

Cartoons – Glossary

animation noun [uncount]
animated films, or the process of making them

boring adjective
not at all interesting:
a boring badly-paid job

cartoon noun [count]
a film or TV programme made by photographing a series of drawings so that things in them seem to move

catchphrase noun [count]
a short phrase that many people know from television, movies etc

cave noun [count]
a large hole in the side of a hill or under the ground

channel noun [count]
a television station and the programmes that it broadcasts:
What's on the other channel?

character noun [count]
a person in a book, play, film etc:
The film's main character is played by George Clooney.

characteristic noun [count]
a typical quality or feature:
the main characteristics of 20th-century culture

charming adjective
attractive and pleasant:
a charming little restaurant

clever adjective
good at achieving what you want, especially by using unusual or slightly dishonest methods:
She had a clever lawyer.

end up phrasal verb
to be in a place or situation at the end of a long series of events:
Keep on doing that and you'll end up in serious trouble.

fail verb
to be unsuccessful:
He failed in his attempt to get compensation.

get verb
to understand someone or something:
Everyone laughed, but Harold didn't seem to get the joke.

heart noun [count]
your feelings when they are considered as part of your character:
You have to do what your heart tells you is right.

hero noun [count]
someone who has done something very brave

hilarious adjective
extremely funny

humour noun [uncount]
the quality that makes something funny:
a novel that is full of humour

hurt adjective
injured, or feeling physical pain:
Two young men were badly hurt in the accident.

imitate verb
to copy what someone does or says, often in order to make people laugh

impressive adjective
if someone or something is impressive, you admire them:
an impressive performance

joke noun [count]
something that you say or do that is intended to make people laugh:
Do you want to hear a good joke?

kid noun [count]
a child or young adult:
There was a group of kids playing football in the street.

mouse noun [count]
a small furry animal with a long tail

recently adverb
not long ago:
He's been back to America fairly recently.

smelly adjective
with an unpleasant smell

Stone Age, the
the period of history when people made tools and weapons from stone

visual adjective
relating to things that you can see:
the visual arts