

# Taking the Cat's Way Home

## Compound Words

Compound words are two proper words that are put together to make a new word. For example in the story "Taking the Cat's Way Home" by Jan Mark the following compound words are used:

care + taker = caretaker  
under + stood = understood  
over + took = overtook  
tight + rope = tightrope  
deck + chairs = deckchairs

Join a word from List A with a word from List B to make some compound words.

List A	List B	Compound Words
cow	chair	
foot	cup	
car	boy	
fire	way	
week	pet	
arm	end	
tool	bow	
tea	side	
rail	box	
rain	ball	

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Now, jumble up some compound words into List A and List B and get a friend to unjumble the two lists to make compound words.

List A	List B	Compound Words