WHAT IS "JARGON"?

- **JARGON is <u>technical vocabulary</u> created and used by a specialized group.
  EX: global warming, spoilers, cyberspace, tree hugger, clunker**

- **These groups may include: car mechanics, astronauts, computer programmers, environmentalists, etc.**

- **Specialized fields create JARGON in order to capture complex ideas in a concise and unique way.**

- **ACRONYMS sometimes become JARGON.
  EX: NASA, HTML**

  ** Please complete JARGON worksheet.