

Proverbs

A **proverb** is a common saying used in everyday life. They are usually short pieces of wise advice.

Many proverbs also have a simple rhyme and balance that makes them memorable.

Proverbs usually give practical advice and express a belief that is generally believed to be true.

Examples of common proverbs:

A friend in need, is a friend indeed.

meaning: Someone who helps you when you really need help is a true friend.

Honesty is the best policy.

meaning: In difficult situations, it's always better to be truthful.

Look before you leap.

meaning: You should know what you're doing before you commit to something. Find out if there are possible consequences or dangers.

One good turn deserves another.

meaning: If someone helps you, you should help them in return.

Practice makes perfect.

meaning: If you do something again and again, you'll be better at it.

Don't put all your eggs in one basket

meaning: Don't risk losing everything by putting all your effort and resources in one place, or one course of action.

