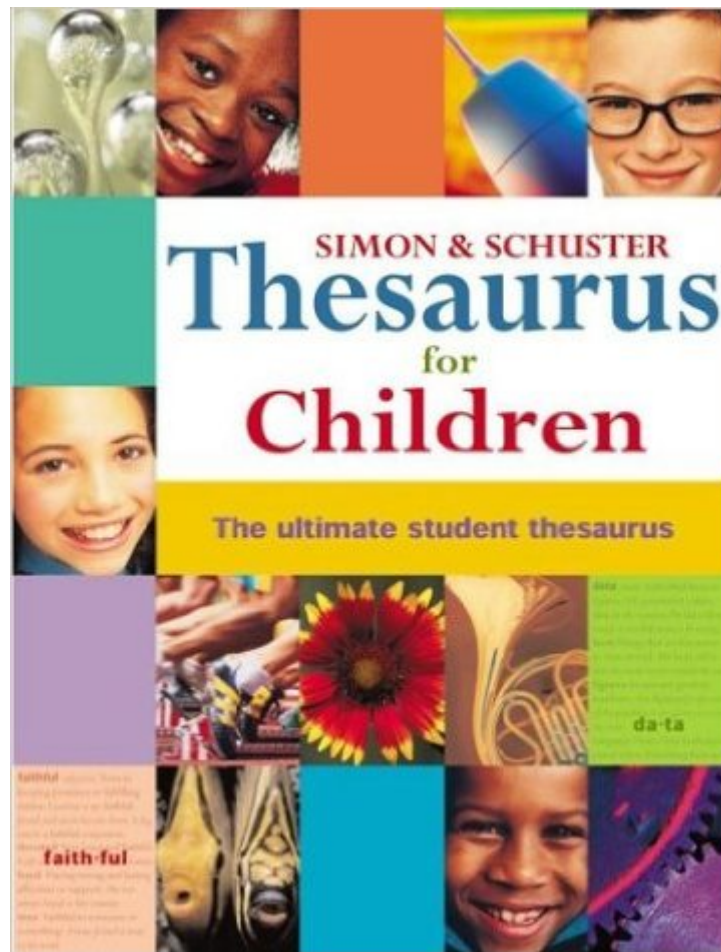


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# Simon & Schuster Thesaurus For Children: The Ultimate Student Thesaurus



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- Special word banks that contain additional word choices
- Unique word alerts that warn of possible problems in grammar or word use
- Common phrases and idioms
- Synonyms that include definitions and one or more example sentences

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My son had this thesaurus in his class and was bringing it everyday so he could work home. To

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We do word of the day, everyday during the school year, and to be honest I don't think this is a great book, especially for kids eight and up. We can't find many of the words that we choose for the WOD (word of the day) so we end up looking them up on the internet -- the reason I bought this book was to NOT use the computer every time. This seemed like the best children's thesaurus so I guess if you want something useful just get a regular thesaurus.

I purchased this book expecting to help my 2nd grader with his homework. What I got was a poorly organized book that reads more like a mangled dictionary than a Thesaurus. When I search for a word, I receive results for many, many entries that use the word in a sentence, but that do not provide synonyms. An example is the word "tall". I receive a list of 34 results but only one is actually useful. Additionally, the book refers to colored words that, in theory, make the book easier to read. The iPad Kindle app shows no such color - odd for a device that displays color quite well. Perhaps this is a failing of the iPad Kindle app, but it makes the book almost completely unusable.

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