

In the Name of God

Chapter 5: New Words

Crisis Management

Agency (N): /'eɪdʒənsi/

A business/organization providing a particular service on behalf of another business/person/group

An advertising/employment **agency**

A local housing **agency**

A UN **agency** responsible for helping refugees

The Environmental Protection
Agency

Travel **agency**



Announce (V): /ə'naʊns/

To officially tell, to make a formal public statement

The government **has announced** plans to create 40,000 new jobs.

At the end of their meeting, it **was announced** that an agreement had been reached.

The manager **announced** his resignation to staff members on Wednesday.

Who is your favorite play-by-play **announcer**?



Bankruptcy (N): /'bæŋkrʌptsi/

The state of being unable to pay your debts

Synonym: Insolvency

The large IT companies are close to **bankruptcy**.

When inflation rises, so do **bankruptcies**.



Contrary (Adj): /'kɒntrəri /

The opposite

I was worried that it might be too hard for me, but it turned out the **contrary** was true.

I thought you said the film was exciting? **On the contrary**, I nearly fell asleep half way through it!

What I read in the paper is **contrary** to what I know.



Crisis (N): /'krʌɪsɪs/

1. A time of intense difficulty or danger

The country now faces an economic **crisis**.

The prime minister was criticized for the way in which he handled the **crisis**.

Oil companies were heavily criticized when they made large profits during the oil **crisis** of the 1970s.

2. A critical difficult point in life

In times of **crisis**, you find out who your real friends are.

When people are making
memes instead of being
scared

COVID-19 Crisis



Debt (N): /det/

A sum of money that a person or organization owes

Companies run up huge **debts**.

The firm is heavily **in debt**.

I paid off all my **debts**.



Disaster (N): /dɪˈzɑːstə/

A sudden accident or a natural catastrophe that causes great damage or loss of life.

Many people died in the **disaster**.

The face you make when your computer

What a disaster!



Enters password

"Incorrect password"

"Incorrect password"

"Incorrect password"

Resets password

"New password cannot
be your old password"



Disturbing (Adj):
/dɪ'stəːbɪŋ/

Causing anxiety; worrying

Disturbing unemployment
figures

The night before the final
test is **disturbing**!



Detect (N): /dɪ'tekt/

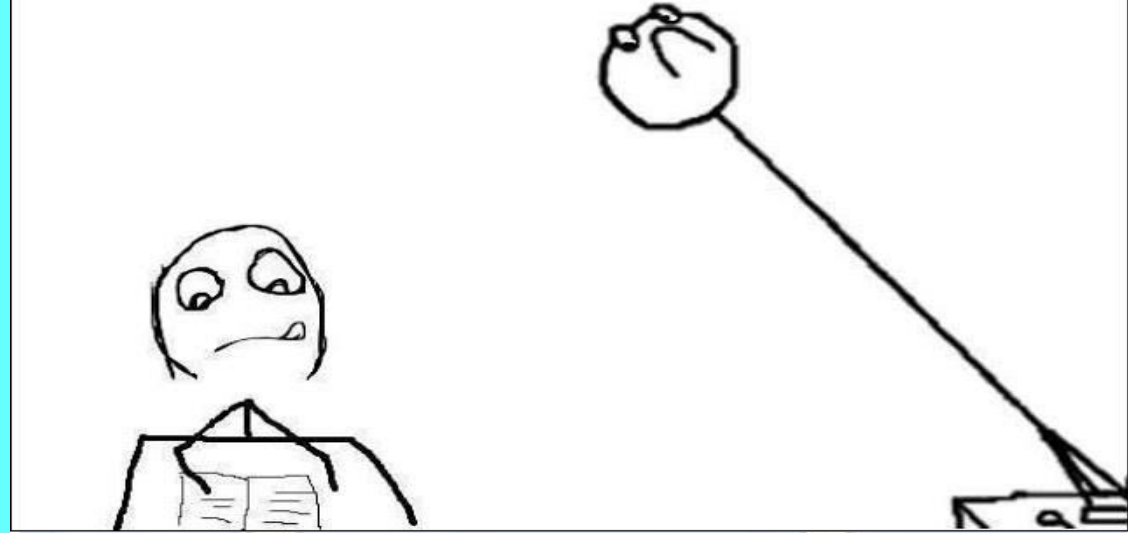
Discover, identify, discern

Cancer **may be detected** in its earliest stages.

Did I **detect** a note of sarcasm in your voice?

The proctor could easily **detect** who cheats.

During a test



Earthquake (N): /'ɜːθkweɪk /

A sudden shaking of the Earth's surface that often causes a lot of damage

An **earthquake** measuring 6.1 on the Richter scale struck the city.

The city is in an **earthquake** zone.



Emergency (N): /ɪ'mɜːdʒənsi /

An unexpected and dangerous situation that must be dealt with immediately

Lifeguards are trained to deal with **emergencies**.

The staff need to know what to do in an **emergency**.

The plane had to make an **emergency** landing.

The government called an **emergency** meeting to discuss the crisis.

It is an **emergency**! Please shake a leg!



Evolve (V): /ɪ'vɒlʊ /

To develop and change gradually over a long period of time

The school **has evolved** its own style of teaching.

Businesses need to **evolve** rapidly.

The company **has evolved** into a major chemical manufacturer.



Flexible (Adj): /'fleksəbəl/

Can change or be changed easily to suit any new situation

We can be **flexible** about your starting date.

Our new computer software is extremely **flexible**.

The government needs a more **flexible** approach to education.



Flood (N): /flʌd/

an overflow of a large amount of water beyond its normal limits, especially over what is normally dry land.

The villagers had been cut off by **floods** and landslides.

The houses down by the river **flood** quite regularly.



Immediately (Adv): /ɪ'miːdiətli/

without delay

The telephone rang, and he answered it **immediately**.

My friend passed out and I rang **immediately** for an ambulance.

When you see an old nosy friend in a shopping mall, you **immediately** turn back.



Infrastructure (N):
/'ɪnfɹəˌstrʌktʃə /

The basic systems and structures that a country or organization needs in order to work properly

Some countries lack a suitable economic **infrastructure**.

We have to provide the **infrastructure** before starting online classes.



Landslide (N):
/'lændslaɪd/

a sudden fall of a lot of
earth or rocks down a hill,
cliff, etc.

The road was blocked by
a **landslide**.



Management (N): /'mænidʒmənt/

The activity of controlling and organizing the work that a company or organization does

A lack of **management** skills

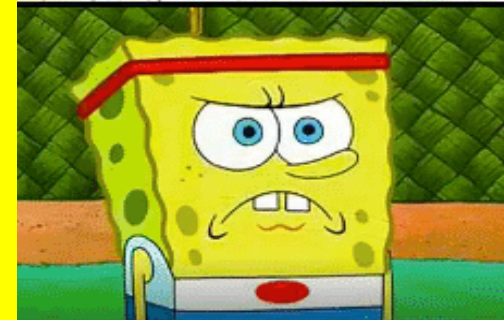
Management training courses

Time **management** for final exams

Studying for exams



**month before
exam**



**week before
exam**



**day before
exam**



**Taking the
exam**

Mitigate (V): /'mitigeɪt/

Make (something bad) less severe, serious, or painful: Alleviate

Systematic schemes have helped to **mitigate** this problem

Measures need to be taken to **mitigate** the environmental effects of burning more coal.



Prescribe (V) /pri'skraɪb/

to state officially what must be done in a particular situation

What punishment does the law **prescribe** for this crime?



Reconstruction (N): /ˌriːkənˈstrʌkʃən/

The work that is done to repair the damage to a city or industry

The economic **reconstruction** of the industry



Reputation (N): /ˌrepjə'teɪʃən/

The opinion that people have about someone or something because of what has happened in the past

In her last job, she gained a **reputation** as a hard worker.

The manager's **reputation** was tarnished by allegations of bribery



Severely (Adv): /sə'veɪəli /

Very badly or to a great degree

The town was **severely** damaged in the war.

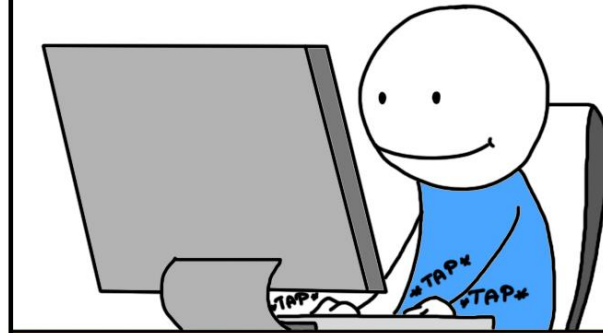
She's now **severely** disabled.

Parents don't punish their children so **severely** these days.

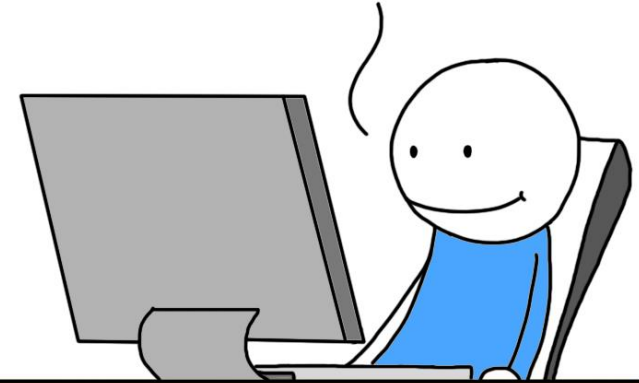
My coding practice is **severely** affected by my illiteracy.

UNFINISHED WORK

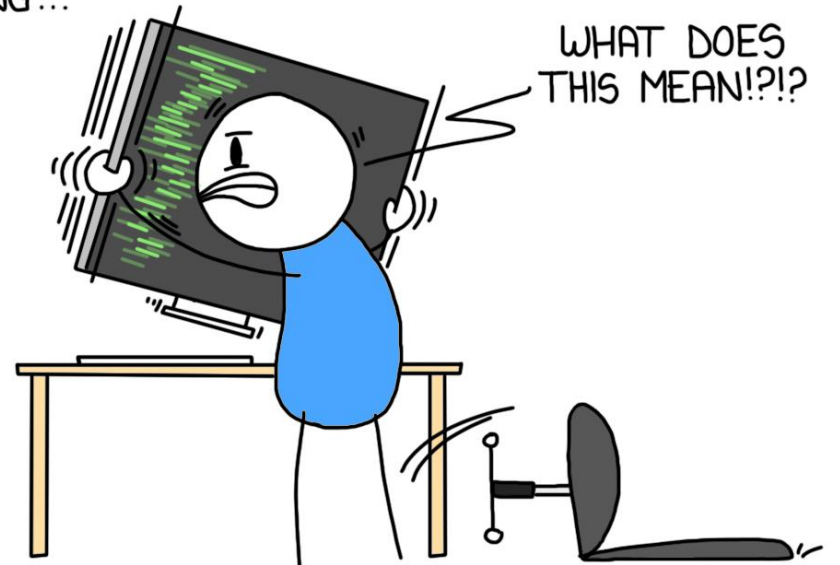
FRIDAY EVENING



PERFECT!
I'LL FINISH
THIS ON
MONDAY



MONDAY MORNING...



Tsunami (N): /tsʊ'ndʌ:mi/

A long, high sea wave caused by an earthquake or other disturbance.

The loss of human lives from this latest **tsunami** is staggering.

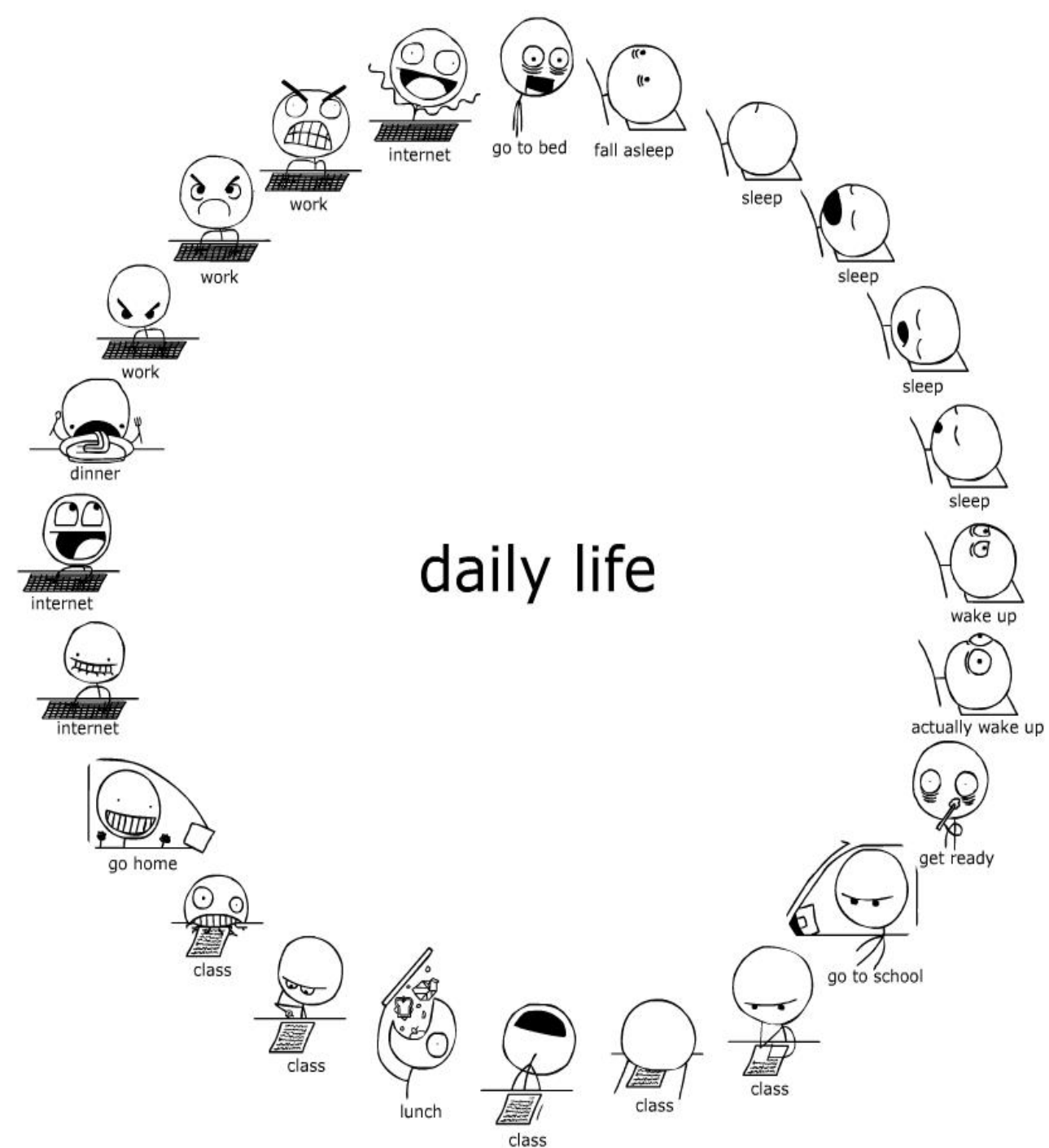
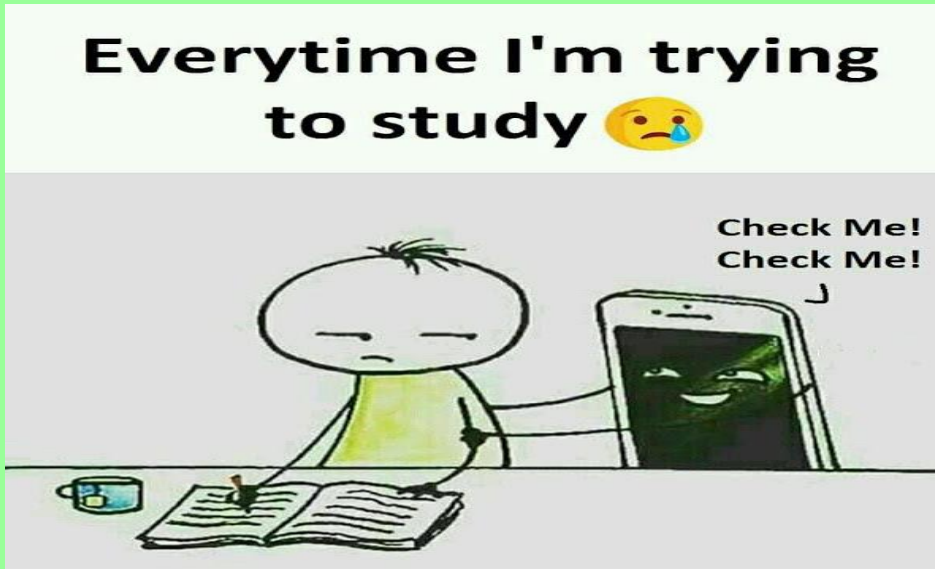


Routine (N) /ruːˈtiːn/

The usual order in which you do things

The employer's departure had upset their daily **routine**.

I settled down into a **routine** of work and sleep.



Tornado (N): /tɔː'neɪdəʊ /

An extremely violent storm consisting of air that spins very quickly and causes a lot of damage: Windstorm



Threat (N): /θret/

A statement in which you tell someone that you will cause them harm or trouble if they do not do what you want

Members of her family have received death **threats**.

He says his family received phone **threats** from the group.

The government will not give in to terrorist **threats**.

She dismissed the statement as an empty **threat**.



Visualize (V): /'vɪzuəlaɪz/

Form a mental image of: imagine.

It is not easy to **visualize** the future.

I tried to **visualize** the house while he was describing it.

An architect can look at a drawing and **visualize** a three-dimensional shape.

How do programmers **visualize** the world?



Ministry of interior

An interior ministry is responsible for internal affairs, particularly public security, emergency management, civil registration and identification, etc.



5 Things to Give Yourself Today and Every Day

- Give yourself a break when you need one.
- Give yourself grace if you make a mistake.
- Give yourself credit for your accomplishments.
- Give yourself permission to ask for help when you need it.
- Give yourself the same compassion you would give to others.