

New Words

base - *n.* any one of the four places a runner must touch in order to score in baseball

baseball - *n.* a game played on a large field by two teams of nine players who try to score runs by hitting a small ball with a long rounded stick and then running to each of the four places a runner must touch in order to score without being put out

better - *adj.* more attractive, appealing, effective or useful

bicycle/bike - *n.* a 2-wheeled vehicle that a person rides by pushing on foot pedals

cheer(s) - *v.* to shout with joy, approval, or enthusiasm

crowd - *n.* a large group of people who are together in one place

earlier - *adv.* before the usual or expected time

extra - *adj.* more than is usual or necessary

fan(s) - *n.* a person who likes and admires someone, such as a famous person, or something, such as a sport or a sports team, in a very enthusiastic way

faster - *adv.* with great speed

hit - *v.* to cause a ball to move by hitting it forcefully with a bat in baseball;

hit - *n.* when a baseball player is able to successfully swing the bat and connect it with the ball

home plate - *n.* the base that a runner must touch in order to score in baseball

home run - *n.* a hit that allows the batter to go around all the bases and score a run in baseball

Nationals Park - *n.* a baseball park located in Washington, D.C. that is the home ballpark for the Washington Nationals baseball team

online - *n.* done over the Internet

pitch - *v.* to throw a ball to the player who is trying to hit the ball in baseball

swing - *v.* to move your arms while holding the long rounded stick that is used to hit the ball in baseball with a quick, curving motion

team - *n.* a group of people who compete in a sport or game against another group

than - *conj.* used to introduce the second or last of two or more things or people that are being compared — used with the comparative form of an adjective or adverb

ticket - *n.* a piece of paper that allows you to see a show, participate in an event, travel on a vehicle

window - *n.* an opening in a wall or door that usually contains a sheet of glass