

# FRY WORD LIST

These 600 words are the most frequently used in reading and writing. The words are listed in rank order.

## FIRST HUNDRED

Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4
the	or	will	number
of	one	up	no
and	had	other	way
a	by	about	could
to	word	out	people
in	but	many	my
is	not	then	than
you	what	them	first
that	all	these	water
it	were	so	been
he	we	some	call
was	when	her	who
for	your	would	oil
on	can	make	now
are	said	like	find
as	there	him	long
with	use	into	down
his	an	time	day
they	each	has	did
I	which	look	get
at	she	two	come
be	do	more	made
this	how	write	may
have	their	go	part
from	if	see	over

## SECOND HUNDRED

Group 5	Group 6	Group 7	Group 8
new	great	put	kind
sound	where	end	hand
take	help	does	picture
only	through	another	again
little	much	well	change
work	before	large	off
know	line	must	play
place	right	big	spell
year	too	even	air
live	mean	such	away
me	old	because	animal
back	any	turn	house
give	same	here	point
most	tell	why	page
very	boy	ask	letter
after	following	went	mother
thing	came	men	answer
our	want	read	found
just	show	need	study
name	also	land	still
good	around	different	learn
sentence	form	home	should
man	three	use	America
think	small	move	world
say	set	try	high

## THIRD HUNDRED

### Group 9

every  
near  
add  
food  
between  
own  
below  
country  
plant  
last  
school  
father  
keep  
tree  
never  
start  
city  
earth  
eye  
light  
thought  
head  
under  
story  
saw

### Group 10

left  
don't  
few  
while  
along  
might  
close  
something  
seem  
next  
hard  
open  
example  
beginning  
life  
always  
those  
both  
paper  
together  
got  
group  
often  
run  
important

### Group 11

until  
children  
side  
feet  
car  
mile  
night  
walk  
white  
sea  
began  
grow  
took  
river  
four  
carry  
state  
once  
book  
hear  
stop  
without  
second  
later  
miss

### Group 12

idea  
enough  
eat  
face  
watch  
far  
Indian  
real  
almost  
let  
above  
girl  
sometimes  
mountain  
cut  
young  
talk  
soon  
list  
song  
begin  
leave  
family  
it's  
afternoon

## FOURTH HUNDRED

### Group 13

body  
music  
color  
stand  
sun  
questions  
fish  
area  
mark  
dog  
horse  
birds  
problem  
complete  
room  
knew  
since  
ever  
piece  
told  
usually  
didn't  
friends  
easy  
heard

### Group 14

order  
red  
door  
sure  
become  
top  
ship  
across  
today  
during  
short  
better  
best  
however  
low  
hours  
black  
products  
happened  
whole  
measure  
remember  
early  
waves  
reached

### Group 15

listen  
wind  
rock  
space  
covered  
fast  
several  
hold  
himself  
toward  
five  
step  
morning  
passed  
vowel  
true  
hundred  
against  
pattern  
numeral  
table  
north  
slowly  
money  
map

### Group 16

farm  
pulled  
draw  
voice  
seen  
cold  
cried  
plan  
notice  
south  
sing  
war  
ground  
fall  
king  
town  
I'll  
unit  
figure  
certain  
field  
travel  
wood  
fire  
upon

## FIFTH HUNDRED

### Group 17

done  
English  
road  
half  
ten  
fly  
gave  
box  
finally  
wait  
correct  
oh  
quickly  
person  
became  
shown  
minutes  
strong  
verb  
stars  
front  
feel  
fact  
inches  
street

### Group 18

decided  
contain  
course  
surface  
produce  
building  
ocean  
class  
note  
nothing  
rest  
carefully  
scientists  
inside  
wheels  
stay  
green  
known  
island  
week  
less  
machine  
base  
ago  
stood

### Group 19

plane  
system  
behind  
ran  
round  
boat  
game  
force  
brought  
understand  
warm  
common  
bring  
explain  
dry  
though  
language  
shape  
deep  
thousands  
yes  
clear  
equation  
yet  
government

### Group 20

filled  
heat  
full  
hot  
check  
object  
am  
rule  
among  
noun  
power  
cannot  
able  
six  
size  
dark  
ball  
material  
special  
heavy  
fine  
pair  
circle  
include  
built

## SIXTH HUNDRED

Group 21	Group 22	Group 23	Group 24
can't	picked	legs	beside
matter	simple	sat	gone
square	cells	main	sky
syllables	paint	winter	glass
perhaps	mind	wide	million
bill	love	written	west
felt	cause	length	lay
suddenly	rain	reason	weather
test	exercise	kept	root
direction	eggs	interest	instruments
center	train	arms	meet
farmers	blue	brother	third
ready	wish	race	Months
anything	drop	present	paragraph
divided	developed	beautiful	raised
general	window	store	represent
energy	difference	job	soft
subject	distance	edge	whether
Europe	heart	past	clothes
moon	sit	sign	Flowers
region	sum	record	shall
return	summer	finished	teacher
believe	wall	discovered	held
dance	forest	wild	describe
members	probably	happy	drive