



Compound Words

- The words listed have been selected because of their suitability for the 4 to 8 age range.

A compound word is a word created by combining two or more other words.

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| afterbirth | airbrush | aircraft | airfield | airline |
| airman | airport | airship | anybody | anyhow |
| anyway | anywhere | armchair | armpit | |

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| backdrop | backfire | background | backhand | backlash |
| backlog | backside | backstroke | backtrack | backward |
| bagpipes | ballroom | bankroll | barnyard | bathroom |
| bedridden | bedspread | bedtime | billboard | blacklist |
| blackmail | brainstorm | brainwash | breakfast | briefcase |
| broadcast | bulldog | bulldozer | bullfrog | buttercup |
| butterfingers | | | | |

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| chairman | championship | clockwise | clockwork | copycat |
| corkscrew | countdown | courtyard | cowboy | crackdown |
| crossbar | crossbones | crossroad | crossword | cutback |

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| daredevil | darkroom | dashboard | daybreak | daydream |
| daylight | daytime | deadline | dishwasher | doorknob |
| doorman | doormat | doorway | doughnut | downcast |
| downfall | downhearted | downhill | downpour | downright |
| downstairs | downstream | downtown | downwind | drainpipe |
| drawback | drawbridge | driveway | dropout | drumstick |
| dustpan | | | | |

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| earache | eardrum | earphone | earring | earthquake |
| earthworm | elsewhere | endless | evermore | eyeball |
| eyebrow | eyeglass | eyepiece | eyesight | eyesore |
| eyestrain | eyewitness | | | |

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| fairway | fallout | fanfare | farewell | farmhouse |
| farmyard | farseeing | fatherhood | featherbed | featherweight |
| feedback | fellowship | figurehead | finger nail | fingerprint |