

# Learn Key Vocabulary

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## American Names: Key Vocabulary

A. Study each word. Circle a number to rate how well you know it. Then complete the chart.

### Rating Scale

**1**

I have never seen this word before.

**2**

I am not sure of the word's meaning.

**3**

I know this word and can teach the word's meaning to someone else.



▲ This man feels no **doubt** about how to ride a bike. Riding a bike is a common activity in his **culture**.

Key Words	Check Understanding	Deepen Understanding
<b>1 culture</b> (kul-chur) <i>noun</i>  Rating: <b>1</b> <b>2</b> <b>3</b>	You might find different foods in a different <b>culture</b> .  Yes                  No	How can you share your culture with others? _____
<b>2 disfavor</b> (dis-fā-vor) <i>noun</i>  Rating: <b>1</b> <b>2</b> <b>3</b>	A smile is one way to show <b>disfavor</b> .  Yes                  No	How would you feel if a friend showed disfavor toward you? _____
<b>3 doubt</b> (dowt) <i>noun</i>  Rating: <b>1</b> <b>2</b> <b>3</b>	You feel <b>doubt</b> when you feel sure about something.  Yes                  No	Why might a person feel doubt before they take a test? _____
<b>4 erase</b> (e-rās) <i>verb</i>  Rating: <b>1</b> <b>2</b> <b>3</b>	When you <b>erase</b> a drawing, you remove it from the page.  Yes                  No	What can you use to erase a drawing on a chalkboard? _____

## Key Vocabulary, continued

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The brothers make a **pact**. They will **erase** the worst score during their game. ▶



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<b>5 excessive</b> (ik-ses-iv) <i>adjective</i> Rating: <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3	An <b>excessive</b> amount is too much. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Would you like to have an excessive amount of homework? Tell why or why not. _____
<b>6 pact</b> (pakt) <i>noun</i> Rating: <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3	A <b>pact</b> is a promise between people. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Why is it important to make a pact with someone you trust? _____
<b>7 scrape</b> (skrāp) <i>verb</i> Rating: <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3	It hurts to <b>scrape</b> your knee. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	What could you use to scrape gum off the bottom of your shoe? _____
<b>8 shame</b> (shām) <i>noun</i> Rating: <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3	A person who feels <b>shame</b> also feels proud. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	If you teased someone, would you feel shame? Tell why or why not. _____

**B.** Use at least two of the Key Vocabulary words. Write about a time when you had to make an important decision.