

## BUZZ WORDS

Vocabulary Definitions from TIMEFLIES:
The Maiden Voyage\*

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\*Some words have multiple definitions; the definitions listed are those in context with usage in TIMEFLIES: The Maiden Voyage.

Idiom\* - noun an expression whose meanings cannot be inferred from the meanings of the words that make it up

Illuminate\* - verb make lighter or brighter

Incensed - adj. angered at something unjust or wrong

Incredulity - noun doubt about the truth of something

Initiate\* - verb take the lead or initiative in; participate in the development of; bring up a topic for discussion

Innate\* - adj. not established by conditioning or learning

Innocent\* - noun a person who lacks knowledge of evil

Instinctive - adj. unthinking; prompted by (or as if by) instinct

Intensity\* - noun high level or degree; the property of being intense

Intercept\* - verb seize on its way

Involuntarily - adv. against your will

Iridescent - adj. showing luminous colours that seem to change when seen from different angles

Itinerary\* - noun a proposed route of travel

Jostle - verb come into rough contact with while moving; make one's way by jostling, pushing, or shoving

Jurassic\* - adj. of or relating to or denoting the second period of the Mesozoic era; noun from 190 million to 135 million years ago; dinosaurs;

Labellum\* - noun each of a pair of lobes at the tip of the proboscis in some insects

Liberate\* - verb grant freedom to; grant freedom to; free from confinement

Liquefy - verb become liquid or fluid when heated; make (a solid substance) liquid, as by heating; become liquid

Littered - adj. filled or scattered with a disorderly accumulation of objects or rubbish Lopsided - adj. having one side lower or smaller or lighter than the other; turned or twisted toward one side

Manoeuvre\* - noun a movement or series of moves requiring skill and care

Maxillary palp - small antenna-like sensory appendage emerging from the maxilla, Jointed, sensory structure found on the maxillae of an insect

Meekly - adv. in a submissive or spiritless manner; in a humble manner

Melodic - adj. of or relating to melody; containing or constituting or characterized by pleasing melody

Menace\* - noun a threat or the act of threatening; something that is a source of danger Meticulous - adj. marked by extreme care in treatment of details; marked by precise accordance with details

Metronome - noun clicking pendulum indicates the exact tempo of a piece of music Miniature\* - adj. being on a very small scale