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| English Vocabulary Organiser |
| hurl | Verb | If you **hurl** something, you throw it violently and with a [lot](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/lot) of force. |
| swarm | Verb | When people **swarm** [somewhere](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/somewhere), they move there quickly in a large group. |
| tilt | Verb | If you **tilt** an object or if it **tilts**, it moves into a sloping position with one end or side [higher](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/higher) than the other. |
| buckles | Verb | If an [object](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/object) **buckles** or if something **buckles** it, it becomes bent as a result of very [great](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/great) heat or force. |
| glides | Verb | If you **glide** [somewhere](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/somewhere), you move silently and in a smooth and [effortless](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/effortless) way. |
| scuttle | Verb | When people or small animals **scuttle** [somewhere](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/somewhere), they run there with short [quick](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/quick) steps. |
| scouring | Verb | If you **scour** something such as a place or a book, you make a [thorough](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/thorough) search of it to [try](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/try) to [find](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/find) what you are [looking](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/look) for. |
| gouges | Verb | If you **gouge** something, you make a hole or a long cut in it, usually with a pointed object. |
| splits | Verb | If something **splits** or if you **split** it, it is divided into two or more parts. |
| shattering | Verb | If something **shatters** or **is shattered**, it breaks into a [lot](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/lot) of small pieces. |
| eroded | Verb | If [rock](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/rock) or [soil](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/soil) **erodes** or **is eroded** by the [weather](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/weather), sea, or [wind](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/wind), it [cracks](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/crack) and [breaks](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/break) so that it is gradually [destroyed](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/destroy). |
| disintegrate | Verb | If an object or substance **disintegrates**, it breaks into many small pieces or parts and is destroyed. |
| flowing | Verb | If a number of people or things **flow** from one place to another, they move there steadily in large groups, usually without [stopping](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/stopping). |
| grinding | Verb | If you **grind** a substance such as [corn](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/corn), you [crush](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/crush) it between two hard surfaces or with a machine until it becomes a fine [powder](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/powder). |
| slither | Verb | If you **slither** [somewhere](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/somewhere), you slide along in an [uneven](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/uneven) way. |
| clasped | Verb | If you **clasp** someone or something, you hold them tightly in your [hands](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/hands) or [arms](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/arm).  |
| grazed | Verb | If something **grazes** another thing, it [touches](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/touch) that thing lightly as it [passes](https://www.collinsdictionary.com/dictionary/english/pass) by. |

Verb – A doing word – it describes an action.