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STAR WARS: EPISODE VI: RETURN OF THE JEDI

Comic book text is short, but that doesn't mean students don't learn a lot from it!
Comic books and graphic novels can be used to teach reading processes and writing techniques, such as pacing, as well as expand vocabulary.
Use this PDF to help students get more out of their comic book reading.

Here are some of the projects you can give to your students to make comics educational and enjoyable!

CHARACTER RESEARCH

- Character Graph Use the handout provided on page 2 to research information about a character from the books. Pages 3-4 provide teachers with the answer key.
- Trivia Questions Use the handout provided on page 5 to have students work independently, with a
 partner, or in a small group to research the trivia questions. Page 6 provides teachers with the answer
 key.

CREATIVE WRITING PROJECTS

- Create an Alien Species Use the handout from page 7 to provide students the questions to answer in order to create the background information on their own alien species.
- Create a Graphic Novel Use the handout from page 8 to form small groups and ask the groups to create their own graphic novels over the course of a week.

GLOSSARY WORDS

- A teacher reference list of all 5th and 6th grade level words found in the books with definitions is provided on pages 9-16. Please use as you like.
- Vocabulary Matching Use the handout on page 17 as a game for students to match words to definitions. Answer sheet is on page 18.
- Vocabulary Words Use the sheets on page 19 to have students research and become comfortable using a dictionary to find the definitions of words. An answer sheet is on page 20.

STAR WARS TERMINOLOGY

Do you feel lost when your students talk about Star Wars? Use the Star Wars specific terminology list
on pages 21-22 to stay in the loop! This list of vocab words include the names, places, and technology
included in this set of Star Wars books. A full list of all Star Wars terms is also available in a separate
Teacher's Guide for you to download.

CHARACTER RESEARCH Star Wars

Directions: Choose one of the characters below and use the Internet to find the information and fill out the character graph. Luke SkyWalker Side He/She **Appearance:** Leia Organa **Fights For:** Han Solo Yoda **Darth Vader R2-D2** C-3PO Chewbacca **Emperor Palpatine CHARACTER NAME: Allies: Enemies:** Write any other interesting information about the character:

CHARACTER RESEARCH-CHARACTER GRAPH ANSWERS Star Wars

CHARACTER Name: Luke Skywalker

SIDE HE/SHE FIGHTS FOR: Rebel Alliance and Jedi Knights on the side of the New Republic

APPEARANCE: Human Jedi, wears Jedi robes
ALLIES: Yoda, Princess Leia Organa, Han Solo
ENEMIES: Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine

WRITE ANY OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHARACTER. Answers will vary.

CHARACTER Name: Leia Organa

SIDE HE/SHE FIGHTS FOR: Rebel Alliance and Jedi Knights on the side of the New Republic

APPEARANCE: Human

ALLIES: Luke Skywalker and Han Solo

ENEMIES: Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine

WRITE ANY OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHARACTER. Answers will vary.

CHARACTER NAME: Han Solo

SIDE HE/SHE FIGHTS FOR: Rebel Alliance and New Republic

APPEARANCE: Human

ALLIES: Chewbacca and Luke Skywalker

ENEMIES: Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine

WRITE ANY OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHARACTER. Answers will vary.

CHARACTER NAME: Yoda

SIDE HE/SHE FIGHTS FOR: Previously fought with the Jedi Knights on the side of the Galactic

Republic.

APPEARANCE: Yoda's species is not named, they are small humanoids with sharp, elfin ears, ridges

on their foreheads, and three-fingered hands. Their leathery skin and blood is green.

ALLIES: Obi-Wan Kenobi and Mace Windu **ENEMIES:** Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine

WRITE ANY OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHARACTER. Answers will vary.

CHARACTER Name: Darth Vader

SIDE HE/SHE FIGHTS FOR: Galactic Empire

APPEARANCE: Prosthetic arms and legs and a mobile life-support system all in black. He has a black

helmet and cape as well.

ALLIES: Darth Sidious and Emperor Palpatine

ENEMIES: Yoda and the Jedi Order

WRITE ANY OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHARACTER. Answers will vary, but may include: As a human Jedi named Anakin Skywalker, Darth Vader married Princess Amidala and was the father of twins Luke and Leia, who were sent to foster parents for protection. After Amidala died, Skywalker was brought to the dark side by Darth Sidious and became Darth Vader.

CHARACTER NAME: R2-D2 sometimes spelled Artoo-Detoo SIDE He/SHE FIGHTS FOR: Rebel Alliance and New Republic

APPEARANCE: R2-series astromech droid

ALLIES: Leia Organa, C-3PO, and Luke Skywalker Enemies: Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine

WRITE ANY OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHARACTER. Answers will vary, but may include: R2-D2's equipment includes a buzz saw, an electric pike, drink trays, a fusion welder, thruster jets,

and a hologram recorder/transmitter.

CHARACTER NAME: C-3PO sometimes spelled See-Threepio

SIDE HE/SHE FIGHTS FOR: New Republic APPEARANCE: Humanoid protocol droid

ALLIES: Leia Organa, R2-D2, and Luke Skywalker ENEMIES: Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine

WRITE ANY OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHARACTER. Answers will vary, but may include: C-3PO was designed to interact with organics, programmed primarily for etiquette and protocol.

He was fluent in over six million forms of communication.

CHARACTER Name: Chewbacca

SIDE HE/SHE FIGHTS FOR: New Republic

APPEARANCE: Wookiee - tall, hairy humanoids with retractable claws.

ALLIES: Han Solo and Luke Skywalker

ENEMIES: Darth Vader and Emperor Palpatine

WRITE ANY OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHARACTER. Answers will vary.

CHARACTER NAME: Emperor Palpatine
SIDE HE/SHE FIGHTS FOR: Galactic Empire

APPEARANCE: Human

ALLIES: Grand Moff Tarkin and Darth Vader

ENEMIES: The Jedi Order

WRITE ANY OTHER INTERESTING INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHARACTER. Answers will vary.

TRIVIA QUESTIONS **Star Wars**

1.	What was the name of R2-D2's sidekick?
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 Banthas
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 Anakin Skywalker who became Darth Vader
- 5. What is the name of the spacecraft that Han Solo commands?

Millennium Falcon

6. What is mined on the planet Bespin?

Tibanna Gas

7. Where do Gungans live?

In underwater cities on Naboo

8. Who is Han Solo's first mate?

Chewbacca

Create an Alien Species

You can create an alien species fit for Star Wars.

On a separate sheet of paper, answer the following questions:

WHO ARE YOU?

What's your species's name? Describe & draw your planet. Describe & draw vehicles your hero uses, if any.

WHAT ARE YOU?

What kind of alien are you? Do you have special features, abilities, or language?

WHO ELSE IS THERE?

List the names of your archenemies, friends & allies, and the loved ones in your character's life.

HOW DID YOU START?

How did your alien species get started? Describe your origins, your planet, your hero's motivation, and other parts of your hero's story.

Create a GRAPHIC NOVEL

It takes many people to create a graphic novel. Writers and artists bring their talents together to create an illustrated story. You can work with your classmates to create a graphic novel.

Here's what you need:

- **1. WRITERS** choose an author or two to write the story. Authors will work with the pencillers to decide narration, dialog, panel divisions, pacing, and descriptions of the art.
- 2. PENCILLERS choose artists to draw the panels in pencil. Pencillers will work with the authors to draw exactly what they envision. Pencillers will also work with letterers to provide enough space for the text and sound effects.
- **3. INKERS** choose artists with a steady hand to outline the panels and important art in them. Inkers will work with the pencillers to decide what needs bold outlines.
- **4. COLORISTS** choose detail-oriented people to color the inked panels. Colorists have to keep colors consistent throughout the panels. Colorists will work with writers and pencillers to get the correct colors in the panels.
- **5. LETTERERS** choose someone to insert the narration and dialog into the panels. Letterers work with pencillers to make sure there is enough room for the text. Letterers also work with the writers to make sure the text is in the correct place.
- 6. PRODUCTION MANAGER one person will need to oversee the entire project. He or she will coordinate the different team members and make sure they are able to talk to each other. The production manager will also create a schedule and make sure each team member follows it to complete the novel.

Glossary Words

Episode VI Return of the Jedi - Vol. 1 - 98 terms

admitted - to let in. agility - the state or condition of being able to move quickly with grace. alcove - a small section of a room set apart from the rest of it. anticipation - the state of dealing with something in advance. appraisal - judging the value of something. armada - a group of warships. audience - a group of people watching a performance. barge - a large boat with a flat bottom that is used to carry goods. boisterous - loud with excitement; rowdy. carnivorous - feeding on other animals. chamber - a room. **chambered** - to hold as if in a chamber, or room. clutches - cruel or harsh power or control. conveys - to make known. counterpart - one of two things that fit or complement one another. **deactivate** - to make not able to work anymore. definition - the explanation of a word's meaning. **delusion** - something that is falsely believed to be true. desolate - not lived in or visited. despite - without being stopped by. destruction - the state of being destroyed. digest - to break down as food by the body. disguise - an item used to hide something. dispense - to carry out or put into operation. dispute - a difference of opinion; argument. dissuade - to talk someone into not doing something. doomed - fixed to end badly or unhappily. dreaded - greatly feared. **electronically** - done with the use of electronics, which is the study of electrons in motion. exalted - raised in rank or power. executed - to kill by legal order. expression - a common saying. extreme - very great in degree. feisty - touchy or ready to argue. fodder - food for horses, cattle, and other animals. frantic - upset or excited; wild. galaxy - one of the very large groups of stars that make up the universe. grates - metal bars that cross each other over an opening to prevent entry. hibernation - the state of spending a period of time in a deep sleep. hideous - very gross or ugly. hobgoblins - elves or goblins that play tricks or do harm. holograms - 3-D pictures made by patterns of light. holster - a case for carrying a small gun. impatient - not willing or able to wait calmly. impervious - not able to be harmed. insatiable - not able to be satisfied.

insists - to be firm about something. **jeers** - speaks or shouts at in a rude way.

GLOSSARY WORDS: Episode VI Return of the Jedi - Vol. 1 - 98 terms Continued...

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malevolently - in a mean or hateful way.
massive - very large; huge.
notion - a theory or belief.
obscene - repulsive or offensive.
offense - the breaking of a law or a rule.
optimistic - being hopeful about what is to come.
outlaw - someone who does not obey laws.
outrage - great anger.
partially - part of; not completely.
perception - how one sees or understands something.
pleasantries - polite talk used to start a conversation.
punctuating - interrupting in even periods.
rasp - a rough, grating sound.
rebellion - the act of fighting against those in control or refusing to obey their rules.
reconsider - to think about something again, especially with the possibility of change.
rejected - thrown away as useless or unwanted.
release - to let go.
reluctance - the state of being doubtful or unwilling to do something.
reunion - a gathering of members of a group who have been separated.
revel - a loud or merry party.
revelers - people who are part of a loud or merry party.
reversed - done in the opposite way of something.
scum - a person or group thought of as worthless or very bad.
scurrying - moving fast.
shattering - breaking apart into pieces.
shimmering - shining in a faint way.
shuttle - a vehicle that travels a certain path regularly.
skiff - a small, light boat that may have sails but can be rowed by one person.
smuggler - a person who takes things in or out of a country illegally or in secret.
sniggering - laughing in a mean or sly way.
stealthily - acting in a secret way.
stride - one step or the distance covered by one step.
stronghold - a place that is very strong to protect against attack.
stubbornness - the quality of refusing to change or give in to something.
tense - showing strain or uncertainty.
thoroughly - completely.
throng - a large group of people together.
tolerate - to put up with.
torturous - causing great pain.
translator - a person who translates, or changes one language to another.
transpire - something that happens.
triumph - victory or success.
tumult - riot or violent outburst.
underestimate - to put too low of a value on something.
underworld - a criminal part of society.
ungrateful - not thankful.
vile - disgusting.
villainy - being depraved or doing something bad.
wedging - forcing into a small space.
wretched - evil.
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Glossary Words

Episode VI Return of the Jedi - Vol. 2 - 83 terms

adjourn - to stop something or put it off until a later time.

agility - the state or condition of being able to move quickly with grace.

array - a group of things.

barge - a large boat with a flat bottom that is used to carry goods.

betray - to not be truthful or faithful to.

blubbery - having blubber, or fat.

burden - something that is hard to live with.

captive - someone who is captured and held against his or her will.

captor - someone who has taken and held someone or something by force.

careen - to sway from side to side.

commotion - loud activity or excitement.

confront - to bring face-to-face.

consequences - results of something.

conversation - talk between people.

converted - changed from one belief to another.

departed - left; gone.

desperately - with great need.

despite - without being stopped by.

determination - the act of making a firm, purposeful decision.

determined - to have made up one's mind very firmly.

dire - likely to cause fear or harm; looks to be bad; grim.

distraction - anything that causes a person to lose focus or direction.

eliminate - to remove or get rid of.

enrage - to fill with anger.

enslaved - made a slave of.

Excellency - used as a title for a person of high rank.

explosive - having to do with an explosion, or blast.

fearsome - causing fear.

fiery - on fire or glowing like fire.

filth - something that is dirty or gross.

fleet - a group of ships and airplanes under one command.

flex - to bend or move.

foresee - to understand something before it happens.

frayed - worn away.

galactic - relating to a galaxy, which is one of the very large groups of stars that make up the universe.

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gambler - a person who bets money or other things on games.

gangster - a member of a group of criminals.

gawk - a clumsy or stupid person.

grasp - how far the arms can reach.

hatch - a door or cover for an opening in the floor, roof, or side of a building or vehicle.

honorable - worthy of honor.

identity - who or what a person or a thing is.

igniting - setting on fire.

impatience - the state of being unwilling or unable to wait calmly.

imperceptible - not noticeable.

inflict - to cause or to give.

insistence - the state of not giving up.

interfering - getting in the way of.

GLOSSARY WORDS: Episode VI Return of the Jedi - Vol. 2 - 83 terms Continued...

jettison - to get rid of. lure - to lead or attract by offering pleasure or advantage. manifestation - a ghostly figure that becomes visible. massive - very large; huge. mechanical - relating to machinery. mentor - a wise person who teaches and advises someone. minion - a follower or servant. mission - an assigned task or job. momentarily - for a short amount of time. monstrous - large or frightening. **obscenity** - repulsive or offensive. outrage - great anger. paroxysm - a sudden, violent act. plea - to argue a case in a court of law. prevail - to win against a resisting force. proceeding - moving forward. remnant - a small trace of something left behind. revealed - made known or shown. scavenger - a person who collects usable things from what has been thrown away by others. **seduced** - swayed or convinced to do or follow something. sever - to pull apart or divide. shimmering - shining in a faint way. **shrouded** - covered up or under a veil. skiff - a small, light boat that may have sails but can be rowed by one person. **spectacular -** wonderful; unbelievable; excellent. **stampede** - a sudden rush of startled animals. **stooped** - bent forward at the head and shoulders. stunned - made dizzy or dazed by a blow. tantalizing - teasing by keeping something that one wants in sight but out of reach. temporarily - for a short time. tempting - strongly appealing. tether - a length of rope or chain used as a leash. unfortunate - having bad luck. vulnerable - open to being hurt or attacked.

Glossary Words

Episode VI Return of the Jedi - Vol. 3 - 96 terms

admiration - the state of having respect for someone or something.

aftermath - the result of an event.

alliance - a person, a group, or a nation united for a special purpose.

annoy - to bother especially by repeated acts.

barrage - many things coming at something fast.

befits - well-fitting or suitable for.

bicker - to argue over things that are not very important.

borne - put forth.

brawl - a noisy fight.

briefing - having to do with giving facts or instructions to people.

byways - roads that are not often used.

captive - someone who is captured and held against his or her will.

chamber - a room.

compassion - sympathy and a desire to help.

concentration - the act of thinking hard.

confirmed - ensured the truth of; verified.

confront - to bring face-to-face.

critical - very important, especially because of danger or difficulty.

crude - rough or not altered.

data - facts about something.

deactivate - to make not able to work anymore.

deflecting - causing to turn aside.

degrees - the amount or extent of something.

deity - a god or higher being.

denies - refuses to accept or allow.

departure - the act of going away.

despite - without being stopped by.

destination - the place to which a person or thing is going.

destiny - fate; that which must happen because of fate or luck.

dialect - a form of a language spoken in a certain area or by certain people.

dispatching - sending away quickly for a certain purpose.

dissuade - to talk someone into not doing something.

embraces - welcomes; includes.

endanger - to put in danger.

engage - to enter in contest or battle with.

fleet - a group of ships and airplanes under one command.

foliage - the leaves of a plant.

foresee - to understand something before it happens.

galaxy - one of the very large groups of stars that make up the universe.

generalship - the office of a general.

glisten - to sparkle or shine.

guise - outer appearance made to disguise, or hide what something is.

holograms - 3-D pictures made by patterns of light.

holographic - related to a reproduced image.

imitation - the act of trying to copy the actions or behavior of someone.

impersonate - to pretend to be another person.

impressed - to be surprised, in a good way, by something someone has done.

incredulous - not believing.

indignities - acts that hurt a person's self-respect.

GLOSSARY WORDS: Episode VI Return of the Jedi - Vol. 3 - 96 terms Continued...

inflicting - to cause or to give. **influence** - power or ability to produce an effect on others. inhabited - lived in. insisted - didn't give up. jittery - very nervous or uncomfortable. **lush** - covered with thick growth. maneuver - to make changes in direction and position for a specific purpose. mechanized - made with machinery. mission - an assigned task or job. obstacle - something that stands in the way or blocks progress. **obtaining** - getting. ominous - of a bad omen, which is believed to be a sign of a future event. **opponent -** a person or a thing that opposes, or goes against, another. overseeing - looking over; managing. particularly - especially. penetrate - to pass through or enter. primitive - simple or not advanced. **prior** - earlier in time or order. proceeding - moving forward. procession - a group of people moving in an orderly way, often for some type of a ceremony. programming - the makeup of a computer program. pursue - to chase or seek. pursuit - following to achieve a goal. rebellion - the act of fighting against those in control or refusing to obey their rules. reconsider - to think about something again, especially with the possibility of change. relatively - somewhat. relentlessly - without stopping. reunion - a gathering of members of a group who have been separated. revelry - loud or merry partying. sanctuary - a place of protection or refuge. sedan chair - a seat for one person held up by poles and carried by two people. sensor - a device that detects something and sends signals about it. sever - to pull apart or divide. **shuttle** - a vehicle that travels a certain path regularly. status - a person's position or rank in relation to others. surrender - to give up. thrusting - pushing with force. transmit - send. trussed - tied up. tyrannical - related to tyranny, which is cruel power used by a government. **unprotected** - not protected. unwavering - steady and determined. **urgency** - the state of needing to do something quickly. vainly - without success. vane - a movable device connected to something to show which way the wind is blowing. volunteered - worked or helped without pay. wield - to handle or use.

Glossary Words

Episode VI Return of the Jedi - Vol. 4 - 95 terms

abyss - a very deep hole or crack.

aggressive - showing that one is ready to attack.

allies - people, groups, or nations united for some special purpose.

attaching - connecting to.

befriended - acted friendly to someone.

betray - to not be truthful or faithful to.

bombard - to attack with bombs, rockets, and gunfire.

brutally - in a harsh, severe way.

burden - something that is hard to live with.

captive - someone who is captured and held against his or her will.

captor - someone who has taken and held someone or something by force.

careen - to sway from side to side.

chamber - a room.

clash - to strike together with force, making a loud noise.

clatter - to make a loud, rattling noise.

collapse - to fall down.

combat - a war or a fight.

combatant - a person who fights or is ready to fight in battle.

concentrate - to think harder.

confront - to bring face-to-face.

converted - changed from one belief to another.

cramped - not able to move freely; confined.

crude - rough or not altered.

deactivate - to make not able to work anymore.

defense - the act of resisting attack.

deflect - to turn aside.

demonic - related to an evil spirit.

depressingly - in a very sad way.

destiny - fate; that which must happen because of fate or luck.

destruction - the state of being destroyed.

detection - the act of finding or catching someone.

discarded - given up as useless or unwanted.

dreadnought - battleship.

dueled - battled against another person.

elusive - hard to pursue or find.

exhibiting - showing or displaying.

fiery - on fire or glowing like fire.

fleet - a group of ships and airplanes under one command.

frenzy - the state of wild excitement.

fugitives - a person trying to escape.

gamble - an action that has risk.

generator - a machine that changes mechanical energy into electrical energy.

gloating - feeling or acting overly happy about something one has done.

gnarled - twisted and deformed.

grimly - in a way that is harsh or cruel.

hesitantly - in a way that is slow to act or do something.

humanity - all human beings both past and present.

hurled - threw with force.

ignite - to set on fire.

GLOSSARY WORDS: Episode VI Return of the Jedi - Vol. 4 - 95 terms Continued...

imminent - about to happen. **insignificant** - not important. interceptors - things that stop a person or another thing on its course. interim - a temporary period of time. **invincibility** - the state of being not able to be captured or overcome. legion - a large number, or a large military force. livid - very angry or enraged. **loom** - appear suddenly, often looking large or dangerous. massive - very large; huge. mechanical - relating to machinery. mechanism - a piece of machinery. merciless - showing no compassion. monitor - video screen used for display. novas - explodes. numbly - in a way that has no emotion. **oblivion** - lacking attention. overconfidence - the state of thinking too highly of oneself. override - to dominate over another action. penetrate - to pass through or enter. perishes - being destroyed or ruined. pursuit - following to achieve a goal. rebellion - the act of fighting against those in control or refusing to obey their rules. **refer** - to call attention to. regained - to get again. reinforcements - things that strengthen by providing assistance or support. relentless - not becoming less in strength or force. reluctance - the state of being doubtful or unwilling to do something. remarkably - in a way that is worthy of being noticed, especially as being uncommon. resident - one who lives in a particular place for an extended period. **reunited** - gathered together after being separated. reversal - the process of reversing, or going in the opposite direction. sanctuary - a place of protection or refuge. shrivel - to become helpless or useless. **squadrons** - a unit of military ships, airplanes, or other vehicles. stunning - causing one to be astonished or bewildered. surge - a powerful upward sweeping, like a wave. swiftness - the state of happening fast. tactic - a plan to achieve a certain end or result. tactics - the science and art of using forces in battle. terrain - the physical features of an area of land. unavoidable - not possible to avoid; sure to happen. underestimate - to put too low of a value on something. unorthodox - not conventional. violently - acting with great force; very strong. void - an empty space. waging - carrying on or engaging in.

VOCABULARY MATCHING Star Wars: Episode VI Return of the Jedi

Directions: Match the words to their definitions.

looms	1)	an action that has risk	
tactic	2)	showing that one is ready to attack	
throng	3)	to handle or use	
gamble	4)	appears suddenly, often looking large or dangerous	
aggressive	5)	a large group of people together	
wield	6)	a plan to achieve a certain end or result	
Write a sentence using one of the words from above.			

VOCABULARY MATCHING-ANSWERS Star Wars: Episode IV Return of the Jedi

VOCABULARY WORDS Star Wars: Episode VI Return of the Jedi

Directions: Write the definitions to the vocabulary words below. abyss stampede hurled triumph shuttle

VOCABULARY WORDS-ANSWERS Star Wars

Star Wars: Episode VI Return of the Jedi

abyss - a very deep hole or crack.

stampede - a sudden rush of startled animals.

hurled - threw with force.

triumph - victory or success.

shuttle - a vehicle that travels a certain path regularly.

Star Wars Terms

Episode VI Return of the Jedi - 75 terms

Admiral - a high-ranking officer and commander of a group of soldiers or ships.

Alderaan - a planet with grasslands and mountains. It is home to Princess Leia Organa.

Alliance - referring to the Rebel Alliance, which is a group of forces united to direct military opposition to the Galactic Empire; also called the Alliance to Restore the Republic or the Rebellion.

astro droid - a robot that is used to maintain and repair starships; also called an astromech droid.

bantha - a large, shaggy animal that is used to carry loads, transport people, and fight in wars.

battle station - a space station armed for battle.

Bothan spies - alien spies that are united with the Rebellion.

bounty hunter - a soldier hired to track down and kill someone for pay.

carbonite - a metal mixture made from carbon. It is used to place a living thing into hibernation, or a state of deep sleep.

Clone Wars - the war fought between the Galactic Republic clone army and the Confederacy of Independent Systems (also known as Seperatists).

Cloud City - a floating city and mining colony of planet Bespin.

Comlink - a small device that allows two people to talk to each other from far away.

command - the people or unit under the control of a commander.

command crew - a group of people under the control of a commander.

commander - a military rank or title.

concussion missile - a short-range weapon that flies through the air at a target.

Corellian - a person of an independent world called Corellia.

Dagobah - a planet of swamps and forests in the Outer Rim Territories that served as a home to Yoda while he was in hiding from the Empire.

Dark Side - the evil side of the Force, which is an energy field created by all living things.

death maze - confusing pathways that are very dangerous.

Death Star - a weapon that is a large space station built by the Galactic Empire. It can destroy entire planets.

Death Star Throne Room - Emperor Palpatine's private command center on the Death Star.

defense shield - a device that blocks weapons from hitting the object it is protecting; also called a deflector shield.

deflector shield - a device that blocks weapons from hitting the object it is protecting.

droid - a robot.

Dune Sea - the wide, sandy desert on planet Tatooine.

emperor - a title held by certain officials or heads of state.

Empire - the government established by Supreme Chancellor Palpatine to replace the Galactic Republic and bring Sith rule to the galaxy; also called the Galactic Empire.

Endor - a giant gas planet that has a forested moon.

Endor Bunker - a shelter to protect against attack on planet Endor.

Endor Moon Base - a base on a small moon circling the giant planet of Endor. This moon is the native home of Ewoks and the site of the Battle of Endor.

Endor shield generator bunker - a military base on the forest moon of planet Endor for the Galactic Empire; also called the Imperial shield generator bunker.

energy shield - a protective force field; also called a deflector shield.

Ewoks - furry creatures from the moon of Endor.

Force - an energy field created by all living things. The Force is what gives a Jedi manipulates to get his or her power.

Galactic Empire - the government established by Supreme Chancellor Palpatine to replace the Galactic Republic and bring Sith rule to the galaxy; also called the Empire.

general - a high-level military rank.

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Great Pit of Carkoon - a large dent in the sand within the Dune Sea on planet Tatooine. It is home to a creature called the Sarlacc.

hyperspace - a mode of physical existence used by starships to travel faster than the speed of light.

Imperial - of or relating to the Empire.

Imperial Control Team - a group of people that controls military operations for the Galactic Empire.

Imperial Fleet - the naval branch of the Imperial Military of the Galactic Empire; also called the Imperial Navy.

Imperial Scouts - a group of people used for their intelligence work.

Imperial shield generator bunker - a military base on the forest moon of planet Endor for the Galactic Empire; also called the Endor shield generator bunker.

Imperial shuttle - a shuttle used to transport members of the Galactic Empire.

Jedi - a member of the Jedi Order who studies the Force.

Jedi Knight - the rank of Jedi in the Jedi Order before Jedi Master.

lightsaber - a weapon of the Jedi that lets out a powerful beam of light. It is also called a laser sword.

main reactor - the central power-generating area on a starship or space station.

master - referring to Jedi Master, which is the second-highest rank a Jedi can obtain. A Jedi is a member of the Jedi Order who studies the Force.

Millennium Falcon - the personal starship of Han Solo and Chewbacca, used to illegally ship goods or people.

Mon Calamari - fishlike creatures from planet Dac that are united with the Rebellion.

Mos Eisley - the largest and busiest town on Tatooine.

power regulator - a system that controls power.

proton torpedo - a powerful weapon that carries a very powerful blast and has a far range. Proton torpedoes are carried on many different starships.

rancor - a large beast that Jabba the Hutt keeps below his throne room.

Rebel - the group of people fighting to free the galaxy from the rule of the Galactic Empire.

Rebel Alliance - a group of forces united to direct military opposition to the Galactic Empire; also called the Alliance to Restore the Republic or the Rebellion.

Rebel B-wing fighter - a large, heavily armed military spacecraft that belongs to the Rebel Alliance.

Rebel Commanders - high-ranking military officials of the Rebellion.

Rebellion - a group of forces united to direct military opposition to the Galactic Empire; also called the Alliance to Restore the Republic or the Rebel Alliance.

Salacious Crumb - an annoying creature that worked as a court jester for Jabba the Hutt.

Sarlacc - a large beast that lives at the base of the Great Pit of Carkoon. Its mouth reaches out of the pit and eats anything that falls into it.

shield generator - a device used to create a deflector shield, which is something that blocks weapons from hitting the object it is protecting; also called a deflector shield generator.

Sith - a group that uses the dark side of the Force and tries to destroy the Jedi.

Sith Lord - the ruler of the Sith Empire.

speeder bike - a bike for one or two people that rides through the air very fast.

Sullust - a planet with many active volcanoes causing many electrical storms.

Taanab - a planet of green meadows mostly used for growing plants and farming.

Tatooine - a desert planet and home world to Luke Skywalker.

thermal detonator - a small, round explosive device.

Tribal Chieftan - the leader of a tribe.

walker - a vehicle that uses legs instead of wheels as a way of moving.

Wookiee - a shaggy giant from planet Kashyyyk.