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Weekly Vocabulary

Academic Word: **interpret (v)** /ɪn'tɜː.priːt/

Meaning: to describe the meaning of something or to
 examine something in order to explain it

Collocations: ‘to **interpret data**’
 ‘to **interpret something in various ways**’
 ‘**widely interpreted** as something’

Examples: The recent economic trends can be
 interpreted in various ways.

 The problem was widely interpreted as
 a result of failing to plan.

General English Expression: ‘The best of both worlds’

Meaning: This can be used in a situation where you can enjoy the advantages of
 two very different things at the same time.

Example: Mark works in the city and lives in the countryside, so he gets the best
 of both worlds.



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