o rose open boat

u cube uniform flute

The Mountain  
Emily Dickinson

The mountain sat upon the plain  
In his eternal chair,  
His observation unrefined,  
His request everywhere.

The seasons played around his knees  
Like children round a tree,  
Grandfather of the days is he,  
Of whom the ancients.

Emily Dickinson

Bell the cat: Do something dangerous to  
seize others.  
Ex: When the situation became serious,  
they could not decide who could bell  
the cat.

Brain-teaser: Difficult problem/puzzle  
Ex: Brain-teasers give much food  
for thought.

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## PERSONAL PRONOUNS

	Subject pronouns	Object pronouns	Possessive Adjectives	Possessive Pronouns	Reflexive pronouns
1 <sup>st</sup> person	I	me	mine my	mine	Myself
2 <sup>nd</sup> person	you	you	ur	yours	yourself
3 <sup>rd</sup> person	He	Him	His	His	Himself
3 <sup>rd</sup> person [female]	She	Her	Her	Hers	Herself
3 <sup>rd</sup> person [plural]	It	It	Its	-	Itself
1 <sup>st</sup> person [plural]	We	us	our	ours	Ourselves
2 <sup>nd</sup> person [plural]	you	you	your	your's	yourselfes
3 <sup>rd</sup> person [plural]	They	Them	Their	Their's	Themselves.

## I Had No Time To Think Because

I had no time to talk because  
The great waves broke me,  
And life was not as simple.  
I could speak normally  
Now had I time to live, but time  
Lived probably more so.  
You little tell of her, I thought,  
Was large enough for me.

Be One's Own Master (Be free and independent)

After finishing his education, he had  
no business because he wanted to be his  
own master and did not wish to work  
under others.

## Dear Mr. President

If we should always bear you mind  
that we should do our duty

I saw you toss the kites on high  
And blow the birds about the sky.  
And all around I heard you pass  
Like ladies' skirts across the grass.

O Wind, a - blowing all day long!

O Wind, that sings so loud a song!

I saw the different things you did,  
But always you yourself you did.  
I felt you push, I heard you call,  
I could not see yourself at all.

O Wind, a - blowing all day long,

O Wind, that sings so loud a song!

O You that are so strong and cold,  
O blowey, are you young or old?  
Are you a beast of field and tree,  
Or just a stronger child than me?

O Wind, a - blowing all day long,

O Wind, that sings so loud a song!

Bear with Listen or treat patiently

Eg If you bear with me a little  
longer, I shall convince you of my  
innocence.

Beat black and blue: Punish severely

Eg He was beaten black and blue by  
his father for uttering lies

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*Hope*

Hope is the thing with feathers  
That perches in the soul  
And sings the tune without the words  
That mean-sings itself.

And somewhere in the gloom is heard  
That voice must be the dinner  
That could shout the little bird  
That kept so many worms.

I've heard it in the silent land,  
And in the strongest sea;  
It never is outdone;  
It makes a crowd of me.

— Emily Dickinson



Evelyn Arthur  
Waugh  
1903-66

Born of a blunder, take away small  
losses of speech  
Ex: When he lost his son, he was born  
of all hope in life.  
In the great anger he then wrote him  
of speech.

Bouts oneself be active.  
Ex: When the examinations approached,  
he knew that it was time he  
busted himself.

Blinded with crowded round.  
Ex: He was blinded with requests for  
monetary assistance  
Ex: The teacher was blinded with questions

Burn the candle at both ends; overtax  
one's energy.  
Ex: In his ambition to get the first  
rank, he burnt the candle at both  
ends and lost his health.

## DO YOU KNOW?

When water is heated to 100 degrees Celsius, it boils and becomes steam. When steam touches a cold surface it condenses and become water again. When water is cooled below 0 degrees Celsius, it freezes and becomes ice. If the temperature increases, the ice melts. When frozen food or icy food thaws or defrosts when you take it out of the freezer.

Blind as a bat: Unable to see (clue)  
Ex: He was literally blind as a bat  
regarding the weakness of his  
friend.

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Concert

In British English they all mean to allow somebody to use something for a short time in exchange for money.

The biggest factory in town is to let

You can rent a house, car etc from somebody or rent it out to somebody usually for a long period of time.

We have decided to rent out our Spare room.

We can hire a vehicle or equipment especially for a short period for a particular purpose or a particular occasion.

You can easily hire a vehicle in Amsterdam.

In American English went or rented is used in all these ways. Hire can also mean to employ especially in American English.

Clear / Fresh / Cut

We often need a swimming pool. Let somebody cut there so we make a hole if it.

After a pregnancy need a shower.

I am not allowed to eat fruits. They are allowed to go home after a doctor's check up. It is used to denote medical or spiritual status (engaged).

Breaking with somebody.

The money which is more than promised will



Drip, Tear, Drip, Run and Seep

1) Drip means to fall in regular drops.

Ex:- The pipe is dripping.

2) Liquid leaks from a container or machine through a hole or opening.

Ex:- Every time it rains, the roof leaks.

3) Ooze describes thick liquids such as blood or oil which flow slowly.

4) Water runs from a tap when it flows continuously.

5) Seep means to flow very slowly so that you do not notice it immediately.

"The roots of education are bitter, but the fruit is sweet."

- Aristotle

Born with a Silver Spoon in one's mouth

Butted to have good wealth.

Ex:- Very few are born with a silver spoon in their mouth among the middle class people.

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Compare Shout, Cry, Yell & Scream  
 Shout, Cry, Yell & Scream - these verbs describe different kinds of voice people make when they are angry, frightened or upset.

People cry/cry - as a sudden reaction to pain, fear or surprise; the sound cut in half.

People shout when they're angry or want to get somebody's attention. I who happens to hear my parents shouting at each other close the door please / shouted the guard.

Yell is to shout very loudly because you are frightened or excited or in order to get someone's attention. We heard somebody yelling for help.  
 When people scream they make a very loud, high-pitched noise because they are in pain or very frightened. There was broken glass everywhere and people were screaming.  
 These verbs are also used instead of cry to show signs of anxiety, things, especially when we're not scared/screamed:  
 "Get out!" the teacher/screamed/yelled.

## Pseudonym

Pseudonym [pronounced nō/þədōmē] is a name other than his/her own taken by a writer/author.

It is also known as "pen name" and "nom de plume".

Here are some famous writers and their Pseudonyms:

Author	Pseudonym
Charles Dickens	Biz
Kathy Ann Evans	George Eliot
Samuel Clemens	Mark Twain
William Sydney Porter	O Henry
H. H. Munro	Saki

## \* SHORT VOWELS \*

a	apple	cat	ant
e	egg	bell	elephant
i	igloo	fish	pig
o	octopus	clock	box
u	umbrella	sun	mug

The Heart is the Capital of the Mind.  
 The Mind is a Single state -  
 The Heart and the Mind together make  
 A Single Continent -

One - is the Population -  
 Numerous enough -  
 This ecstatic Nation.  
 Seek - it is yourself.

Break the back of (something): Break the larger or hardest part of.  
 Eg: Digging a canal through a rough terrain was an arduous task but through persistent labour, they broke the back of it (the project).

Break one's spirit or will: Break one's resistance.

Eg: Even the ill treatment and humiliation he suffered at the hands of the kidnappers could not break his spirit.