8-Week Focus: Vocabulary

Here are the words for this week

EYFS and KS1 in **Purple (Grasshopper)** and KS2 in **Blue (Shinobi/Ninja)**

How to use these slides:

- Share/teach these with your class each morning, use call and response to read words and go through definitions, antonyms and synonyms.

- Display 'This Week's Words' on your class noticeboard (these will be printed for you).

- Complete

8-Week Focus: Vocabulary

How to use these slides:

- Display 'This Week's Words' on your class noticeboard (these will be printed for you).

- Call and response the word (ensure response from all)

- Write the word on your flipchart (children **NEED** to see word being written)

- Read definition and check understanding

- Call and response phrases

- Read synonyms and antonyms

- Complete 'Challenge' – Write the word of the day in a sentence _or_ children to verbally recall sentence using word of the day

Friday only

In addition to completing word of the day, complete 'Memory Master' time, where children will be asked to draw or write the words they have covered this week (to support spaced learning)

Words this week

This Week's Words

Grasshopper

useful

error

swerve

glow

drag

Shinobi

obliterate

repulsive

naive

inhale

eccentric

Vocabulary Ninja
'Words unlock the doors to a world of understanding'

Monday

Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day: useful

Word Class (adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables *(use-ful)*

Definition: If something is useful, you can use it to do something or to help you in some way.

Mrs. Jones gave us some **useful** tips when it came to sketching.

Phrases:

very useful   *it wasn't useful*

that will be useful   *not useful*

Challenge:	Use WOD with - but	Morphology	
Synonym :	Antonym :	Prefix :	Suffix :
helpful nifty	useless		-ness

Tuesday

Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day: error **Word Class** (noun)

Pronunciation / Syllables (er-ror)

Definition: An error is something you have done which is considered to be incorrect or wrong, or which should not have been done.

Sadly, the writing was full of **errors**.

Phrases: *full of errors* *a huge error*

you made an error

Challenge:	Use WOD with - but	Morphology	
Synonym :	Antonym :	Prefix :	Suffix :
mistake			-s

Wednesday

Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **swerve** **Word Class** (noun/verb)

Pronunciation / Syllables (swerve)

Definition: If a vehicle or other moving thing swerves or if you swerve it, it suddenly changes direction, often in order to avoid hitting something.

Owen **swerved** out of the way of the fruit trolley.

Phrases: swerved quickly   the ball swerved

quick, swerve...

Challenge:	Use WOD with - but	Morphology	
Synonym :	Antonym :	Prefix :	Suffix :
veer			-ing
dodge			-ed

Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **glow**

(glow)

Word Class (noun/verb)

Pronunciation / Syllables

Definition: A glow is a dull, steady light, for example the light produced by a fire when there are no flames.

The bulb **glowed** during the science lesson.

Phrases:	*a dull glow*	*a glowing light*
	a warm glow	*glowing brightly*

Challenge:	Use WOD with - but	**Morphology**	
Synonym :	**Antonym :**	**Prefix :**	**Suffix :**
shine glimmer			-ing -ed -s

Friday

Grasshopper Word of the Day

Word of the Day: drag

(drag)

Word Class (verb)

Pronunciation / Syllables

Definition: If you drag something, you pull it along the ground, often with difficulty.

Owen **dragged** Freddy to the ground.

Phrases: *pulled and grabbed*   *dragged to the ground*

drag along   *dragged and dropped*

Challenge: Use WOD with - but		Morphology	
Synonym :	Antonym :	Prefix :	Suffix :
pull haul tug			-ing -ed -s

Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **obliterate**

Word Class (verb)

Pronunciation / Syllables *(ob-lit-er-ate)*

Definition: If something obliterates an object or place, it destroys it completely.

Danny quickly **obliterated** his lunch and ran outside to play.

Phrases: *was obliterated by*   *obliterated before my eyes*

being slowly obliterated

Challenge:	Use WOD x 2 in a sentence.	Morphology	
Synonym :	Antonym :	Prefix :	Suffix :
destroy demolish	create		-ed -ing -ion

Tuesday

Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: **repulsive**

Word Class (adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables *(re-pul-sive)*

Definition: If you describe something or someone as repulsive, you mean that they are horrible and disgusting and you want to avoid them.

Paul's attitude at lunch was **repulsive.**

Phrases: *such a repulsive* *vile and repulsive*

repulsive beyond words

Challenge: Use WOD x 2 in a sentence.

Morphology

Synonym :	Antonym :	Prefix :	Suffix :
disgusting abhorrent	delightful		-ness

Wednesday

Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: naive

Word Class (adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables *(na-ive)*

Definition: If you describe someone as naive, you think they lack experience and so expect things to be easy or people to be honest or kind.

Alex was **naive**, he just hadn't practised enough.

Phrases: extremely naive   so naive, yet so brave

naive and inexperienced

Challenge: Use WOD x 2 in a sentence.		Morphology	
Synonym :	Antonym :	Prefix :	Suffix :
innocent	experienced		-ity

Thursday

Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: inhale   **Word Class** (verb)

Pronunciation / Syllables *(in-hale)*

Definition: When you inhale, you breathe in. When you inhale something such as smoke, you take it into your lungs when you breathe in.

The children **inhaled** deeply after the PE session.

Phrases: *quickly inhale*   *inhale and exhale repeatedly*

not only inhaled, rather gasped and gulped

Challenge: Use WOD x 2 in a sentence.

		Morphology	
Synonym :	**Antonym :**	**Prefix :**	**Suffix :**
gulp gasp	exhale		-ed -ing -s

Friday

Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: eccentric

Word Class (adjective)

Pronunciation / Syllables (ec-cen-tric)

Definition: If you say that someone is eccentric, you mean that they behave in a strange way, and have habits or opinions that are different from those of most people.

Mr. Henderson was the most **eccentric** teacher in school.

Phrases: eccentric and engaging   eccentric character

uncomfortably eccentric

Challenge: Use WOD x 2 in a sentence.		Morphology	
Synonym :	Antonym :	Prefix :	Suffix :
unconventional uncommon			-ity