

Daily English Vocab 30 April 2024

1. Brevity (noun)

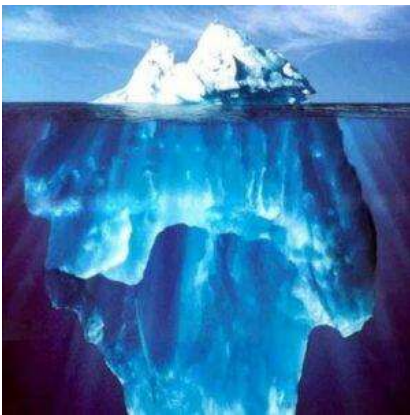
Meaning; The quality of being brief in duration, short in size



- **Synonyms:** shortness
- **Antonyms:** lengthiness
- **Sentence Example:** The best quality a graduation speech can have is *brevity*.
- **Noun (Definition):** *Nouns* make up the largest class of words in most languages, including English. A noun is a word that refers to a thing (*book*), a person (*Noah Webster*), an animal (*cat*), a place (*Omaha*), a quality (*softness*), an idea (*justice*), or an action (*yodeling*).

2. Stiffen (verb)

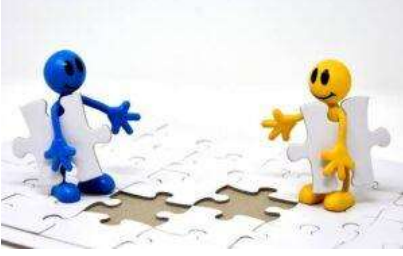
Meaning; To make stiff.



- **Synonyms:** solidify, strengthen
- **Antonyms:** weaken, loosen
- **Sentence Example:** Plans to further *stiffen* the already onerous requirements for admission to the elite military unit.
- **Verb (Definition):** *Verbs* are words that show an action (*sing*), occurrence (*develop*), or state of being (*exist*).

3. Emulate (verb)

Meaning; To attempt to equal or be the same as.



- **Synonyms:** imitate, irritate
- **Antonyms:** real, original
- **Sentence Example:** A pro athlete who has often said that children should *emulate* their parents—not him.
- **Verb (Definition):** *Verbs* are words that show an action (*sing*), occurrence (*develop*), or state of being (*exist*).

