

“Words to Know” List: *If You See the Moon*

Scrub	Worried	Enough
Cliffs	Bored	Hardly
Plains	Rather	Noticed
Shelter	Lonely	Serious
Clay	Strands	Feather
Caught	Problem	Different
Thoughts	Break	Quite
Obliged	Lasso	Village
Slipped (out)	Shooting Star	Interesting
Wondered	Ocean	Droplets
Explained	Teasing	Puffier
Tickled	Shoreline	Mountain
Happened	Kayaks	Arroyo
Attracted	Swung	Familiar



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1. **Scrub** (*Noun*): An area of land covered with short trees and plants
2. **Cliffs** (*Plural noun*): The high edge of a very steep piece of rock
3. **Plains** (*Plural noun*): A large, flat area of land, usually without trees
4. **Shelter** (*Noun*): A building of some sort that people use as their home
5. **Clay** (*Noun*): A kind of soil that can be molded into shapes, and that hardens when heated
6. **Caught** (*Past tense verb*): Trapped or captured quickly
7. **Thoughts** (*Plural noun*): Ideas or beliefs that someone has in his or her mind
8. **Oblige(d)** (*Past tense verb*): To go along with an activity when asked; to give in happily
9. **Slip(ped) (out)** (*Past tense verb*): To move smoothly and quietly; to sneak (out)
10. **Wonder(ed)** (*Past tense verb*): To be curious while feeling a sense of awe
11. **Explain(ed)** (*Past tense verb*): To give a reason for something
12. **Tickle(d)** (*Past tense verb*): To touch in a way that causes a tingling, itchy feeling
13. **Happen(ed)** (*Past tense verb*): To take place or occur
14. **Attract(ed)** (*Past tense verb*): To pull together in a way that may cause things to stick
15. **Worried** (*Adjective*): Being concerned or anxious
16. **Bored** (*Adjective*): Having no motivation or interest, while being tired but restless
17. **Rather** (*Adverb*): Somewhat; when something happens to some degree
18. **Lonely** (*Adjective*): Being sad because of a lack of social interaction
19. **Strands** (*Plural noun*): Long strings of fiber that can be braided or twisted together
20. **Problem** (*Noun*): A challenging question or situation
21. **Break** (*Verb*): To start suddenly and dramatically
22. **Lasso** (*Verb*): To catch by throwing a long rope with a loop at one end around something
23. **Shooting Star** (*Noun*): A bright line of light in the sky, marking the trail of a space rock
24. **Ocean** (*Noun*): One of the five large bodies of salt water connected on the earth's surface
25. **Teasing** (*Verb*): Gently persuading or coaxing
26. **Shoreline** (*Noun*): The edge of an ocean, where it meets land
27. **Kayaks** (*Plural noun*): A small, covered canoe with an opening for one person to sit in
28. **Swung** (*Past tense verb*): Moved in a swift, circular motion
29. **Enough** (*Adverb*): When something happens fully or sufficiently to meet a need
30. **Hardly** (*Adverb*): When something happens only a little bit
31. **Notice(d)** (*Past tense verb*): To be aware of or pay attention to something
32. **Serious** (*Adjective*): Being intensely thoughtful and calm; the opposite of silly
33. **Feather** (*Noun*): A long, thin structure that is part of the outside covering of birds
34. **Different** (*Adjective*): Not the same as something else; distinct or notable
35. **Quite** (*Adverb*): When something happens to a large or extreme degree; entirely
36. **Village** (*Noun*): A small town
37. **Interesting** (*Adjective*): Being able to hold someone's attention; exciting
38. **Droplets** (*Plural noun*): Very small pieces of a liquid, such as water
39. **Puffier** (*Adjective*): More swollen and bigger than before
40. **Mountain** (*Noun*): A very large hill of earth
41. **Arroyo** (*Noun*): A deep riverbed that is usually dry, except for after a big storm
42. **Familiar** (*Adjective*): Having recognizable traits; seen often and regularly

