

USEFUL VOCABULARY WORDS AND PHRASES RELATED TO EXPLORING AND ADVENTURES

General Adventure Vocabulary

- **Explore** – to travel through a new place to learn about it
- **Adventure** – an exciting or unusual experience
- **Journey** – travel from one place to another
- **Expedition** – a long journey for a special purpose (e.g., science or exploration)
- **Voyage** – a long trip, especially by sea or space
- **Trek** – a long and difficult journey (often on foot)
- **Escape** – to get away from daily routine or danger

Action Words (Verbs)

- **Hike** – walk long distances in nature
- **Climb** – go up mountains or hills
- **Camp** – stay in a tent outdoors
- **Paddle** – move a small boat using paddles
- **Dive** – jump into water, often to explore underwater
- **Navigate** – find your way (with a map or compass)
- **Discover** – find something new or unknown
- **Wander** – walk without a specific direction

Places & Nature

- **Trail** – a path through the countryside or forest
- **Cave** – a natural hole in a hill or cliff
- **Jungle** – a thick tropical forest
- **Desert** – a dry, sandy area with little water
- **Canyon** – a deep valley with steep sides
- **Waterfall** – water falling from a high place
- **Peak** – the top of a mountain
- **Island** – land surrounded by water

Adventure Gear & Items

- **Backpack** – a bag carried on your back
- **Tent** – a portable shelter used for camping
- **Compass** – a tool to find direction
- **Map** – a drawing showing roads or landmarks
- **Flashlight** – a portable electric light
- **Sleeping bag** – a warm bag for sleeping outdoors
- **Binoculars** – lenses used to see far away

Feelings and Descriptions

- **Exciting** – full of energy and adventure
- **Thrilling** – very exciting and maybe a bit scary
- **Challenging** – difficult but rewarding
- **Peaceful** – calm and quiet
- **Breathtaking** – amazingly beautiful
- **Risky** – dangerous, but adventurous
- **Remote** – far from cities or towns

Speaking Questions with Multiple Possible Answers

1. **What are three things you must take on an adventure? Why?**

Possible answers: a map, water, flashlight, compass, snacks, phone, first aid kit

2. **Which places would you like to explore: a jungle, a desert, or a mountain? Why?**

Possible answers: "I like mountains because of the views," "I want to see animals in the jungle," etc.

3. **What makes an adventure fun? Give two or three reasons.**

Possible answers: good company, new experiences, challenges, beautiful nature

4. **Name two types of adventure activities you want to try. Why?**
Possible answers: skydiving, hiking, scuba diving, zip-lining, rock climbing
5. **If you could go on an adventure anywhere in the world, where would you go and what would you do?**
Possible answers: climb Mount Kilimanjaro, explore the Amazon, ride camels in the desert
6. **Which do you prefer: traveling alone or with friends/family? Why?**
Possible answers: "Alone because it's peaceful," "With friends because it's more fun"
7. **What are three dangers you might face during an adventure? How would you prepare?**
Possible answers: wild animals, getting lost, bad weather – take a guide, GPS, warm clothes
8. **What kind of explorer would you be: mountain explorer, ocean explorer, or space explorer? Why?**
Possible answers: "Ocean, I love water and sea life," "Space, I want to see the stars"
9. **Tell a short story about a small adventure you've had. What happened? Where did you go?**
This can be real or made-up; encourage them to use vocabulary like "explore," "discovered," "exciting."
10. **Would you rather sleep in a tent in the forest or in a small house by the sea? Why?**
Possible answers: "Tent, I love camping," "House, I like the sound of the sea"

CHOOSE THE BEST OPTION VOCABULARY-BASED ON EXPLORING AND ADVENTURES

1. **What do you use to find direction when you're lost in the forest?**

- A) Flashlight
- B) Compass
- C) Tent
- D) Backpack

2. **Which word means "a long and exciting trip"?**

- A) Camp
- B) Voyage
- C) Adventure
- D) Sleep

3. **What do you call the top of a mountain?**

- A) Trail
- B) Cave
- C) Island
- D) Peak

4. **You want to sleep outside. What do you need?**

- A) Map
- B) Sleeping bag
- C) Binoculars
- D) Compass

5. **What is a "trail"?**

- A) A deep hole in the ground
- B) A path you can walk on
- C) A place to swim
- D) A large rock

6. **If something is "breathtaking," what does it mean?**

- A) Boring
- B) Expensive
- C) Very beautiful
- D) Far away

7. What does it mean to “hike”?

- A) Walk in nature
- B) Run fast
- C) Climb a building
- D) Jump into water

8. Which word means “to find something for the first time”?

- A) Paddle
- B) Escape
- C) Discover
- D) Pack

9. What do we use “binoculars” for?

- A) To cook food
- B) To see far away
- C) To find direction
- D) To fix a tent

10. What is a “tent”?

- A) A place to sleep outdoors
- B) A small boat
- C) A tool for making fire
- D) A kind of jacket