



Compound Words

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Compound words are when **two**
or more words combine to form
a new single word.

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ice cream

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1. Open compounds
2. Closed compounds
3. Hyphenated compounds

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Open compounds



ice cream

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Closed compounds



teacup

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Hyphenated compounds



merry-go-round

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1. Note book
2. Notebook
3. Note-book



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Which parts of speech are used?

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Open compounds



ice

noun

cream

noun

compound noun

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Open compounds



swimming

verb

pool

noun

compound noun

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Open compounds

real estate

adjective noun

compound adjective compound noun




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Closed compounds

teacup

noun noun

compound noun




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Closed compounds

heartbroken

noun verb

compound adjective



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Hyphenated compounds



merry-go-round

adjective

verb

adverb

compound noun

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Hyphenated compounds



mother-in-law

noun

preposition

noun

compound noun

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Pluralisation (compound nouns)



ice creams

final noun

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Pluralisation (compound nouns)



teacup**s**

main noun

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Pluralisation (compound nouns)



mother**s**-in-law

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Capitalisation



Ice cream is delicious.

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Capitalisation



I love ice cream.

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Capitalisation



Mother-in-Law's
Guide to Family
Holidays

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Conjugation (compound verbs)

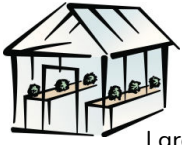


I babysit
He babysits
I babysat
main verb

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Stress Patterns



greenhouse

I grow plants in my greenhouse.

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Stress Patterns



green house

I live in a green house.

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