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Vocabulary for Ins*ide Out and Back Again* - Part I

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1. sweep –( sweeping, sweeps, swept) to remove, to take something away - *Flowers always sweep away my tears.*

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1. bear ( bearing, bears, bore)–( to produce (something) - This tree can bear lots of fruit
2. Insisted – demanded - *She insisted on going with her mother to the supermarket.*

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1. fate – destiny - the future that someone or something will have *– She believed that her fate was to be a nurse.*
2. smeared -  to make (something) dirty by rubbing it with something else - *The children smeared the window with fingerprints.*

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1. strolled – (strolls, strolling, strolled) walked slowly, casually, not being in a hurry. *We strolled through the field of beautiful flowers, smelling them as we walked.*
2. adore –(adores, adoring, adored) to love very much – *A child usually adores his mother*.s

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1. cruise –( cruises, cruising, cruised) *a cruise ship travels to different places with many vacationing people on board.*

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1. mission **–** a task or job that someone is given to do - *Our mission was to recover the stolen plans.*

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1. portrait - a painting, drawing, or photograph of a person that usually only includes the person's head and shoulders – The portraits in the palace are of former kings and queens.
2. chant – (chants, chanting, chanted) a kind of singing using a small number of musical notes that are repeated many times. *– Listening to her chant made me think of Rapp singing.*

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1. seamstress – a woman who sews clothing – *The seamstress made a beautiful dress for the prom.*

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1. barely -  used to say that something was almost not possible or almost did not happen. - *I barely recognized you with your hair cut short.*

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14 - hatching –(hatch, hatching, hatches, hatched) to break open as a young bird, insect, fish, etc., is born - *The eggs will soon hatch.*

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 15- current – (currently, more currently, most currently) something going on now, at this time

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16- shift –a scheduled period of time in which people do certain things. – *Working in shifts helped us finish the product early.*

 *17=frown* –(frowns, frowning, frowned)the expression of an unhappy face. – *My mother frowned when she saw my dirty shirt.*

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 18 – delights – good things, things you like –*There were many delights under the Christmas tree.*

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19 – stewed – cooked together with other foods in a pot – *Stewed fruit is great with whipped cream.*

20 – pastries – small cakes and cookies – I ate five of the pastries on the table—they were great!

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21- justify- (justification, justifies, justified to provide a good reason for the actions of (someone)

22 – conviction -  the feeling of being sure that what you believe or say is true – *My conviction that I can trust him proved true*.\

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27 – dove - a pretty, light-colored bird which is a symbol of peace. *I love the gold dove necklace you got me for my birthday.*

*28 – Ho Chi Min – Leader of the Vietnamese communists. He started communism in North*

*Vietnam.*

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28 – migration – (migrate, migrates, migrating, migrated) moving to another country. – There is now a huge migration of people from Syria.t

29 – pout –( pouts, pouting, pouted) to push out your lips to show that you are angry or annoyed

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30 – chide–(chides, chiding, chided)to express mild disapproval of (someone

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31 – kilo – 2.2 lbs**.**

32 – crescent **-**a shape that is curved, wide at its center, and pointed at its two ends like a crescent moon *◊ The crescent is often used as a symbol of Islam*.

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33 – lavender – a type of flower which smells very good. – *The vase of the table is filled with sweet-smelling lavender flowers.*

34 – hollow – empty – *Squirrels lived in the hollow of that tree*

35 – despite - without being prevented by (something) — used to say that something happens or is true even though there is something that might prevent it from happening or being true

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36 – podium **-** a small platform on which a person may stand to be seen by an audience. *John was short, so he had to stand on a podium to be seen in the auditorium.*

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37 – tamarind – a type of spice – My mother puts tamarind seeds into bread dough.

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38 – wrung – Past Participle of “to wring”, as in “to wring dry” – has wrung, **has** been wrung.*The washing machine had wrung all the clothes, so that no water was left in them.*

39 – blended – mixed together –(blend, blends, blending) – *The vanilla ice cream was blended with real cherries.*

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40 – scold - scolds, scolding, scolded -  to speak in an angry or critical way to (someone who has done something wrong)*Anna was scolded for coming home late from school yesterday.*

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41- kilometers: a unit of measurement that equals a little more than half a mile. *The teacher drives twenty kilometers to work each day.*

42 – sprouted – sprout, sprouts, sprouting – to grow roots, to grow leaves, etc*. I waited a long time for my avocado seed to sprout roots.*

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43 – rickety **-** not strong or stable and likely to break – *The old boat was too rickety to take out into the ocean.*

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44 - squeal – squeals, squealing, squealed -  to make or cause (something) to make a long, high-pitched cry or noise. *The little girl squealed when she saw the new* doll*.*

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*45 – monsoon -* the rainy season that occurs in southern Asia in the summer. – The monsoon came early, so the couple had to postpone their wedding.

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46 – brim – brims, brimming, brimmed **-**  to be completely filled with something

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47 – obeyed – obey, obeys, obeying, obeyed -  to do what someone tells you to do or what a rule, law, etc., says you must do *– It is important to obey your* teacher *and your parents.*

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48 – gaunt **-** very thin usually because of illness or suffering

**Page 60**  a small spot or mark

49 – flecked – fleck, flecks, flecking -  a small spot or mark – *His old coat had flecks of dirt all over it.50*

50 – clusters - a group of things or people that are close together – *The clusters of grapes looked delicious.*

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51 – lunges – lunge, lunging, lunged -  to move or reach forward in a sudden, forceful way – *The boy lunged toward the wallet that had fallen out of his pocket*.

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52 – huddle **–** huddles, huddling, huddled **-** to sit or lie in a curled or bent position – *The men huddled together in the cold wind.*

53 – centimeter -a length equal to ¹/₁₀₀ meter – (smaller than an inch

54 – raging – rage, rages, raged -  very wild and violent – *The raging ants attacked the picnic lunch.*

56 *–* disrupted – disrupt, disrupts, disrupting - to cause (something) to be unable to continue in the normal way **:** to interrupt the normal progress or activity of (something) – *The concert was interrupted by screams.*

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57 – nudge **–**nudged, nudges, nudging**, -** to touch or push (someone or something) gently – *The boy in the stable nudged the horse to move faster.*

58 – glides – gliding, glided - to move in a smooth way – *The sailboat glided smoothly through the water.*