Compound words

Compound words are two or more words joined together to make a new word.

Compound words often have meanings that are a combination of the words they are made from.

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Look at the compound words below.

Earthquake

Grandson

Cupcake

Blackberry

Sunlight

Toothbrush

- Find the two words that make up each of the compound words.
- Write them down on your Worksheet to share with your teacher.

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Look at page 2.

- Can you find the word **mountainside**?
- Mountainside is a compound word made up of *mountain* and *side*. It means the side of a mountain.
- Look back through the book, how many other compound words can you find?

ASKING ALL AGENTS!

How do compound words help you understand their meaning?

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