

Odd Word Out

For each set, pick the one word or phrase that doesn't belong and explain why. The word or phrase may be the 'odd word out' because it doesn't mean the same thing as the others, because it doesn't share the same root or prefix as the others, or because it's not the same part of speech as the others. Target words are in bold.

1. **maintain** continue keep going sleep

2. repay reheat read repaint

3. **intractable** tractor attractive trick

4. **aspire** desire hope laugh

5. show run **illustrate** demonstrate

6. characteristic quality person **attribute**

7. **emphasize** **maintain** **profound** **motivate**

8. emotion **motivate** promote mitten

9. encourage crawl **motivate** stimulate interest

Unit 2/Day 7/teacher overhead – review game

10. difficult to control **intractable** hard to manage
 easy to fix
11. strength cause reason **factor**
12. **profound** silly deep extreme
13. highlight stress decide **emphasize**
14. hardship difficulty **adversity** fun