**Thank you for agreeing to participate in this experiment. Please read the following instructions carefully.**

On each trial, you will be presented with a word. Please rate how much you think the word represents an emotion using the 7-point scale provided.

e.g., “happy” – definitely an emotion

“chair” – definitely not an emotion

**Please note the following:**

1. You may see many words you consider to be an emotion - this is normal.

2. Please do NOT artificially distribute your responses equally across the scale during the experiment – simply respond to each word independent of you other responses.

3. We are interested in ***your personal opinion***so please do not feel obligated to respond in a way that does not reflect your personal opinion.

If you require further clarification of the task instructions, please contact rachael.jack@glasgow.ac.uk.