**Word of the Day**

Flatfoot

\*Flat-Fu-t / (noun)

Definition: Slang Police Officer or patrolman that’s walking the beat.

EX: In the latest movie, the actor plays on earnest, the Flat foot who is bested by some clever crooks.

My Sentence: The patrolman that was walking the beat started chasing these two thief’s that stole items from the corner store so the patrolman chased them and ran with his flatfoot.

Megrim

* MEE-grim / (noun)

Definition: Low Spirited

EX: Cathy’s friends tried to convince her that a night at the movies would help alleviate her megrim, but she wasn’t buying it.

My Sentence: A little boy named Conrad did not want to go to school or to even come out of his own room, he was megrim and was not behaving because his mom didn’t allow him to take swimming lessons it was to expensive so Conrad pouted until he got over the face that he didn’t have enough savings.

Adapt

\*/uh-DAPT/(verb)/

Definition: To make or to become fit (As for a new use or situation) Often by modification.

EX: It took two weeks before the family could finally adapt to their new home. / It took lee awhile to adapt to her new school

My Sentence: I saw a big truck t hat I took the time to adapt too these couple of weeks because it was my neighbour’s really loud monster truck.

Gridiron\

\*/GRID-eye-Ern/ (noun)/

Definition: Foot Ball Field.

EX: The former quarter back looked out at the field recalling his many moments of glory on the gridiron.

My Sentence: One day the blue bombers had a successful win on there very own gridiron field that they had won in a championships game.

Numskull

\*/num-SKULL/(noun)/

Definition: A thick or muddled head; a dull or stupid person.

EX: ‘Don’t be a numskull ‘my mother shouted as I slammed on the breaks.

My Sentence: In our novel Iqbal, Hussian Khan screams like a stuck pig as Iqbal shredded the blue Bukhara and yelled out you’ Numskull!’

Feisty

\*-Fye-STY/ (adjective)/

Definition: Having or showing a lively aggressiveness; spunky

EX: Elena found success as a stage access thanks to her feisty spirit and strong work ethic.

My Sentence: Matt went to the pet store to by a puppy for his mom’s birthday, he found one he really liked but found it was acting kind of feisty.

Ingrate

\*IN-grate/(noun)/

Definition: An ungrateful person.

EX: The carpet master yelled you ‘ingrate!’ to Iqbal as he torn the master’s carpet into shreds.

My Sentence: As I helped a lady carry her groceries to her car she got in and left without thanking me so I though what an ingrate.

Equality

\*/i-kwa-le-TEE/ (noun)/

Definition: The quality or state of being equal (same rank or status)

EX: It’s known that others suggest that there was equality between al the citizens in the United States in the early 19’60’s

My Sentence: As Adam a young black boy ran home crying insanely yelling that he doesn’t belong in this world and that he’s all alone just because he’s not allowed to do the things that white people are allowed to do all he ever wanted was to just be EQUAL and be treated the same and have equality.

Freedom

\*free-DOM/ (noun)/

Definition: Quality or state of being free from slavery from the power of another political right.

EX: The old man across the street thinks that children have way to much freedom these days and that its not like the old days were they struggle for their freedom.

My Sentence: After a young black boy demanding freedom rights died the day after and was killed by lynching and his family members and friends wiped away their tears and took charge and made a difference that day to bring civil rights and freedom upon everyone.

Muezzin

\*mu-zee-NE/ (noun)/

Definition: A Muslim crier who calls the hour of daily prayers from a minaret.

EX: As Jeffrey’s family left their home to go to the prayer after immediately hearing it out loud from a muezzin.

My Sentence: The muezzin lost his voice after one month of non-stop announcement’s and news by yelling it out to the town.