# Over 700 Words and Phrases of American Slang from the 1920–1929 Decade of Slang

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#### A Journey Through the Twenties' Slang

Prepare to embark on a linguistic adventure as we explore the rich vocabulary of the 1920s:

#### **Expressions of Approval:**

Ace in the hole: An unexpected advantage

Bee's knees: The best, the ultimate

Cat's pajamas: Something extraordinary

#### **Derogatory Terms:**

Dumb Dora: A foolish woman

Egg: A dull or worthless person

Flat tire: A boring or uninspiring person

#### **Actions and Activity:**

Beat it: Leave quickly

Get the gate: To be fired

Hit the hay: To go to bed

#### **Character and Personality:**

Flapper: A young, lively woman who defies societal norms

Gold digger: A person who seeks money or material wealth

Hooch: Alcoholic beverages, especially illegal ones

#### **Relationships and Romance:**

Heavy date: A serious romantic relationship

Neck: To kiss or embrace

 Petting party: A gathering where young people engage in public displays of affection

#### **Your Guide to the Speak of the Twenties**

As you explore the pages of this book, you'll also encounter:

- Historical Context: Brief explanations of the origins and cultural significance of each slang term
- Illustrations: Vintage photographs and illustrations that bring the era to life
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Whether you're a writer, historian, language enthusiast, or simply curious about the past, "Over 700 Words and Phrases of American Slang from the 1920–1929 Decade of Slang" is your ultimate guide to the speak of the twenties.

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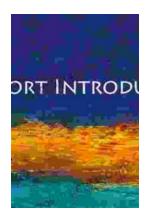
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