Many compound words include “water” or relate to water. Examples are seagulls, lifeguard, watermelon, freshwater, waterproof and wetlands.

Search your newspaper for compound words that include or refer to water and/or photos or illustrations for the listed words. (Or choose another topic and look for related compound words.)

Find all other compound words. Make up new words by mixing up parts of the compound words.

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