cabbage  
 *noun*  
 1. a large round vegetable with thick green or purple leaves  
 2. someone who cannot think, move, speak etc as a result of brain injury

cabin  
 *noun*  
 1. a small house, especially one built of wood in an area of forest or mountains  
 2. a small room on a ship in which you live or sleep  
 3. an area inside a plane where the passengers sit or where the pilot works

cable  
 *noun*  
 1. a plastic or rubber tube containing wires that carry telephone messages, electronic signals, television pictures etc  
 2. a thick strong metal rope used on ships, to support bridges etc  
 3. a system of broadcasting television by using cables, paid for by the person watching it  
 4. a telegram  
 5. a tube containing wires that carry electronic signals or information  
 6. a system of broadcasting television programmes by means of cables under the ground instead of signals through the air  
  
 *verb*  
 1. to send someone a telegram

cage  
 *noun*  
 1. a structure made of wires or bars in which birds or animals can be kept  
  
 *verb*  
 1. to put or keep an animal or bird in a cage

cake  
 *noun*  
 1. a soft sweet food made by baking a mixture of flour, butter, sugar, and eggs  
 2. a small block of something  
  
 *verb*  
 1. if a substance cakes, it forms a thick hard layer when it dries

calculate  
 *verb*  
 1. to find out how much something will cost, how long something will take etc, by using numbers  
 2. to guess something using as many facts as you can find

calculator  
 *noun*  
 1. a small electronic machine that can add, multiply etc

calendar  
 *noun*  
 1. a set of pages that show the days, weeks, and months of a particular year, that you usually hang on a wall  
 2. a system that divides and measures time in a particular way, usually starting from a particular event  
 3. all the events in a year that are important for a particular organization or activity  
 4. pages showing the days, weeks, and months of a particular year  
 5. a book with separate spaces or pages for each day of the year, where you write down the things you have to do on each day  
 6. all the events or dates in a year that are important for a particular organization, person, or activity  
 7. one of the twelve months of the year  
 8. a period of time from a certain date to the same date in the next month  
 9. a period of time from January 1st to December 31st  
 10. the year 2007,2010 etc from January 1st to December 31st

call  
 *verb*  
 1. to telephone someone  
 2. to use a word or name to describe someone or something in a particular way  
 3. to have a particular name or title, or use a particular name or title for someone or something  
 4. to give someone or something the name they will be known by in the future  
 5. to ask or order someone to come to you  
 6. to arrange for something to happen at a particular time  
 7. to say or shout something loudly so that someone can hear you  
 8. to read names or numbers in a loud voice in order to get someone’s attention  
 9. to tell someone that they must answer questions in a law court or in front of an official committee  
 10. to stop at a house or other place for a short time to see someone or do something  
 11. if a train, ship, bus etc calls at a place, it stops there for a short time  
 12. to guess which side of a coin will land upwards when it is thrown in the air, in order to decide who will play first in a game  
 13. to risk the same amount of money as the player who plays before you in a poker game  
 14. to telephone someone  
 15. to make a telephone call which is paid for by the person you are telephoning  
 16. to arrange for a meeting or an election to happen at a definite time  
 17. to make a short visit to a person or place in order to do something  
 18. to ask or order someone to come to a place  
 19. to repay a loan or bond to a lender, usually before it is normally due to be repaid  
  
 *noun*  
 1. when you speak to someone on the telephone  
 2. a visit, especially for a particular reason  
 3. a request or order for something or for someone to do something  
 4. a message announced at an airport that a particular plane will soon leave  
 5. the use of computers to help people learn foreign languages  
 6. an attempt to speak to someone by telephone  
 7. a request or demand for someone to do something  
 8. a short visit, especially for a particular reason  
 9. a demand for money that can be made at any time and without warning, especially a demand for a loan to be repaid  
 10. if a bank lends money at call or on call, the bank can demand to have it paid back at any time and without warning  
 11. a demand from a company to a shareholder to pay for shares that they have been given  
 12. another name for CALL OPTION (=the right to buy shares etc at a particular price within a specific period of time)  
 13. a decision that you have to make yourself