

## Word of the Week- 29



#### **Definitions:**

1: the process of chemical change caused by the action of yeast or bacteria, often changing sugar to alcohol (biology, chemistry).

# fermentation

#### Used in a sentence:

- 1: The process of fermentation enabled the scientist to see how the sugar was broken down to create a useful medication.
- **2:** Yeast fermentation causes dough to rise, resulting in the production of bread, cakes, and pastries.
- 3: Bacterial fermentation is used to create products such as yogurt, cheese, and sour cream.

## **Etymology** and historical meaning of the term fermentation.

he word "fermentation" comes from the Latin "fermentum," meaning "leaven" or "yeast."



Collocations: care, college, education

### **Questions:**

- How does this link with the theme of the week: change and adapt
- Can you think of any synonyms for the word fermentation?
- Could you use words of the same family (verbs, nouns) in sentences?