

## Vocabulary for Jonas Salk

Vaccine (**Noun**) Any medicine used to prevent a specific disease such as polio or smallpox.

Polio Pioneer (**Noun**) A child in the first three grades of elementary school who took part in the first national tests of a trial polio vaccine conducted in 1954

Yiddish (**Noun**) A high German language with an admixture of vocabulary from Hebrew and the Slavic languages spoken mainly by Jewish emigrants.