



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

## Word Library – Happy Birthday, Megan!

### Key Vocabulary from the Story

**Birthday** – The anniversary of the day someone was born.

**Party** – A social gathering for celebration.

**Cake** – A sweet baked dessert, often served at celebrations.

**Candles** – Small sticks of wax that produce light when lit.

**Swimming Pool** – A large container filled with water for swimming.

**Bicycle** – A two-wheeled vehicle powered by pedaling.

**Neighborhood** – A community or area where people live near each other.

**Balloon** – A flexible bag filled with air or gas, often used for decoration.

**Fruit** – Edible parts of plants, often sweet and nutritious.

**Candy** – Sweet treats made from sugar.

**Marshmallows** – Soft, fluffy candies made from sugar and gelatin.

**University** – A school for higher education after high school.

**Exam** – A test to check knowledge or skills.

**Confident** – Feeling sure about your abilities.

**Surprise** – Something unexpected.

## Vocabulary Activities

### Activity 1: Fill in the Blanks

Use the words from the Word Library to complete the sentences:

1. Megan's mom baked a chocolate \_\_\_\_\_ for her birthday.
2. Megan and her friends are going to swim in the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Megan's parents gave her a \_\_\_\_\_ because she did well on her \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Megan bought \_\_\_\_\_ that have surprises inside them.
5. Megan's grandparents gave her money to save for \_\_\_\_\_.

### Activity 2: Word Categories

Sort the words into categories:

Celebration Words	Outdoor Words	Food Words	Education Words

### Activity 3: Writing Prompt

Write a short paragraph using at least five words from the Word Library.

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## Teacher's Key

### Activity 2: Word Categories

Sort the words into categories:

#### **Celebration Words**

Birthday, Party, Cake, Candles, Balloon

#### **Outdoor Words**

Swimming Pool, Bicycle, Neighborhood

#### **Food Words**

Fruit, Candy, Marshmallows

#### **Education Words**

University, Exam