



### Vocabulary Strategies

#### Today's Standard

6.L.4 - Determine or clarify the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words and phrases based on grade 6 reading and content, choosing flexibly from a range of strategies.

Cues	Notes
What are context clues?	Context clues are hints found within a sentence or paragraph that help define an unfamiliar word.
How do prefixes and suffixes help?	Prefixes and suffixes are added to the beginning or end of a word to change its meaning.
What are multiple-meaning words?	Multiple-meaning words are words that have more than one meaning, depending on the context.
Why use a dictionary?	A dictionary provides definitions, pronunciation, and usage of words.
What are Greek and Latin roots?	Greek and Latin roots are the base of many English words and can help determine their meanings.

#### Summary

Understanding the meaning of unknown and multiple-meaning words is essential for reading comprehension. Students can use context clues, prefixes, suffixes, and dictionaries to determine word meanings.