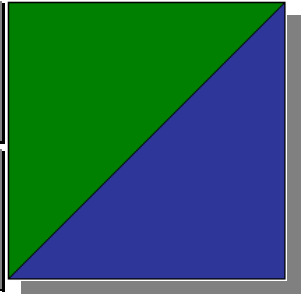


• **Beginning Synonyms and Antonyms #16**

**Synonyms:** words that have the same (or nearly the same) meanings  
 Example: large → big

**Antonyms:** words that have opposite meanings  
 Example: hot → cold



**Directions:** Choose the best synonym for the following words.

**1) change**

- A. steer
- B. switch
- C. remain
- D. drive

**3) clean**

- A. put
- B. wash
- C. hang
- D. push

**5) hurry**

- A. rush
- B. drive
- C. sail
- D. run

**2) decide**

- A. choose
- B. steal
- C. think
- D. attempt

**4) try**

- A. fail
- B. attempt
- C. score
- D. shoot

**6) turn**

- A. assemble
- B. generate
- C. rotate
- D. change

**Directions:** Choose the best antonym for the following words.

**1) able**

- A. real
- B. sure
- C. helpless
- D. certain

**3) punish**

- A. bring
- B. accept
- C. reward
- D. give

**5) teach**

- A. comprehend
- B. understand
- C. learn
- D. listen

**2) lift**

- A. hold
- B. pull
- C. grab
- D. drop

**4) hire**

- A. employ
- B. fire
- C. deny
- D. quit

**6) jump**

- A. walk
- B. run
- C. skip
- D. fall