



Definitions:

- 1: to introduce a new public official or leader at a special ceremony
- 2: to officially open a building or start an organization with a special ceremony

Inaugurate

Used in a sentence:

- 1: Sir Kier Starmer has been inaugurated (as) the new Prime Minister following his success at the July 2024 General Election.
- 2: The new English and Maths block was inaugurated in 2019.
- 3: Students will be inaugurated into their new year groups in September

Etymology and historical meaning of the term inaugurate:

late 16th cent.: from Latin *inaugurat-* 'interpreted as omens (from the flight of birds)', based on *augurare* 'to augur'.

Collocations:

formally officially

Questions:

- How does this link with the theme of the week: "Completion crowns the task."
- Can you think of any synonyms for the word inaugurate?
- Could you use words of the same family (verbs, nouns) in sentences?
- In which subjects could you use this word?