

Call it Courage VOCABULARY

"Flight" (p. 1-13)	Student-friendly definition
Courage (p. 1)	the quality of being brave when you are facing a difficult or dangerous situation, or when you are very ill
Fury (p. 2)	extreme, often uncontrolled, anger
Impending (p. 2)	an impending event or situation, especially an unpleasant one, is going to happen very soon
Seized (p. 3)	to take hold of something suddenly and violently
Capsize (p. 3)	if a boat capsizes, or if you capsize it, it turns over in the water
Scarcely (p. 3)	almost not or almost none at all
Eternal (p. 4)	continuing for ever and having no end
Quivered (p. 6)	to shake slightly because you are cold, or because you feel very afraid, angry, excited
Grim (p. 6)	making you feel worried or unhappy
Sympathy (p. 6)	the feeling of being sorry for someone who is in a bad situation
Scorn (p. 6)	the feeling that someone or something is stupid or does not deserve respect
Tribe (p. 7)	a social group consisting of people of the same race who have the same beliefs, customs, language, etc., and usually live in one particular area ruled by their leader
Inseparable (p. 7)	people who are inseparable are always together and are very friendly with each other
Coward (p. 11)	someone who is not at all brave

“The Sea” (p. 14-27)	Student-friendly definition
Dismal (p. 14)	if a situation or a place is dismal, it is so bad that it makes you feel very unhappy and hopeless
Desolation (p. 15)	a place that is desolate is empty and looks sad because there are no people there
Sorrow (p. 15)	a feeling of great sadness, usually because someone has died or because something terrible has happened to you
Ominous (p. 15)	making you feel that something bad is going to happen
Savagely (p. 17)	very violent or cruel
Reassure (p. 17)	to make someone feel calmer and less worried or frightened about a problem or situation
Luminous (p. 22)	shining in the dark
Profoundly (p. 23)	extremely
Delight (p. 25)	a feeling of great pleasure and satisfaction
Merciful (p. 26)	being kind to people and forgiving them rather than punishing them or being cruel

“The Island” (p. 28-49)	Student-friendly definition
Giddy (p. 28)	feeling silly, happy, and excited, or showing this feeling
Sparingly (p. 29)	using or doing only a little of something
Inhabited (p. 29)	living in
Apprehension (p. 30)	anxiety about the future, especially about dealing with something unpleasant or difficult
Solitude (p. 30)	when you are alone, especially when this is what you enjoy
Wound (p. 32)	a cut or injury
Circumference (p. 34)	the distance or measurement around the outside of a circle or any round shape
Prospect (p. 36)	the possibility that something will happen
Pride (p. 38)	a feeling that you are proud of something that you or someone connected with you has achieved
Premonition (p. 40)	a strange feeling that something, especially something bad, is going to happen
Idol (p. 41)	an object of worship
Advance (p. 41)	to get ahead
Irresolute (p. 42)	unable to decide what to do
Weary (p. 46)	very tired or bored, especially because you have been doing something for a long time

“Drums” (p. 50-76)	Student-friendly definition
Buoyant (p. 50)	able to float or keep things floating
Veritable (p. 54)	a word used to emphasize a description of someone or something
Imperative (p. 56)	extremely important; needed to be done immediately
Culprit (p. 56)	the person who is guilty of doing something wrong
Humble (p. 62)	not considering yourself or your ideas to be as important as other people’s
Gratitude (p. 62)	the feeling of being grateful
Wisdom (p. 62)	good sense and judgment, based especially on your experience of life
Impaled (p. 63)	a sharp object going through you
Triumph (p. 64)	to gain a victory or success after a difficult struggle
Oppressive (p. 68)	powerful, cruel, and unfair
Heritage (p. 69)	the traditional beliefs, values, customs, etc. of a family, country, or society
Dismay (p. 70)	worry, disappointment, or unhappiness you feel when something unpleasant happens
Venom (p. 72)	a liquid poison that some creatures produce when they bite/sting you
Prodigious (p. 74)	a very large or great in a surprising or impressive way

“Homeward” (p. 77- end)	Student-friendly definition
Warily (p. 77)	someone who is careful of something because they think it may be dangerous or harmful
Reverberated (p. 78)	shaking due to loud sounds
Advantage (p. 81)	something that helps you be more successful than others
Diminishing (p. 85)	to become or make something become smaller or less
Conflagration (p. 86)	a very large fire that destroys a lot of buildings, forests, etc.