

Word of the Day Vocabulary February 2019

February	1	Ascribe	Verb	To assign cause to a person or thing, to give responsibility to a particular person
	4	Intrepid	Adj	Fearless
	5	Idiosyncratic	Adj	Of peculiar behavioral characteristics
	6	Stereotype	Noun	Standardized, broad generalizations about characters, plots, and settings
	7	Sequester	Verb	To isolate, cut off from everyday life and outside influence
	8	Brandish	Verb	To wave something about in a threatening or menacing way
	11	Vindicate	Verb	To clear of accusation
	12	Treatise	Noun	A scholarly, formal written work that deals extensively with a given subject
	13	Suspense	Noun	A technique that keeps the reader guessing what will happen next,
	14	Amorous	Adj	Lovingly affectionate
	15	Unilateral	Adj	One sided
	18	HOLIDAY	HOLIDAY	HOLIDAY
	19	Elucidate	Verb	To make clear or plain
	20	Florid	Adj	Flowery
	21	Unsavory	Adj	Tasteless, bland, morally unacceptable or distasteful, opposite of the standards of good taste
	22	Voracious	Adj	Ravenously hungry
	25	Destitution	Noun	Complete poverty
	26	Adulation	Noun	Excessive flattery or admiration
	27	Theme	Noun	The underlying main idea of the piece of work
	28	Symbiosis	Noun	A cooperative, mutually beneficial relationship between people, species, groups, or things