

TERMINAL WORDS

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A TERMINAL WORD is derived from, in order, the first and last letters of the first word and the first and last letters of the second word of a two word phrase.

Thus the terminal word STAY can be derived from SHUT AWAY (shown as STAY – SHUT AWAY).

The terminal words are shown in alphabetical order read across the page.

AIMS – ALKALI METALS

ARCS – AIR COOLS

ARSE – AIR STRIKE

ANDY – ASCENSION DAY

ARMS – AIR MISS

ARSE – ALTAR STONE

ARCH – ALTAR CLOTH

ARMY - AIR MINISTRY

ASHE – ALMS HOUSE

BAGS – BERMUDA GRASS

BEAN – BREATHE AGAIN

BEEN - BLUE ENSIGN

BEGS - BURMESE GRASS

BENT – BONFIRE NIGHT

BLOT – BAIL OUT

BRAE – BITTER APPLE

BARS – BETA RAYS

BEDE – BEETLE DRIVE

BEEN - BROKE EVEN

BELT – BRAKE LIGHT

BESS – BLUE SKIES

BLOT – BOWL OUT

BRAY – BEAVER AWAY

BASS – BERMUDA SHORTS

BEDS – BILE DUCTS

BEGS – BOTTLE GAS

BEND - BOTTLE NOSED

BEST – BALANCE SHEET

BOGS - BUFFALO GRASS

CABS – COCOA BEANS

CASE – CHINA STONE

CELT – CANDLE LIGHT

CLAY – CALL AWAY

COCK – CUCKOO CLOCK

COST – CUCKOO SPIT

CAGE – CANADA GOOSE

CAVE - CINEMA VERITE

CHAT - CASH ACCOUNT

CLOT – CALL OUT

CONS – CUMULO NIMBUS

COTE – CALICO TREE

CARE – CHINA ROSE

CELL – CARE LABEL

CLAN – CIVIL AVIATION

CLOT – CHILL OUT

CORE – CAMEO ROLE

DEAL – DOUBLE AXEL

DEED – DOE EYED

DOVE – DEO VOLENTE

DEWS – DYE WORKS

DECK – DOUBLE CHECK

DEED – DOUBLE EDGED

DEFT – DOUBLE FLAT

DOGS – DEO GRATIAS

DEED – DECKLE EDGED

DEFT – DOUBLE FAULT

DENE – DOUBLE NEGATIVE

DIME - DEMI MONDAINE

EASY – EXTRA SENSORY

ENDS - ELEVEN DAYS

EROS – EASTER OFFERINGS

FATE – FORMULA THREE

FEES – FIVE EIGHTHS

FEST – FREE SPIRIT

FETE – FREE TRADE

FLAY – FALL AWAY

FEAT – FREE AGENT

FELT – FACE LIFT

FETE – FIRE TUBE

FETE – FUTURE TENSE

FREE – FOR EXAMPLE

FEES – FALSE EYELASHES

FEST – FALSE START

FETE – FLAME TREE

FLAT – FEDERAL AGENT

FRET – FAR EAST

GAGS – GUINEA GRASS

GENE – GAVE NOTICE

GAPE – GALA PIE

GENE – GRACE NOTE

GATE – GRANADILLA TREE

GLEN – GENERAL ELECTION

HEAR – HEDGE ACCENTOR

HEBE – HIVE BEE

HELP – HARE LIP

HERE – HOME RULE

HEWS – HAVE WORDS

HEAT – HOUSE AGENT

HEBE – HOME BASE

HELP – HURRICANE LAMP

HERN – HOME RUN

HEWS – HOSTILE WITNESS

HEAT – HOUSE ARREST

HELD – HARE LIPPED

HEMS – HOME MOVIES

HESS – HORSE SICKNESS

INKY – IGNITION KEY

INTO – INDIAN TOBACCO

JEER – JUICE EXTRACTOR

KEPT – KNIFE PLEAT

KEPT – KNIFE POINT

KISS – KHAKI SHORTS

LEAR – LOVE AFFAIR
LESS – LIFE SAVINGS
LEST – LATE START

LEGS – LALIQUE GLASS
LESS – LIFE SCIENCES
LEST – LEISURE SUIT

LEGS – LIFE GUARDS
LEST – LANCE SERGEANT
LEWD – LIME WOOD

MACE – MADEIRA CAKE
MASS – MISSA SOLEMNIS
MEAN – MIDDLE AMERICAN
MERE – MACHINE READABLE
MICE – MACARONI CHEESE
MOOS – MICRO ORGANISMS

MACE – MALACCA CANE
MATT – MELBA TOAST
MEAT – MIME ARTIST
MESS – MARINE STORES
MISS – MINI SERIES
MOSS – MEZZO SOPRANOS

MAPS – MINERVA PRESS
MEAD – MIDDLE AGED
MEET – MIDDLE EAST
MEWS – MADE WAVES
MIST – MAXI SKIRT
MOST – MAO SUIT

NEAT – NERVE AGENT

NEED – NERVE END

NEWS – NINE WORTHIES

ORAL – OVER ALL

ORLY – OUR LADY

PACK – PEA CHICK
PEAR – PLATE ARMOUR
PEAT – PRIVATE ACT
PEGS – PLATE GLASS
PEGS – PLUME GRASS
PEKE – PRIMROSE LEAGUE
PELT – PIPE LIGHT
PENT – PURSE NET
PERT – POSIGRADE ROCKET
PEST – PLAGUE SPOT
PETE – PEMBROKE TABLE
PETE – PRIME TIME
POPS – PHOTO PROCESS
PURE – PILAU RICE

PATE – PAGODA TREE
PEAT – PERFORMANCE ART
PECK – PRESSURE COOK
PEGS – PLEASURE GARDENS
PEGS – PORCUPINE GRASS
PELE – PIPE LINE
PELT – PRICE LIST
PERK – PIPE RACK
PEST – PADDLE SHAFT
PEST – POLICE SERGEANT
PETE – PINE TREE
PETS – PARACHUTE TROOPS
PORT – POTATO ROT

PATS – PYJAMA TROUSERS
PEAT – PRANCE ABOUT
PEER – PURPLE EMPEROR
PEGS – PIECE GOODS
PEKE – PALLETE KNIFE
PELE – PRIVATE LIFE
PENS – PRIME NUMBERS
PERM – PLATE ROOM
PEST – PINAFORE SKIRT
PEST – PRESSURE SUIT
PETE – PLANE TABLE
PLAY – PULL AWAY
PRAM – PER ANNUM

RASE – ROSETTA STONE
REST - RIFLE SHOT
ROAR – RADIO ALTIMETER
ROTS – RADIO TIMES

RENE – ROSE NOBLE
REST – RINGSIDE SEAT
ROAR – RADIO AMATEUR
ROVE – RADIO VALVE

REPS – REVERSE PASS
REST – ROCHELLE SALT
ROBE – RUSSO BYZANTINE
ROWS – RADIO WAVES

SACK – SEA COOK
SAGE – SEA GATE
SAGS – SEA GODDESS
SALE – SODA LIME
SAPS – SENNA PLODS
SEAM – SMOKE ALARM
SEAS – SAVE APPEARANCES
SEAT – SUSPENSE ACCOUNT
SECT – STAGE CRAFT
SEED – SINGLE EYED
SENT – SEINE NET

SAFE – SEA FAKE
SAGE – SEA GIRDLE
SAGS – SEA GRASS
SAME – SEA MILE
SATE – SEA TURTLE
SEAN – SAME AGAIN
SEAS – SHE ASS
SECT – SERVICE COURT
SECT - STONE CRAFT
SEES – SIDE EFFECTS
SENT – SLEEVE NUT

SAFE – SEA FIRE
SAGE – SEA GRAPE
SALE – SEA LANE
SANE – SEA NETTLE
SATE – SOFA TABLE
SEAR – SCALE ARMOUR
SEAS – SLOPE ARMS
SECT – SNAKE CULT
SECT = SUPREME COURT
SELF – SCALE LEAF
SENT – STAKE NET

SERB – SPARE RIB
SETH – SABRE TOOTH
SETS – SEE THINGS
SETS – SQUARE TOES
SEWS – SIEGE WORKS
SIDE – SEMI DIVINE
SITS – SALAMI TACTICS
SLAM – SMALL ARM
SLOE – SMALL OCTAVE
SLOT – SPELL OUT
SPAT – SHOP ASSISTANT
SPIN – STIRRUP IRON
SPOT – STEP OUT
STAR – SHEET ANCHOR
STAY – SALT AWAY
STUN – SET UPON

SERF – SADDLE ROOF
SETH – SEE THROUGH
SETS – SIAMESE TWINS
SEWS – SEWAGE WORKS
SHED – SOUTH EASTWARD
SIDE – SEMI DOME
SKIT – STICK INSECT
SLAM – SPIRAL ARM
SLOT – SELL OUT
SNOT – SIGN OUT
SPAY – SLIP AWAY
SPOT – SLOP OUT
STAB – STREET ARAB
STAR – SPLINT ARMOUR
STAY – SHUT AWAY
STUN – SIGHT UNSEEN

SETA – SAGE TEA
SETH – STRIKE THROUGH
SETS – SIDE TRACKS
SEWS – SIDE WHISKERS
SHOT – SKETCH OUT
SIPS – SEMI PRECIOUS
SLAM – SAIL ARM
SLAT – SPECIAL AGENT
SLOT – SMELL OUT
SOFT – STUDIO FLAT
SPED – SHARP EDGED
SPOT – STAMP OUT
STAG – SPOT ADVERTISING
STAR – STRAIGHT ACTOR
STAY – STRAIGHT AWAY
SWOT – SAW OUT

TABS – TEA BAGS
TATE - TEA TABLE
TEAR – TAKE AFTER
TEAS – THE ARCHERS
TEEN – TAKE EXCEPTION
TELE – TRUE LOVE
TERM – THRONE ROOM
TESS – TAKE STEPS
TEST – TABLE SALT
TEST – TIME SLOT
TEST – TUBE SKIRT
TOLD - TWO LEGGED
TOTE - TORPEDO TUBE
TOTS - TWO TICKS
TRIO - TEAR INTO

TACT – TEA CHEST
TATE – TEA TIME
TEAS – TAKE ARMS
TEAS – THE ASHES
TELE – TAKE LEAVE
TEND – TOFFEE NOSED
TERN – THE REVOLUTION
TESS – THE SHIVERS
TEST – TEE SHIRT
TEST – TITLE SHEET
TETE – THEME TUNE
TOOK - TWO OCLOCK
TOTE - TWO TIME
TOTS - TWO TIMES
TROT - TOUR OUT

TAKE – TEA KETTLE
TEAM – TAKE AIM
TEAS – TELE ADS
TEAT – TAKE APART
TELE – TIME LAPSE
TEND – TURTLE NECKED
TESS – TAKE SIDES
TESS – THE SKIDS
TEST – TIME SHEET
TEST - TRADE SECRET
TOED - TWO EDGED
TOSS - TWO SHAKES
TOTE - TWO TONE
TRAY - TEAR AWAY

VALE - VICTORIA LINE
VOTE - VIDEO TUBE

VEAL - VICE ADMIRAL

VEST - VENTURE SCOUT

WEBS - WHITE BRASS
WELD - WHITE LISTED
WELT - WINE LIST
WERE - WHITE ROSE
WEST - WHITE SPIRIT

WEED - WIDE EYED
WELD - WHITE LIVERED
WENT - WHITE NIGHT
WERE - WHITE ROPE

WELD - WHITE LEAD
WELT - WHITE LIGHT
WEPT - WAGE PACKET
WEST - WHITE SALT

As the 3 words together make sense, my favourite is PATS - PYJAMA TROUSERS