



Work and play

Vocabulary challenge!

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Adjective suffixes

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succeed				
communicate				
help				
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lead				
satisfy				
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- I didn't know what to do in that situation. I felt really .
- isn't my strong point. I find it hard to come up with original ideas.
- Good skills are essential for a manager who runs a company.
- In Poland a lot of young people are , so they decide to emigrate to find work somewhere else.
- His skills are not the best in the world! It's sometimes really hard to understand what he means.
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3	wrongly	understand lead
4	again	take think
5	not, opposite to	appear approve
6	together (with)	operate exist

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- A lot of people of the idea of space exploration and say it's a waste of money.
- If you fail an exam, you always have the chance to it.
- Some people the reasons behind space exploration.
- I often wonder if humans could with creatures from other planets. I think living together wouldn't be easy.
- People want to colonise other planets because the Earth is getting . There are just too many people on our planet.
- Nations should closely in planning space missions. Teamwork is really important in this field.
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help	help	helper	helpful	unhelpful helpless
create	creation creativity	creator	creative	
lead	lead leadership	leader	leading	
satisfy	satisfaction		satisfied satisfactory	dissatisfied unsatisfied unsatisfactory
imagine	imagination		imaginary imaginative imaginable	unimaginative unimaginable

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- Everyone wants to be **successful** in their private and professional lives. Nobody wants to fail.
- I didn't know what to do in that situation. I felt really **helpless**.
- Creativity** isn't my strong point. I find it hard to come up with original ideas.
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