VOCABULARY CARDS

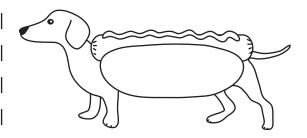
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literal



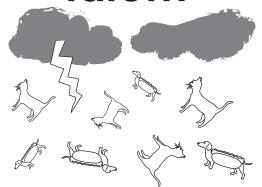
The ordinary or usual meaning of a word or phrase.

nonliteral



Not the ordinary or usual meaning of a word or phrase; figurative.

idiom



A phrase that cannot be understood by the literal meaning of the words; it has a separate meaning.

compound

A sentence made up of two independent clauses that are joined with a conjunction.