Describing words (Gr6 and higher)
Word-family map

- convert's
- converts'
- converts
- converted
- converting

- currency converter
- digital converter
- convertible sofa

- unconverted

- converter
- conversion
- convertible
- converse
- conversely

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marine

marineland
marine biology
marine salt
submarine sandwich
merchant marine

marine's
marines'
marines

submarine
submariner

mariner
maritime

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relates
related
relating

unrelated
interrelated
correlation
correlate
correlates
correlated
correlating

relative
relativity
relation
relationship
relatively

public relations
romantic relationship
no relation
work-related

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Word-family map

alter

alters altered altering

alteration alternative alternate alters alternates alternated alternating alternately alternatively

alternate universe alternative medicine alternating current alter ego viable alternative unaltered unalterable unalterably

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Describing words (Gr6 and higher)
Multiple-meaning-word map

The two together now spread the sheet over the bed, and where it was too long or too broad, Heidi quickly tucked it in under the hay. (Heidi)

including many different things, ideas, or people (adj)

Both Lajevardi and Hajnal said Hispanics might be turning up less frequently because of a broader set of issues including controversy over immigration policies and enforcement. (Strict voter ID laws)

He said that this has broad implications. "This is not just a North Carolina issue," he stated. "This is now a national issue." (Bathroom bill)

Some academies were small and local; others drew students from a wide area and taught a broad curriculum, which could include Latin, Greek, arithmetic, English, the modern languages, algebra, history... (Education: Reader's companion to American history)

wide, not narrow (adj)

having many possibilities or much potential (adj)

The plains slope toward a broad valley in the middle of the country. At the center of this valley is the Mississippi River. (Landform)

In 2010, Arizona passed a law giving police broad power to arrest anyone they thought might be in the country illegally. (Scenes from the border)
Although 2,000 soldiers have been found so far, Romey estimates that about 7,000 to 8,000 were made. So far, only a tiny fraction of the tomb **complex** has been excavated. 

(Ancient army)

**complex**

not simple, usually with many parts or aspects (adj)

Eubacteria have only one cell, but their cell functions are quite **complex.**

(Biological classification)

While computers must be programmed by people, once set up, those computers can solve **complex** and difficult problems very quickly.

(Computers and design)

**complex**

a group of things or ideas connected into a system (n)

**complex**

a group of buildings designed for the same purpose, or a building divided into smaller units (n)

It’s a **complex** of apartments, specifically for the elderly, where people can look after her.

(Intertwining memories)