



Hyponyms

A word whose meaning is included in the meaning of another word is a **hyponym**. A word with a broad meaning that more specific words fall under is a hypernym. You can think of a hypernym as a category and **hyponyms** as the things that fall within the category.

DIRECTIONS: Study the examples below. Then complete the table.

Hyponym	Hypernym
apple	fruit
dog	animal
	sport
	building
	furniture
	fabrics
	professions
	electronics
	plants