

Word of the Week

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Brunch



Podcast



Spork

Do you know what all of these words are examples of?

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Portmanteau (noun)

Are you familiar with this word?

What does it mean?

Can you use it in a sentence?

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Definition

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Examples



Brunch
Breakfast & Lunch



Podcast
iPod & broadcast



Spork
Spoon & form

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Synonyms

Blend

Merger

Combination

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Task

Add **portmanteau** 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** each Word of the Week”

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5	Nostalgia
6	Kaleidoscope
7	Equity
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13	Substrate

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Challenge

Which two words does each **portmanteau** below combined together?

Smog	Smoke + fog	Labradoodle	Labrador + poodle
Motel	Motorway + hotel	Liger	Lion + tiger
Webinar	Web + seminar	Oxbridge	Oxford + Cambridge
Staycation	Stay + vacation	Romcom	Romantic + comedy
Malware	Malicious + software	Emoticon	Emotion + icon