



## **The New Vest Pocket Webster's Dictionary**

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Preface:

The author has compiled in this Handy School Pocket Dictionary hundreds and hundreds of the most common English words based on fundamental word lists compiled by educators from well-known universities in the Philippines and abroad as well as the words taken from many world linguists and linguistic sources. This rich vocabulary contains words used in everyday life. It is very practical. The English words have been chosen for their accuracy and simplicity in meaning as used in everyday conversations. In this new vocabulary can be found a list of common everyday terms, scientific and geographic terms, business terms, social and physical science terms.

The modern trend of adapting education materials to the needs, abilities, and experiences of students, and of making learning more functional and pleasant, has been the guiding principle in the selection of words included in this book. For those who want to acquire facility in speaking the English language this pocketbook is a good and handy reference book.

This new handy pocket dictionary is a handy book for students whose second language is English, yet are very much acquainted with the language because they have been exposed to it, via various media of communication like the press, the radio, the TV, the newspapers and the English-speaking persons around them. The students will be helped greatly by this handy dictionary in speaking more fluently and writing more effectively, particularly on matters which they often do in school and in their daily lives in and out of the home.