

# THE RAFT VOCABULARY

CHUCKLE	to laugh softly
CLUTTER	a collection of things that is messy
DRIFTED	to be carried slowly by a current of water
WADE	to move ahead slowly or with difficulty
STRUGGLE	to make a forceful effort to get free
GRADUALLY	taking place slowly
BOBBER	an object attached to a fishing line that moves if a fish takes the bait
DOCK	a raised platform built out into the water
CURRENT	a body of water moving in a specific direction
PREEN	to trim and clean
CREPT	to move with the body close to the ground
PEARLY	like a pearl especially in whiteness and luster