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## U8 Watch Out!

### Word List

1.



**congested** [kən'dʒestɪd] adj.

If something is **congested**, it is full or blocked.

→ Tom didn't get home until after dark because the road was so **congested**.

2.



**courier** ['kuriə] n.

A **courier** is someone who takes and delivers mail or packages.

→ Before trains, most **couriers** used horses to travel.

3.



**deform** [di'fɔ:rm] v.

To **deform** something means to change it from its correct or original shape.

→ The computer program **deformed** the building's picture into an unreal sight.

4.



**etiquette** ['etiket] n.

**Etiquette** is the group of rules about how to be polite.

→ When in Asian countries, bowing is a form of **etiquette**.

5.



**exclusive** [iks'klu:siv] adj.

If something is **exclusive**, it is expensive and only for rich people.

→ *The golf course was so **exclusive** that most people hadn't even heard of it.*

6.



**freight** [freit] n.

**Freight** is a set of items carried on a train, boat, or airplane.

→ *Trade ships only carried valuable **freight** like silk and spices.*

7.



**garment** ['gɑːrmənt] n.

A **garment** is a piece of clothing.

→ The business man had all of his **garments** cleaned before the important meeting.

8.



**insomnia** [in'sɒmniə] n.

**Insomnia** is a condition in which a person has difficulty sleeping.

→ Nate's **insomnia** prevented him from getting enough rest.



9.



**intuitive** [in 'tju:itiv] adj.

**Intuitive** is knowing about something without naturally having support or proof.

→ Rhonda had an **intuitive** feeling that Shane wasn't coming to school today.

10.



**liable** ['laiəbəl] adj.

If something is **liable** to happen, it is very likely that it will happen.

→ During the summer months, hikers in the forest are **liable** to see deer and elk.

11.

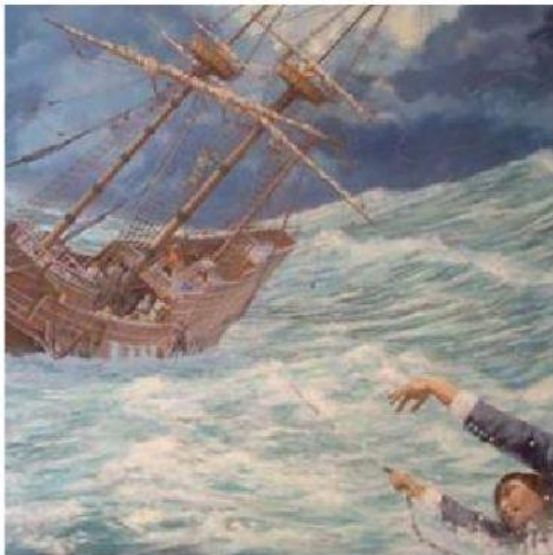


**obsess** [əb'ses] v.

To **obsess** about something means to think about it all of the time.

→ After watching the Star Wars movies, Ike **obsessed** about becoming a Jedi.

12.



**overboard** ['ouvəbɔ:rd] adv.

When something is **overboard**, it is over the side of a boat and in the water.

→ Tom and Gary slipped on the wet floor and fell **overboard**.

13.



**premium** ['pri:miəm] n.

A **premium** is a payment that is higher than average.

→ Tony paid for **premium** gas because it made his car run the best.

14.



**privilege** ['prɪvəlɪdʒ] n.

A **privilege** is a special right given to only a certain person or group of people.

→ Only the best employee had the **privilege** of parking in that spot.

15.



**propel** [prəˈpel] v.

To **propel** something means to push or move it somewhere.

→ The strong wind **propelled** the leaf through the air and across the street.

16.



**socialize** [ˈsouʃəlaɪz] v.

To **socialize** is to have a good time with people.

→ I like to **socialize** with my classmates after school.



17.



**suppress** [sə'pres] v.

To **suppress** something means to prevent it from happening.

→ She **suppressed** her urge to scream because she didn't want to be noticed.

18.



**tram** [træm] n.

A **tram** is a vehicle like a streetcar that runs on electricity above ground.

→ I took the **tram** to Eighth Avenue.