

# Expand your vocabulary

1. Match the words in **bold** to the right definition.

**BURY**: He **buried** his face in his hands and

**ENRICH**: Science has **enriched** all our lives

**GATHER**: His supporters **gathered** in the main

**FARE**: Children travel (at) half **fare**.

**STRAIGHTFOWARD**: Look, it's perfectly **straightforward**—just multiply everything by five

**SOB**: I heard a child **sobbing** loudly.

**END UP**: If you go on like this you'll **end up** in prison.

**TEASE**: I used to get **teased** about my name

**BOND**: Mothers who are depressed sometimes fail to **bond** with their

**DAMP**: The cottage was cold and **damp**.

**SQUEAL**: The pigs were **squealing**.

**LET (SB) DOWN**: This machine won't **let you down**.

the money that you pay: to travel by bus, taxi, etc. / for a show, game, etc.

to cover something so that it cannot be seen.

to cry noisily, taking sudden, sharp breaths

to improve the quality of something

to laugh at somebody and make jokes about them

to come together, or bring people together, in one place to form a group

slightly wet, often in a way that is unpleasant

easy to do or to understand; not complicated

disappoint

to find yourself in a place or situation at the end of a process or period of time

to join two things strongly together / to develop or create a relationship

to make a long, high sound

2) Choose 5 words and write sentences.

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