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Parts of the Dictionary Cut & Paste

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Description	Definition
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The first and last words on a dictionary page	
Explains the meaning of the entry word	
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Explains the meanings of symbols in the word's pronunciation	
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