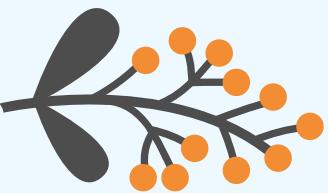


Unit 3:
What's it worth to you?

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Vocabulary



REVIEW

Complete the sentences with the correct words.

1. (condition / valuable)

I found some of my childhood toys in my mother's house. Maybe they are _____ today. They are all in good _____.

2. (guest / worth)

My mother wants to be a _____ on *Antiques Roadshow*. She wants to bring her antique watch. The watch isn't _____ very much, but she enjoys wearing it.

3. (collection / collector / collect)

I began to _____ stamps when I was ten years old. I plan to give my _____ to my son when he is ten years old. I hope he wants to be a stamp _____ like me.



Vocabulary

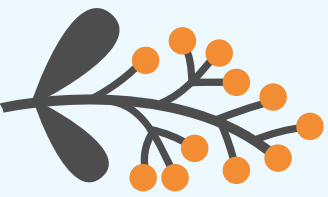


4. (sentimental / rare / similar)

This was my grandparents' kitchen table. It is very _____, so you can't buy a _____ table today. It isn't a beautiful table, but I keep it because it has a lot of _____ value.

5. (expert / items / favorite)

My father likes to read about the past. His _____ subject is the U.S. Civil War. He is an _____ on the Civil War. He knows a lot about it, and he collects _____ from the war.



Vocabulary

Answer keys:

1. valuable - condition

2. guest - worth

3. collect - collection - collector

4. rare - similar - sentimental

5. favourite - expert - items



Vocabulary

EXPAND

Remember that a **noun** names a person, place, thing, or idea. An **adjective** is a word that describes a noun. A **verb** is a word that shows an action.

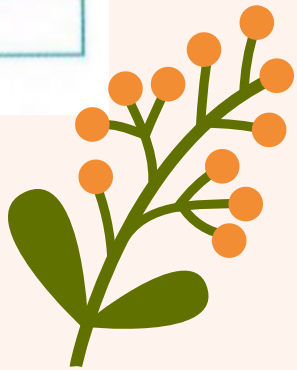
Many nouns end in *-tion*, *-ment*, *-ity*, and *-or*. Many adjectives end in *-ing*, *-ed*, *-al*, *-able*, and *-ible*.

Many words such as *expert* and *sports* are both a noun and an adjective.

Work with a partner. In your notebook, make a chart like the one below. Put the words into the correct group.

collect	collector	excited	expert	similar	valuable
collectible	condition	excitement	possession	similarity	value
collection	excite	exciting	sentimental	sports	

NOUNS	ADJECTIVES	VERBS
expert	expert	





Vocabulary

Answer keys:

- **NOUNS:** collection, collector, condition, excitement, possession, similarity, sports, value.
- **ADJECTIVES:** collectible, excited, exciting, sentimental, similar, valuable
- **VERBS:** collect, excite, value





Final writing task

Write a paragraph (100-120 words) about your own special possession or collection.

A special possession can be something that

- you collect
- You received as a gift
- helps you remember a special person, event or time in your life.

You may use the following cues in your writing

- how your special possession look like
- where you got it
- how much it is worth
- why you keep it