

Word of the Week

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Anna and Olaf sing a song at the start of Frozen II

Can you remember the name of the song?

Do you know what the phrase in the song title is an example of?

Word of the Week

Truism
(noun)

Are you familiar with this word?

What does it mean?

Can you use it in a sentence?

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Truism (noun)

Definition

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Examples

“Anna’s statement that “Some things never change” is a **truism**.”

“As far as health is concerned, it’s a **truism** that prevention is better than cure.”

“His book is testament to the **truism** that great research is the prerequisite for great historical writing.”

Can you come up with your own?

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Synonyms

Platitude

Cliche

Banality

Old Chestnut

Maxim

Axiom

Antonyms

Profundity

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Truism (noun)

A statement that is true in all circumstances.

Task

Add **truism** to your word of the week record sheet (page 18 of your planner).

Use this time to check you have all of the previous words recorded as well.

Word of the Week

Record (verb)
To set down in writing for later reference.

“Use this page to **record** Word of the Week”

Week	Word
1	Inception
2	Notation
3	Dignity
4	Oracy
5	Nostalgia
6	Kaleidoscope
7	Equity
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Truism (noun)

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Challenge

Can you work out what word(s) is missing from each **truism**?

Why might we describe each statement as a **truism**?

You can't have your cake and eat it too.

Practice makes perfect.

It is what it is.

Patience is a virtue.

Money doesn't buy happiness.

There's no place like home.