

List of Abstract Nouns

The following is a list of abstract nouns with sample sentences of how they would be used.

- Anger - Her anger reached boiling point.
- Awe - The girl's performance was awe inspiring.
- Belief - His belief was that all cats are good company.
- Bravery - The fireman's bravery allowed him to run into the burning building and rescue five people.
- Brilliance - The student's brilliance was only shown when he took his final exam.
- Calm - The calm came before the storm hit.
- Charity - My mother said that she preferred not to accept charity.
- Compassion - Have a little compassion for those less fortunate than you.
- Courage - It takes courage to stick up for someone who is being bullied by others.
- Curiosity - Curiosity can help you learn new things.
- Deceit - Her deceit knew no bounds.
- Dedication - The dedication for the new building is at six o'clock.
- Delight - The taste of hot cocoa on a cold day is a pure delight.
- Despair - The woman's despair was apparent from her red nose and watery eyes.
- Determination - His determination to win the track meet showed on his face.
- Faith - Her faith was strong enough to move mountains.
- Freedom - She wanted the freedom to decide what she would be when she grew up.
- Friendship - Your friendship is one of my favorite parts of the day.
- Generosity - The old woman's generosity included giving whatever she could to other people.
- Happiness - My happiness doesn't depend on what other people think of me.
- Hate - Hate is an emotion that hurts the hater more than the hated.
- Honesty - Honesty is one of the most important traits in a good friend.
- Hope - Even though she'd had a bad week, the girl had hope that things would be better tomorrow.
- Imagination - Rebecca's imagination helped her picture what life would be like in five years.
- Integrity - Because of the student's integrity, she didn't feel right about cheating on the test.
- Intelligence - Jeremy's intelligence was never in question.
- Joy - The puppy's joy at seeing his master was evident as he bounced around the yard and barked.
- Justice - Although we want the world to be fair, justice is not always served.
- Kindness - A small act of kindness can completely change someone else's world.
- Knowledge - She had the knowledge to fix her car and make it run again.
- Love - Love is hard to define, but you'll know it when you feel it.
- Loyalty - A dog's loyalty to his owner is one of his best qualities.
- Memory - The memory of her last birthday made Julie look forward to her next birthday.
- Misery - Chris' misery made him want to curl up in a ball in the corner and cry.
- Motivation - Her motivation for learning to play the piano was to make her mother happy.
- Opportunity - Ann was given the opportunity to try out for a part in the school play.
- Patience - You need patience to train a puppy to fetch a ball.
- Pride - She took great pride in the custom cakes she baked and decorated.
- Reality - The reality of the situation was that she was lost in the woods and it was getting dark.
- Relaxation - For a little relaxation, kick off your shoes and dig your toes into the sand.
- Sacrifice - It was a great sacrifice to give up her spot on the soccer team.
- Satisfaction - Deborah gained satisfaction from baking cookies for her daughter's Girl Scout troop.
- Sympathy - When her best friend's grandfather died, Kelly did her best to offer sympathy and comfort.
- Talent - Mary's talent was in knowing when to deliver the punch line and make everyone laugh.
- Thought - The thought that went into redecorating her bedroom took hours.
- Truth - Whenever someone asks you a question, it is always best to tell the truth.
- Trust - If you lie to people, eventually, you will lose their trust.
- Warmth - The sunny yellow paint added warmth to the kitchen.
- Wisdom - The old man's wisdom helped the youngsters understand why family was important.