WOTD for kids-week1

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community

noun

A community is an area where a group of people live. A community may be a neighborhood or a town. It has a government that makes laws and decides what might be best for everyone living there.

We are lucky to have a swimming pool in our community. Everyone goes there in the summer.

compromise

verb

When people compromise, they come to an agreement about something after each person gives up something they had wanted in the beginning.

Sam and his brother share a bedroom. Sam wanted to paint it blue, and his brother wanted to paint it black, so they compromised and painted it purple.

navigate

verb

When you navigate something like a ship or airplane, you control where it is going so you can get to where you want to go.

The captain was able to navigate the ship through the storm.

tradition

noun

Tradition is the handing down of a group's beliefs and customs from older people to younger people over many years. Tradition is also a kind of force that makes people continue doing something in a particular way just because it has always been done that way before.

Brides usually wear white dresses at their wedding because of tradition. Tradition has preserved many of the old customs and ways of doing things in this part of the country.

tyranny

noun

Tyranny is a government in which a single person rules and controls everything. The ruler typically ignores the laws of the country and uses cruel methods to stay in power.

During the tyranny of the country's last leader, many innocent people were put in prison.