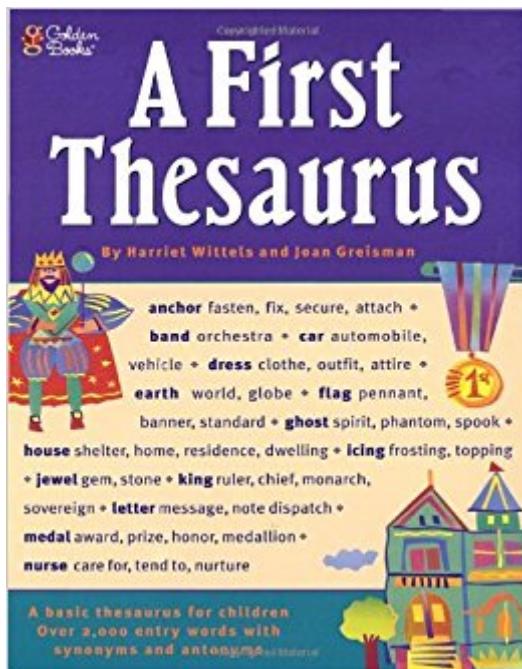


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# A First Thesaurus



## **Synopsis**

This comprehensive thesaurus is a handy reference filled with synonyms and antonyms to help young readers find the right words to express their ideas. The large print makes A First Thesaurus an enjoyable way for any child to expand their vocabulary and discover the richness of language.

## **Book Information**

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Grade Level: 3 - 7

## **Customer Reviews**

Grade 3-7 More than 2000 entries with an average of 3 synonyms per entry. Many of the entries include an antonym printed in red type. A section entitled "Using the Thesaurus" explains entry words, guide words, synonyms and antonyms. It also elaborates upon words with more than one meaning and words that are spelled alike. The format is open and non-threatening, making the book accessible to young readers. The black-and-white line drawings are pleasant but unnecessary.

Clear and Simple Thesaurus Dictionary (Grosset, 1971) by the same authors has the same format but contains more entries and a more difficult choice of words. A handy and valuable reference book. Jean M. Silady, Hillview School, New Providence, N.J. Copyright 1986 Reed Business Information, Inc.

The thesaurus is a good, solid thesaurus for kids just learning about them. One that I had happened to get had a girl's name written ALL OVER the end papers, as well as in the book itself some, so be sure to check the condition before you buy it.

It is ok for a starter thesaurus. I purchased it to help my kids with expanding their writing. There have been several words that my kids have gone looking for and they haven't been there. They wind up going to the internet for answers like they were before we had it. I will probably end up getting a different one that has a better variety. However I paid less than \$1 for it plus shipping so it really isn't that terrible for what I paid for it.

I'm working with adults learning to read. These books are very user friendly.

This is great to help your kids learn and with better writing vocabulary. My son thinks it is fun to look up words and see what other words mean the same thing. It is helpful now that he is learning to be more descriptive with his writing skills which is required for state tests at his age.

Love this book helps me out a lot.

I bought this book to add to our homeschool library and am very pleased with it. It's much more thorough than other children's thesauruses I've looked at. I recommend it!

Since this is clearly a small children's book, it was comfortable for my 8 year old grand daughter to use it to learn what information is in a thesaurus and how to use one. We all enjoy seeing her do independent research now that she knows how to use the correct tools needed for the job.

A thesaurus that is useful for upper elementary students is hard to find. This one has enough words, without being overwhelming. A variety of synonyms are given for each word, along with an opposite for many words.

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