**Study description**

In this experiment we are interested in finding out about your understanding of certain words and how they relate to one another.

**Task**

You will be shown around 3200 word pairs (one pair at a time) and asked to rate their similarity of meaning to one another from opposite (-1) to identical (+1).

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

2. 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.

PLEASE:

- make sure you will not be disturbed during the experiment

- DO NOT listen to music during the experiment or distract yourself in any other way (e.g., texting, talking on the phone).

TOTAL DURATION: ~ 2 hours and 45 minutes.

You will be paid\* at a rate of £6/hour at the end of the task.

\*PLEASE NOTE: Providing false personal information or task responses may result in forfeit of payment.

If you require further clarification of the task instructions, please contact the experimenter.