



WORDS ARE IMPORTANT.
Children who know certain words by a certain age are more likely to succeed in life. Pittsfield Promise's Word of the Day (WOD) project will help children learn some of those words during the summer, when most kids aren't thinking about learning.

HELPING KIDS LEARN THE WOD IS SIMPLE. FIND IT, SPEAK IT, SHOW IT.

- Introduce the WOD to kids you work with or see.
- Ask them if they know the WOD, use their answers to define it and use it in a sentence.
- Ask them how many different meanings they can think of for the word on Multiple Meaning Mondays.
- Post the WOD or WOD Calendar on your blackboards, bulletin boards, marquees, storefront windows, reception desks, Facebook pages, websites.
- Talk it up with everyone!

BOOK OF THE WEEK

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	JUNE PRODUCT MULTIPLE MEANING MONDAY	26 WEATHER What it's like outside	27 TRAIT A feature or quality	28 LENGTH Distance; how far from end to end	29 PRODUCER An organism which is part of the first level of a food web	JULY ILLUSTRATION A picture or drawing
2 INTERPRET To explain the meaning	3 PROPERTIES MULTIPLE MEANING MONDAY	4 REGION A large space, area, or division	5 DEFEND To speak or write in favor of; to justify	6 WIDTH The distance from side to side	7 CONSUMER An organism that feeds on other organisms in a food web	8 STANZA A section or part of a poem
9 PERIMETER The length of the outline	10 EXPRESS MULTIPLE MEANING MONDAY	11 CLIMATE The weather conditions of a place	12 COMPARE To say how things are the same	13 FORCE Strength, power, or energy	14 DECOMPOSER Something (like bacteria) that causes decay, rot, or crumbling away	15 NARRATOR The person who tells the story
16 ATTRIBUTES Traits, qualities, features, or characteristics	17 SCALE MULTIPLE MEANING MONDAY	18 ORGANISM A single, living thing	19 INFER To guess or decide based on facts	20 GRAVITY What pulls everything down towards the earth	21 WAVE To move up and down or back and forth	22 DIALOGUE Conversation, what people say to each other
23 QUANTITY How many or how much	24 PLANE MULTIPLE MEANING MONDAY	25 ENVIRONMENT What it is like where someone or something lives	26 CONSTRUCT To build or make	27 UNIT A single thing or one standard amount	28 EQUIVALENT Having the same value	29 GIST The basic meaning of something
30 NUMERATOR The top part of a fraction that shows how many parts	31 FIGURE MULTIPLE MEANING MONDAY	1 AUGUST FOSSIL Marks in rock from prehistoric plants or animals	2 SIMILAR Being alike	3 ECOSYSTEM A community of things	4 QUADRILATERAL A flat shape with four sides	5 PEER Someone in the same age group
6 DENOMINATOR The bottom part of a fraction that shows how many equal parts the item is divided into	7 YARD MULTIPLE MEANING MONDAY	8 SPECIES A certain kind or group of living things	9 PREDICT To say something will happen before it does	10 OBSERVATION What you see or notice	11 FICTION A made up story	12 MEND To fix or heal
13 AREA A place, a region, or the amount of surface within a space	14 SOLUTION MULTIPLE MEANING MONDAY	15 HABITAT Environment of an animal or plant	16 EXAMPLE A model or something that shows how things are alike	17 EVAPORATION To turn from liquid to gas	18 THEME The main subject, what something is about	19 DETAILS Particular facts or pieces of information
20 PARTITION To separate	21 POUND MULTIPLE MEANING MONDAY	22 LANDFORM Natural features of the earth, hill, mountain, or valley	23 CONTRAST To say how things are different	24 PRECIPITATION Water falling from the sky	25 SETTING Where something happens	26 SLUMBER Sleep
27 ESTIMATE A careful guess	28 BARK MULTIPLE MEANING MONDAY	29 COAST The land along the ocean	30 COMPUTE To solve a math problem	31 CONDENSATION To turn from gas to liquid	1 SEPTEMBER TYPICAL Average or usual	