

# Free Websites To Work on Building Tier 2 Vocabulary

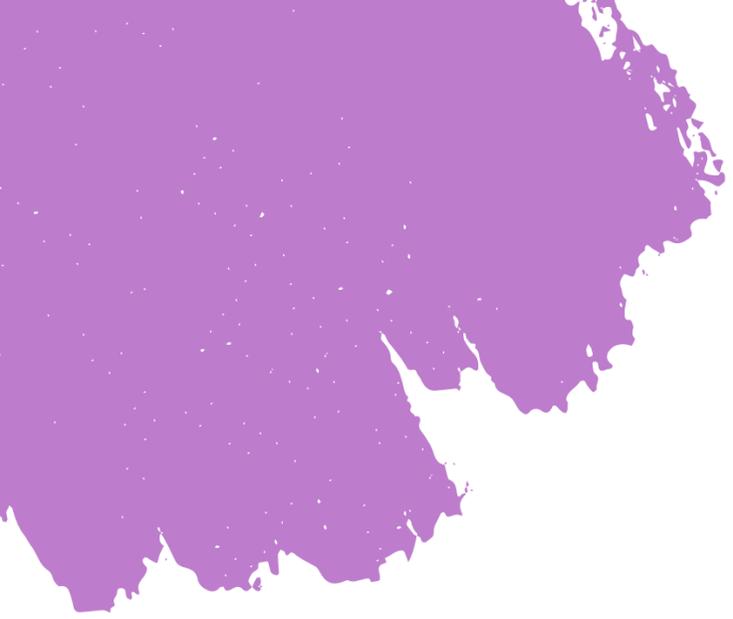
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# Learning Objectives



1. Describe the benefits of working on vocabulary with your older speech students & how to teach context clues/strategies.
2. List items and resources available to SLPs for quick vocabulary activities.
3. Explain how to make vocabulary activities meaningful and fun for your older speech students.



# **Welcome! I am Hallie!**

CEO behind Speech Time Fun.

SLP Elevate Membership

SLP in the public schools for 16 years

SLP Coffee Talk Podcast

Host of the Speech Retreat

Mom of 2 girls

Coffee lover

Peloton obsessed

Amazon frequent shopper



# The vocabulary challenge?!



Vocabulary is such a broad term

Where to start?

We are most likely NOT their first visit to vocabulary intervention

There are A MILLION words we could target

We want carryover!

**Kids in elementary school  
can learn between 3,000-  
5,000 words per year.  
(Biemiller & Boote, 2006;  
Cain, 2007)**

**Our students with language impairments... also learn words incidentally. However, they require more exposures to make it “stick.”**

**Does vocabulary impact success in school?**

**The knowledge anyone has about a topic is based on the vocabulary of that information (Marzano & Pickering, 2005).**

# Scarborough's Reading Rope

## Language Comprehension **LC**

**Background Knowledge**  
facts, concepts, etc.

**Vocabulary**  
breadth, precision, links, etc.

**Language Structures**  
syntax, semantics, etc.

**Verbal Reasoning**  
inference, metaphor, etc.

**Literacy Knowledge**  
print concepts, genres, etc.

## Word Recognition **D**

**Phonological Awareness**  
syllables, phonemes, etc.

**Decoding**  
alphabetic principle,  
letter-sound correspondences

**Sight Recognition**  
of familiar words

INCREASINGLY STRATEGIC

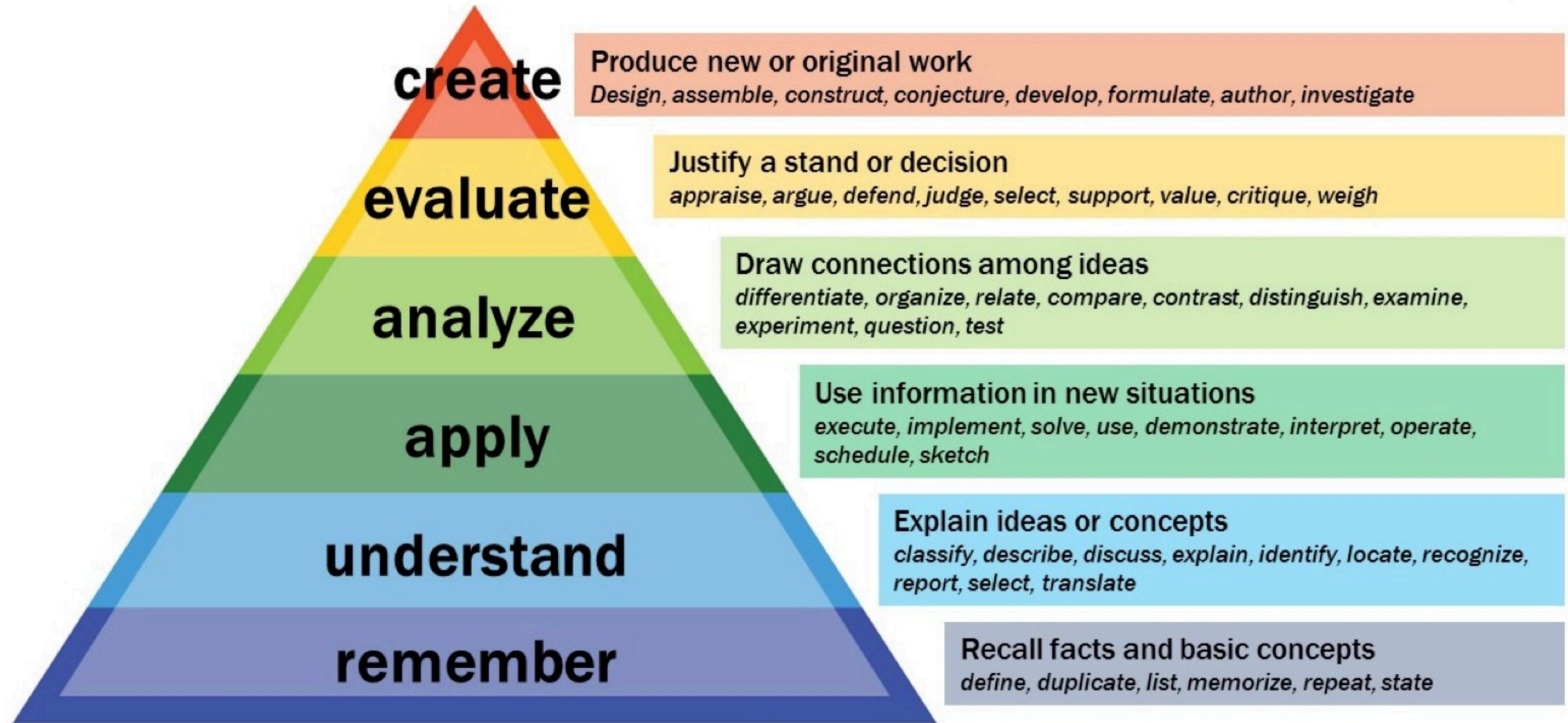
Skilled  
Reading **RC**

INCREASINGLY AUTOMATIC

$$\text{LC} \times \text{D} = \text{RC} \quad \text{Fluent word recognition and comprehension.}$$

*This interpretation of the Reading Rope incorporates Gough & Tunmer's (1986) Simple View of Reading.*

# Bloom's Taxonomy

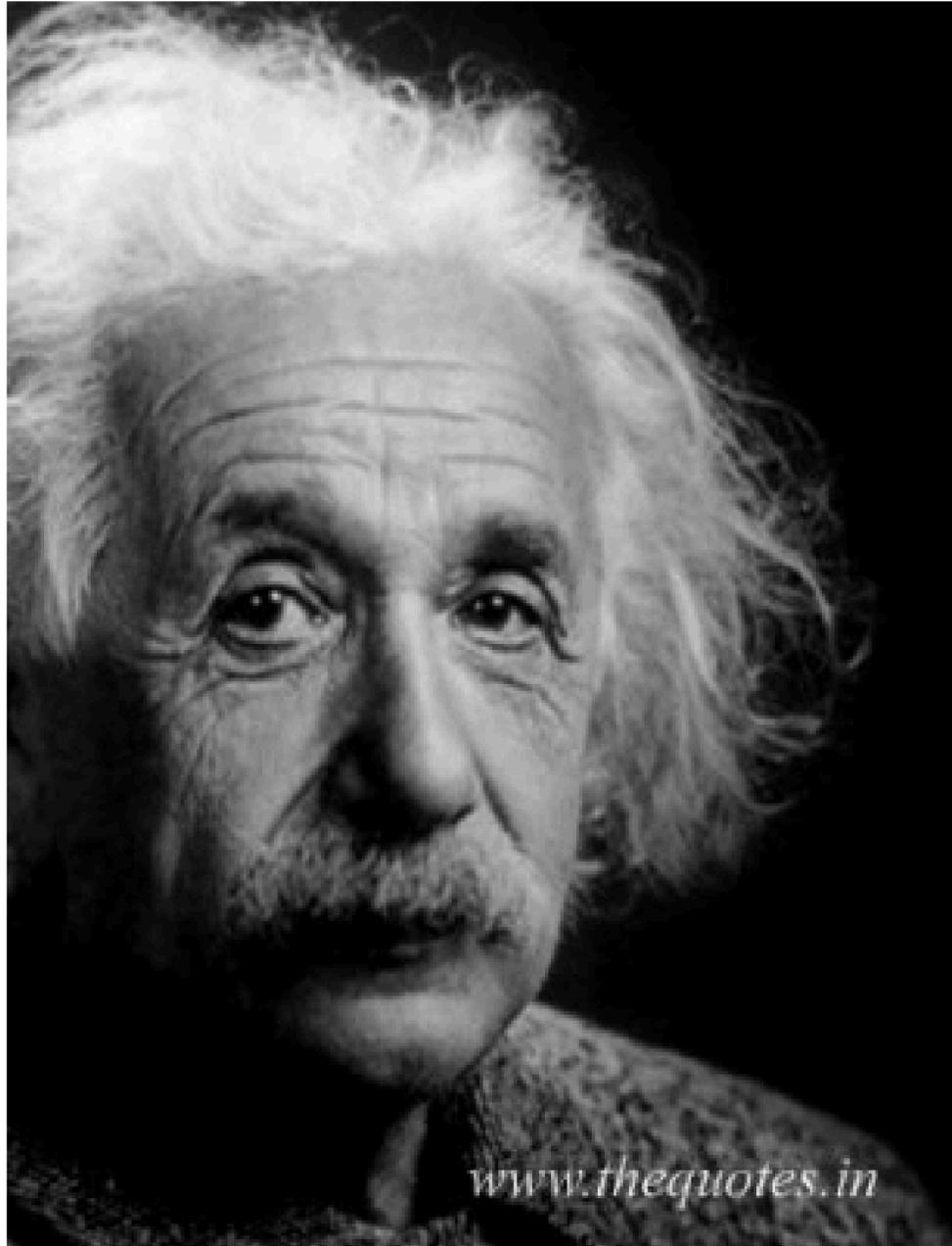


# What else does the research say?



We need 12 to 20 meaningful exposures to learn a word.

(McKeown, Beck, Omanson, and Pople, 1985)



Insanity: doing the same thing  
over and over again and expecting  
different results.

*Albert Einstein*

[www.thequotes.in](http://www.thequotes.in)

# How do we achieve that?!

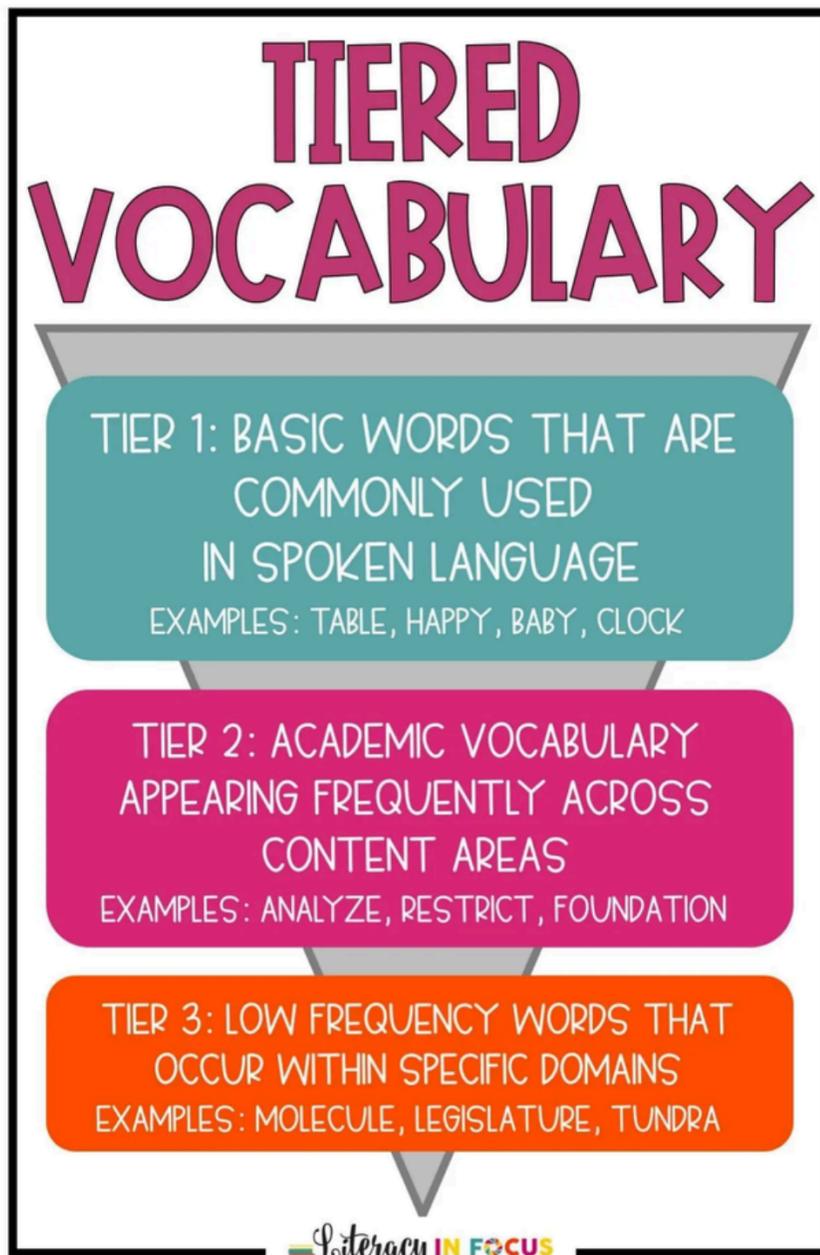


Thoughtful and creative planning

Interactive activities

Routines

# Three Tiers of Vocabulary



Research stresses the importance of students mastering a significant amount of Tier 2 words to be academically successful.

(Blachowicz, Fisher, Ogle, & Taffe, 2013; Marzano, 2004)

## Tier 2...

More abstract - less tangible

less than 10% of the words in an average 4-year-old's vocabulary are abstract

Nearly half of a typical 14-year-old's lexicon comprises non-concrete terms like “categorize” and “identity.”

Sadoski, M., & Lawrence, B. (2023).

## Tier 2...

The ability to understand and use these types of words is essential for our students' academic success.

Not only are many of them explicitly required by the curriculum, they're also an important component of verbal reasoning.

Sadoski, M., & Lawrence, B. (2023).

# Focus on Tier 2 Words!



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## 3rd Grade Vocabulary Word List

This third grade vocabulary list was built from an analysis of difficult words that appear in basal readers and other books commonly taught in the 3rd grade. Those words were then analyzed to see how often they appeared on English Language Arts state tests given in the third, fourth and fifth grades. This vocabulary word list is free and printable, but is also available through our systematic vocabulary development program, The Word Up Project, which has been proven to [raise scores](#). You can also view the [word lists of the other levels of The Word Up Project](#).

[Get printable worksheets to teach 3rd grade vocabulary now!](#)

Ability  
absorb  
accuse  
act  
active  
actual  
adopt

Elegant  
enable  
examine  
explore  
  
Fan  
fatal

Passage  
pastime  
pause  
perform  
plunge  
predator  
predict

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# **Remember....**



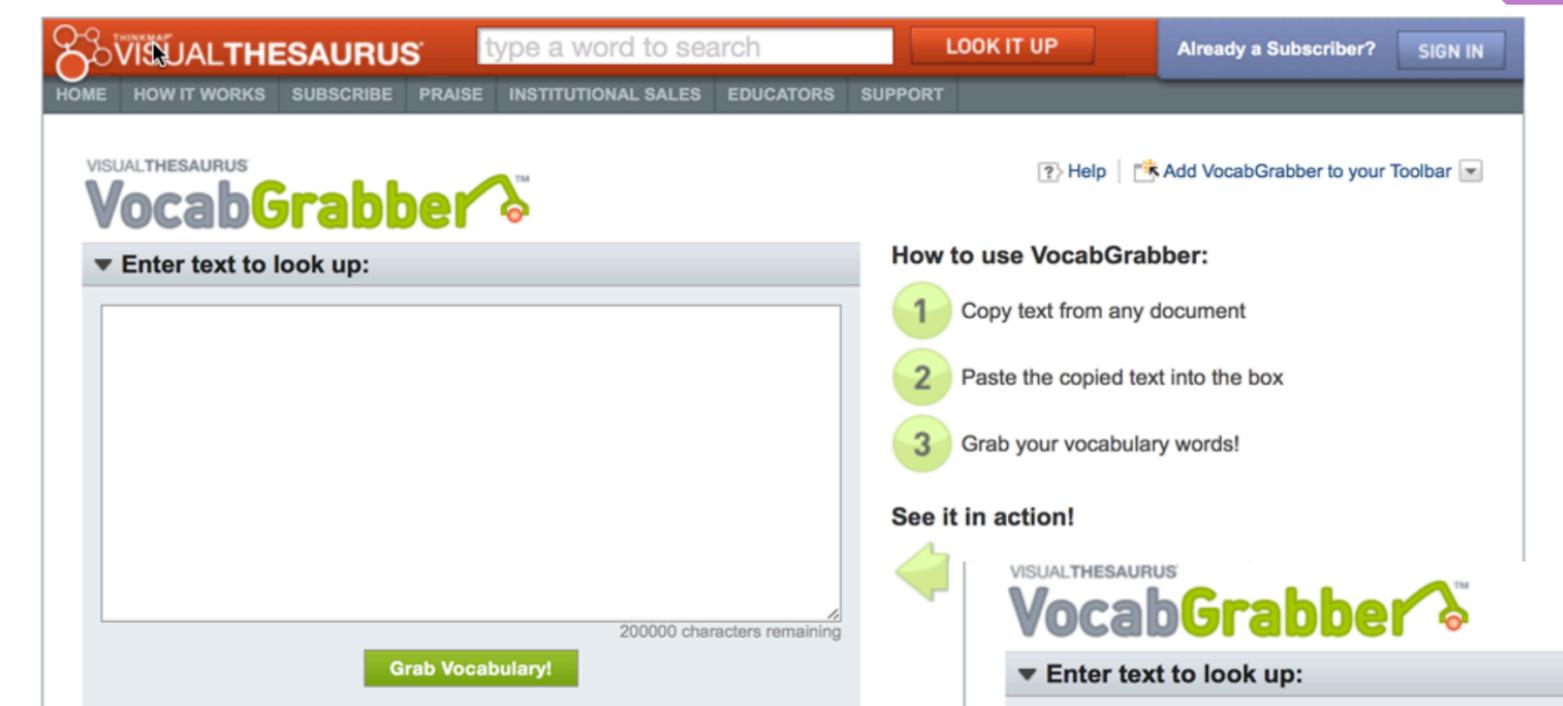
Don't get focused on "grade level" lists

Students might not comprehend the "younger" words

Students might be exposed to words on the "older" list

Use them as a starting point

# Vocab Grabber...



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**VocabGrabber**

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Grab Vocabulary!

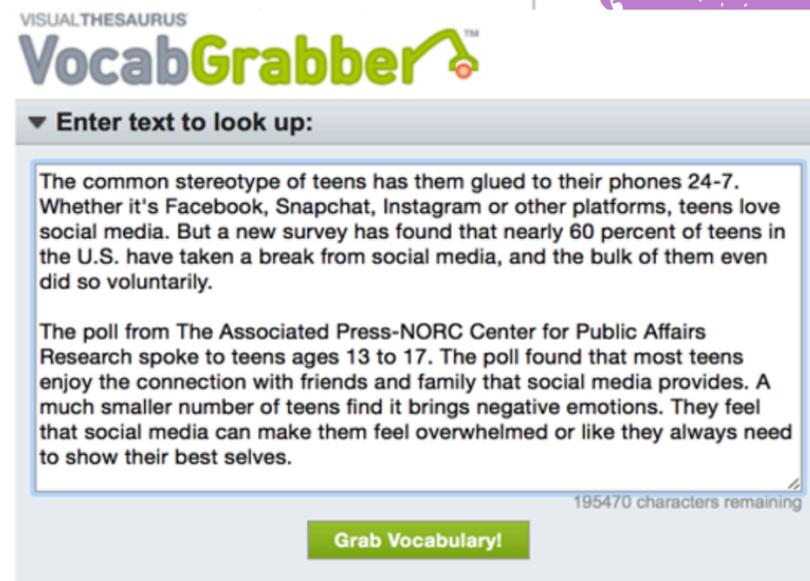
## How does Vocabgrabber work?

VocabGrabber analyzes any text you're interested in, generating lists of the most useful vocabulary words and showing you how those words are used in context. Just copy text from a document and paste it into the box, and then click on the "Grab Vocabulary!" button. VocabGrabber will automatically create a list of vocabulary from your text, which you can then sort, filter, and save.

## How to use VocabGrabber:

- 1 Copy text from any document
- 2 Paste the copied text into the box
- 3 Grab your vocabulary words!

## See it in action!



VISUALTHESAURUS  
**VocabGrabber**

▼ Enter text to look up:

The common stereotype of teens has them glued to their phones 24-7. Whether it's Facebook, Snapchat, Instagram or other platforms, teens love social media. But a new survey has found that nearly 60 percent of teens in the U.S. have taken a break from social media, and the bulk of them even did so voluntarily.

The poll from The Associated Press-NORC Center for Public Affairs Research spoke to teens ages 13 to 17. The poll found that most teens enjoy the connection with friends and family that social media provides. A much smaller number of teens find it brings negative emotions. They feel that social media can make them feel overwhelmed or like they always need to show their best selves.

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Grab Vocabulary!

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Grab Vocabulary!

# Vocab Grabber...

The screenshot shows the VisualThesaurus VocabGrabber website. At the top, there is a search bar with the text "type a word to search" and a "LOOK IT UP" button. To the right of the search bar are links for "Already a Subscriber?" and "SIGN IN". Below the search bar is a navigation menu with links for "HOME", "HOW IT WORKS", "SUBSCRIBE", "PRAISE", "INSTITUTIONAL SALES", "EDUCATORS", and "SUPPORT". The main header features the "VISUALTHESAURUS VocabGrabber" logo and a "Help" link. Below the header is a section for "Enter text to look up:" with a "start over" button. The main content area shows "Found 271 words" and a list of filters for "Show Relevance" (ranging from 1 to 5) and "Show Subjects" (Arts & Literature, Geography, People, Social Studies, Math, Science, Vocabulary). A "Sort by:" dropdown is set to "Relevance", and there is a "Create Word List" button. The word "teen" is highlighted in the word list, and its definition and examples are shown in a sidebar. The sidebar includes a "Definition" section with "Nouns" and "Adjectives" listed, and an "Examples from Text" section with three example sentences.

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Show Relevance: 5 4 3 2 1

Show Subjects:  Show All Words (271)  Arts & Literature (1)  Geography (3)  Math (3)  People (1)  Science (4)  Social Studies (8)  Vocabulary (42)

Sort by: Relevance A-Z Occurrences Familiarity Create Word List

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overloaded social go against write down detach disconnected check out poll  
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once likely launch probability take bulk negative steal expert computer tend  
wealthy reason relationship tired nearly use find worry services recall drama  
challenge representative friend platform all the time today in the way conflict

teenager  
stripling  
adolescent  
teenaged  
teenage

teen

Definition

Nouns:

- a juvenile between the onset of puberty and maturity

Adjectives:

- being of the age 13 through 19

Examples from Text (25)

The common stereotype of **teens** has them glued to their phones 24-7.

Whether it's Facebook, Snapchat, Instagram or other platforms, **teens** love social media.

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# Academic Word Finder...

ACADEMIC WORD FINDER

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Find the high value words in your text.

START A NEW ENTRY

ACCESS A SAVED ENTRY

ACADEMIC WORD FINDER

Insert your text.

Copy and paste a text of your choice in the box below. There is a 20,000 word limit—approximately 5 pages.

Fluff turns 100 this year. The marshmallow creation that has been smeared on a century's worth of schoolchildren's sandwiches has inspired a festival and other sticky remembrances.

Every year, between 5 million and 7 million pounds of the sticky cream invented in suburban Boston in 1917 is produced and sold worldwide. Half the supply is bought up by New Englanders and people in upstate New York.

It came of age in the 1960s. That is when generations of schoolchildren started clamoring for "Fluffernutter" sandwiches. They still are made by slathering peanut butter and Fluff between two slices of white bread.

SELECT A GRADE

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SELECT A GRADE

# Academic Word Finder...

## ACADEMIC WORD FINDER

USING THE WORD LIST AND ELL SUPPORTS

ABOUT

HALLIE SHERMAN

34 Results

DEFINITIONS AND EXAMPLES PROVIDED BY WORDSMYTH

START NEW ENTRY

ENTRY DETAILS



Filter:

ALL WORDS (34)

BELOW GRADE LEVEL (7)

ON GRADE LEVEL (16)

ABOVE GRADE LEVEL (11)

Sort:

In Order of Appearance

WORD	GRADE RANGE	PART OF SPEECH	MEANING	EXAMPLE SENTENCE
creation	4-5	noun	the act of creating or of causing something to exist.	The creation of the famous painting took two years.
		noun	the product of such an act of creation.	She stepped back to look at her creation.
		noun	the universe or the creatures in it.	They enjoyed seeing creation as they walked in the forest.
smear	2-10	verb	to spread or apply on or over a surface.	They smeared jelly on the bread.
		verb	to coat or spread with something sticky, greasy,	She smeared her face with suntan lotion.

You've selected 5th grade and have entered the following text:

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Over the past decade, fans of Fluff have been staging

**Let's play around with Vocab  
Grabber and Academic Word  
Finder!**

**We know our students with language disorders require more exposures to learn new words and their meanings than typically developing students.**

**The goal for Tier 2 words is to first get them to semantic long term memory, then into automatic memory.**

**We need to create new pathways in the brain to create strong word memories.**

# Learning new vocab...

## 3 stages to build longer term memory

Encoding	Storage	Retrieval (Carryover)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>introduce new words</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>multisensory activities to help get words to be permanently stored in the brain</li><li>be able to define in your own words</li><li>creating sentences, giving synonyms, finding related words, etc.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>using the words in normal conversation, daily writing</li><li>understanding what words mean when read</li></ul>

**In therapy, we need to work on all three stages (encoding, storage, & retrieval), but will probably spend the most time on the storage stage.**

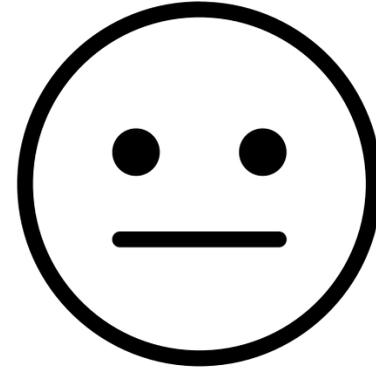
# **What is storage again?**

- multisensory activities to help get words to be permanently stored in the brain**
- be able to define in your own words**
- creating sentences, giving synonyms, finding related words, etc.**

**KWL or quick  
checks  
Have students  
help  
identify what  
stage  
they are at  
with words!**



# How familiar are you with these words?



**Lisa Vanderpump**

**Cody Rigsby**

**Rizz**

**Starbucks**

**Goldman-Fristoe**

**Fortnite**

**Taylor Swift**

**Wicked**

**Prime**

**Puhtuhkuh**

# Encoding: Word Webs

Word webs have been found to be a useful tool for elementary aged students with word finding difficulties.

Best, Hughes, Masterson, Thomas, Fedor, Roncoli, Fern-Pollak, Shepherd, Howard, Shobbrook & Kapikian (2017).







# So how do we build vocabulary?!

Words should not be taught as “lists”, but rather how the words relate to the content and to each other because instruction without context has usually been found to be ineffective

(Roseberry-McKibbin, 2013)

**Can you guess  
the unknown  
words?!**



The boy took out his yellow BLAH, sharpened it, and started working on his BLAH homework. He wasn't sure of all of the multiplication problems, but he tried his best. Once he was done, he put his homework back in his BLAH, zipped it closed, and then went to watch some TV. He could not find the BLAH so he walked over to the TV to turn it on. He watched some cartoons for an hour, and then went upstairs, to get into pajamas, and to get ready for BLAH.

**Remember...**

**We already know these words!  
Imagine our students that don't  
have the background knowledge  
of some vocabulary terms.**

# What words may they struggle with?!



Once upon a time there lived in a certain village a little country girl, the prettiest creature that ever was seen. Her mother was very fond of her, and her grandmother loved her still more. This good woman made for her a little red riding-hood, which became the girl so well that everybody called her Little Red Riding-Hood.

**Here's a 4-step process for teaching students how to use context clues to figure out unknown Tier 2 vocabulary words:**

## **Step 1: Notice the Unknown Word**

- **What to Do:** When reading, pause when you come across a word you don't know.
- **How to Practice:**
  - **Highlight or underline unfamiliar words in a sentence.**
  - **Read the sentence out loud and identify the tricky word.**
  - **Ask: "Does this word make sense to me?"**

### **◆ Example:**

**"The precarious ladder wobbled as she climbed, making her heart race."**

**👉 Pause at precarious - do you know what it means?**

## Step 2: Look for Clues in the Sentence

- **What to Do: Search the words before and after the unknown word. Look for:**
  -  **Definitions (e.g., "Precarious means risky.")**
  -  **Examples (e.g., "The precarious ladder wobbled.")**
  -  **Synonyms/Antonyms (e.g., "Unlike the sturdy stool, the precarious ladder wobbled.")**
- **How to Practice:**
  - **Circle key words that give hints.**
  - **Ask: "What words help me understand this?"**

### ◆ **Example:**

**"The precarious ladder wobbled as she climbed, making her heart race."**

 **"Wobbled" and "heart race" suggest something unstable or risky.**

## **Step 3: Make a Smart Guess (Inference)**

- **What to Do: Based on the clues, predict what the word means.**
- **How to Practice:**
  - **Cover the unknown word and replace it with your best guess.**
  - **Ask: "What word could fit here?"**
  - **Try reading the sentence with your guessed meaning.**

### **◆ Example:**

**"The \_\_ ladder wobbled as she climbed, making her heart race."**

**👉 "Unsteady" or "dangerous" might make sense for precarious!**

## Step 4: Check and Confirm

- **What to Do:**
-  **Read the sentence again with your guessed word.**
-  **Ask: "Does this make sense?"**
-  **Look up the word in a dictionary if needed.**
- **How to Practice:**
  - **Use a word journal to write new words and meanings.**
  - **Compare your guess with the dictionary definition.**
  - **Use the new word in a sentence.**
- ◆ **Example:**
  - **Dictionary check: "Precarious = not secure, dangerous."**
  - **Revised sentence: "The dangerous ladder wobbled as she climbed."  Makes sense!**

## **Bonus Tip: Teach Signal Words!**

- **Definition clues: "is, means, refers to"**
- **Example clues: "such as, for instance"**
- **Synonym clues: "also known as, or"**
- **Antonym clues: "but, unlike, however"**

# Context Clues!

- **Definition:** The word may be defined in the sentence.
- **Example:** There may be an example of the unknown word in the sentence or paragraph.
- **Synonym:** There may be a synonym, or another word that means the same, in the sentence or paragraph to help the reader.
- **Antonym:** There may be an antonym, or opposite, in the sentence or paragraph to help the reader.

# Teach each type separately.

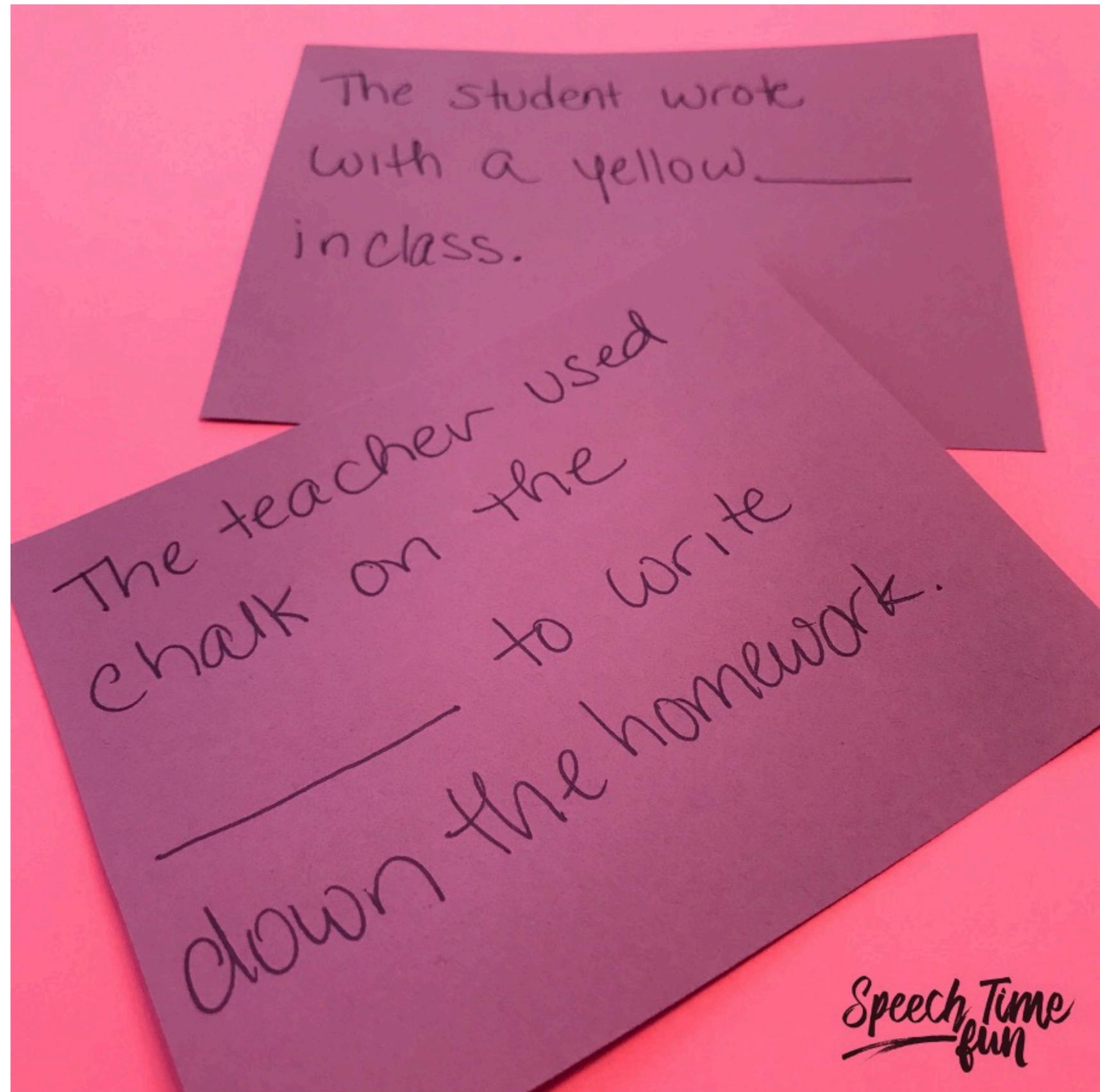
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# Start with nonsense words



# Start with nonsense words



noun

verb

adjective

The boy sharpened his \_\_\_\_\_ and started writing his math problem.

noun

verb

adjective

The \_\_\_\_\_ girl went to sleep  
in her bed.

Joey felt bad he broke the \_\_\_\_\_ flower.

delicate

grass

running

# bit.ly/STF-contextcluesboomfreebie

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Back Preview

The boy sharpened his BLAH and then finished writing down his homework.

**What does BLAH mean?**

Give up Previous Skip Overview Hide Card

Feedback

Speech Time Fun

# bit.ly/STF-kahootnonsense



## Context Clues of Nonsense Words

24 plays · 258 players

**Start** Assign Play solo

A public kahoot

**Hal Sherman**  
Updated 4 years ago

2 - Quiz  
The man drank his coffee out of a BLAH.



20 sec

3 - Quiz  
I held onto the BLAH and walked my dog.



20 sec

4 - Quiz  
My BLAH gave us math homework.



20 sec

5 - Quiz  
The boy threw the BLAH to his sister.

6 - Quiz  
The girl had to BLAH to catch the bus.

7 - Quiz  
I peeled the yellow BLAH and ate it.

The baby slept in a BLAH.



20

▲ Bed

◆ Blanket

● Crib

■ Pillow

**After they grasp the  
nonsense  
words...let's make it  
fun without texts**

# bit.ly/STF-edpuzzletier2

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Snack Attack-Tier 2 vocabulary words

Hallie Sherman



OPEN ENDED QUESTION

The woman is "wondering" around a train station.

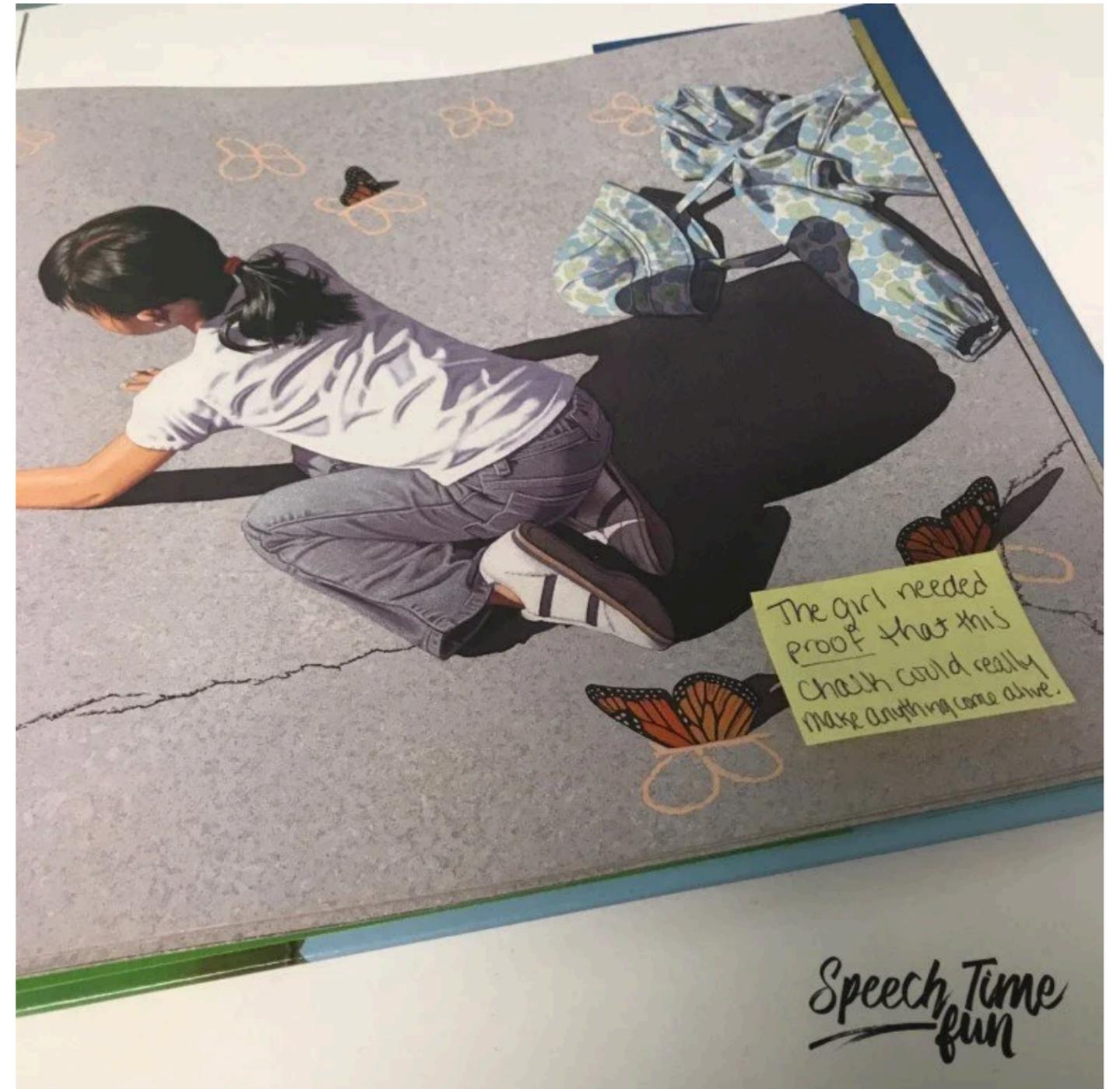
What does "wondering" mean?

Rewatch

Skip

Submit

# Using Wordless Picture Books





**Let's check out  
Edpuzzle!**

**What else is out  
there for working on  
Tier 2 words?!**

# Bamboozle

## GAME PREVIEW

Context Clues with Nonsense Words

Game Code: 759689

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Figuring out the meaning of vocabulary nonsense words using context clues. For middle and high school.

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#High school #middle school #Speech therapy

#Context Clues #nonsense words



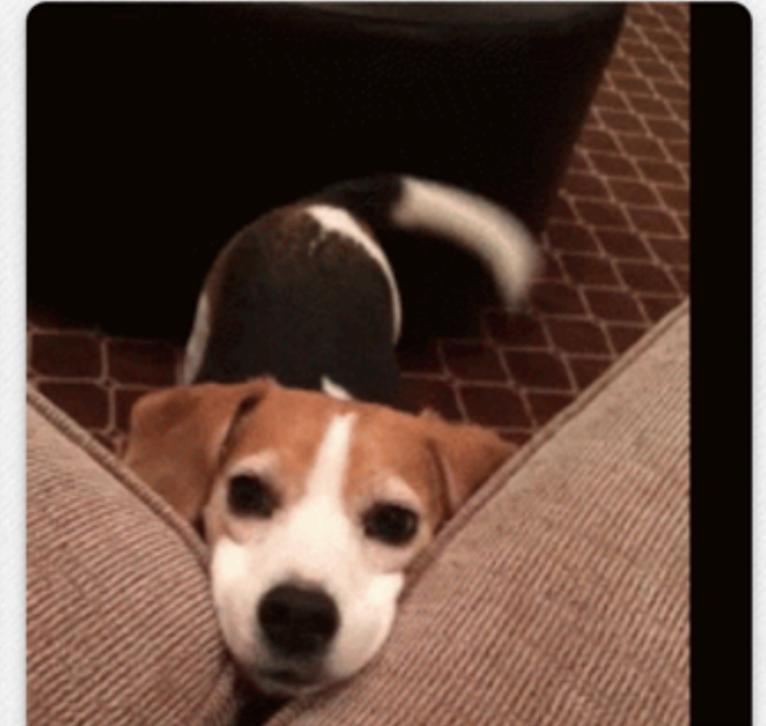
I BAGOO the bug that is sitting on the leaf. I look closely and see that it has a red body with black spots. It is a ladybug! --- What does BAGOO mean?

✓ 15



My mom says that the fruit will LOSPID if you leave it in the fridge too long. It can get too soft and sometimes it will grow fuzzy blue mold. Ew! --- What does LOSPID mean?

✓ 15



My sister and I try to VOBBLE our mom that we should get a dog. We tell her why we will be responsible dog owners, like how we will walk him every day and feed him twice a day. I hope that we can get a dog! --- What does VOBBLE mean?

# Bamboozle

## GAME PREVIEW

Context Clues #1

Game Code: 2074863

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Identify the meaning of unknown words presented in context

Hide

▶ Play

📖 Study

🖥 Slideshow

➦ Share



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▶ 3,191

#Context Clues #Clues #guessing meaning from context



I am filled with anticipation for my birthday party on Saturday! What does anticipation mean?

sadness

fear

excitement

love

✓ 15



Ben's dog likes to bury everything in a pile of dirt in the backyard. What does bury mean?

play with

eat

cover

save

✓ 15



I would be astonished to find my dog sitting at the kitchen table reading a book. What does astonished mean?

tired

excited

surprised

angry

✓ 15



# Baamboozle

Team 1 0 Team 2 0

15



It was "sibling" day at school, so I brought in my younger sister.

Q Check

Team 1 0 Team 2 0

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Which type of context clue helped you determine the meaning of fascinated? The little boy was fascinated by the model train set. Even when the rest of his family moved on, he remained staring intently at the tiny tracks.

Q Check

# Jeopardylabs.com

<https://jeopardylabs.com/play/context-clues-2293>

Definition	Example	Synonym	Antonym	Inference
100	100	100	100	100
200	200	200	200	200
300	300	300	300	
400	400	400	400	
500	500	500	500	
600	600	600	600	

Continue ESC      Synonym for 500      Reveal Correct Response Spacebar

It was an ordinary house. Like the one next to it, it didn't stand out.  
Using context clues, what does ordinary mean?

Team 1    Team 2  
0        0

MENU

It was an ordinary house. Like the one next to it, it didn't stand out.  
Using context clues, what does ordinary mean?

.....  
doesn't stand out

Team 1    Team 2  
0        0  
+        +

# Quia -

<https://www.quia.com/rr/151544.html>

## Context Clues Millionaire Game

Third grade SOL review. Choose the correct work to replace the underlined word in each sentence.

### Tools

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**RAGS TO  
RICHES**

START

Everyone on a team needs to cooperate in order to play a good game.

HINT

HINT

HINT

A: argue

B: sing

C: work together

D: eat

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# https://wordwall.net/en-us/community/finding-context-clues

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10,000+ results for 'finding context clues'

### What are context clues?

A multiple meaning words	B hints that an author gives to help define difficult or unusual words
C ways to use punctuation	D hidden work meanings

#### 6th Grade Context Clues

Quiz by Tracybailey

6th Grade ELA Reading Context Clues

♥ 102

#### Context Clues

Maze chase by Impscore

K G1 G2 G3 G4 G5 G6 G7 G8 G9 G10 G11 G12 Context Clues

♥ 55

#### Context Clues - Part 2

Complete the sentence by Rcrull

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The farmer could not plant his seeds because the soil was too hard. So, he got someone to plough the land for him

Mrs. Martin admonished her daughter for picking flowers when she should have been watching her baby brother.

Skippy is a horrid, little dog that barks and whines all day long. Which word cannot replace horrid in the sentence?

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The spot on Martha's new dress was **minuscule**, but she acted like it was the size of Mt. Rushmore. **Minuscule** means...

extremely tiny

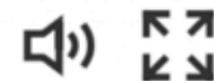
smelly

huge

disgusting



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## 5th Grade Context Clues

by Kimberlyn3

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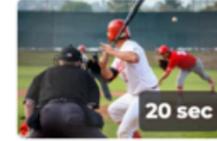
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Students can use the context clues to figure out the meaning of the tier 2 vocabulary words!

 A public kahoot

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- 2 - Quiz  
The batter **FOCUSED** his attention to the pitcher that was about to throw the ball.  20 sec
- 3 - Quiz  
There was a **VARIETY** of flowers in the garden which made it have many different colors.  20 sec
- 4 - Quiz  
Grandpa had to **DEMONSTRATE** how to build the birdhouse so I knew what to do.  20 sec
- 5 - Quiz  
The wind was **ESSENTIAL** in order for our kite to fly.  20 sec
- 6 - Quiz  
We only planted in a **PORTION** of the yard. We didn't have time to do the whole thing.  20 sec
- 7 - Quiz  
The children were **CAPABLE** of playing by themselves at the playground.  20 sec

# Kahoot

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1 Quiz

My grandmother sent me a CHEC...

20



20 sec

1000

Single select

Import slides

Import spreadsheet

My grandmother sent me a CHECK for my birthday.

Time limit

20 sec

Points

1000

Answer options

Single select



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To look over

A form of money

A mark on a paper

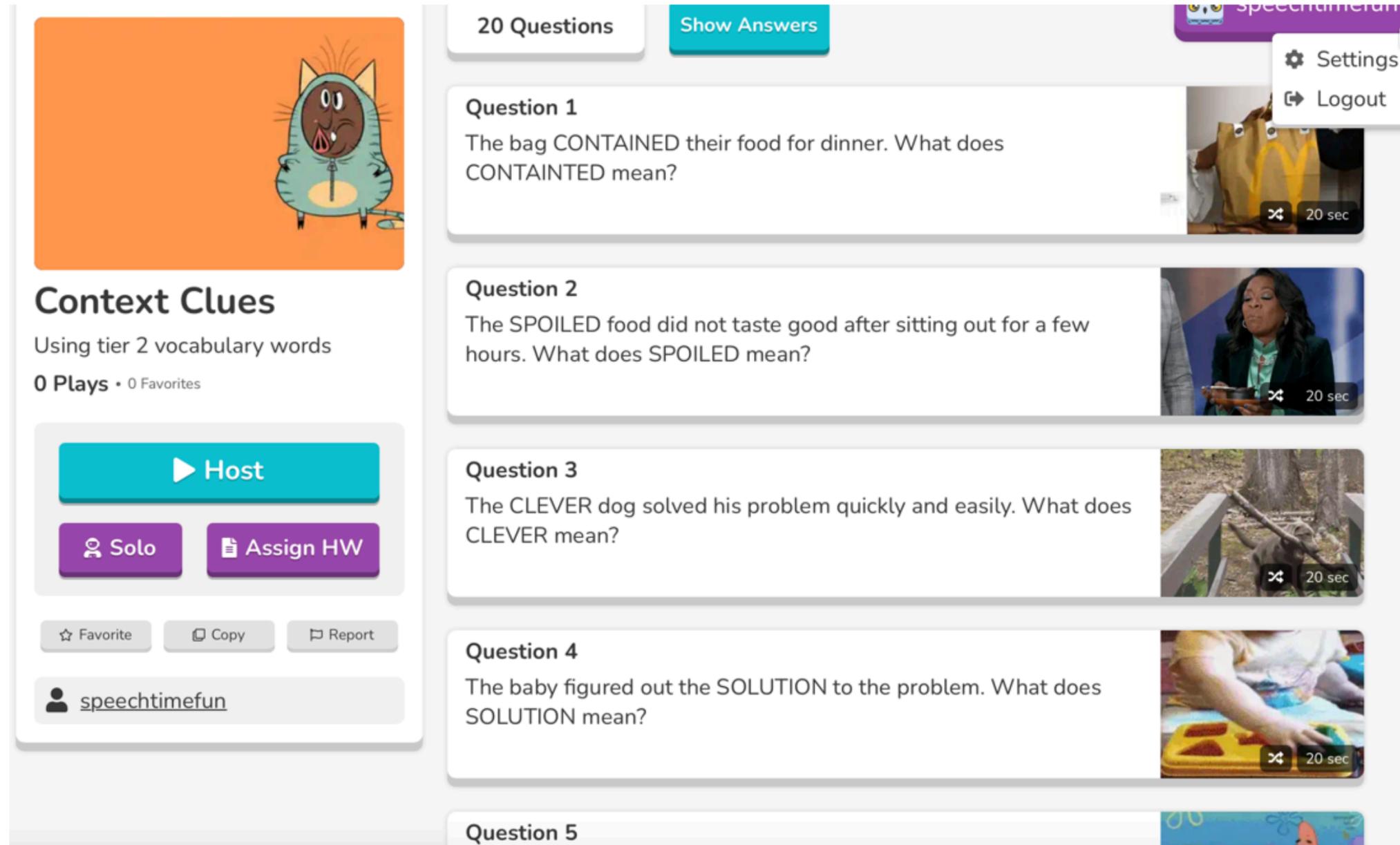
Add answer 4 (optional)

# Blooket

The screenshot displays the Blooket 'Discover' page. At the top, a search bar contains the text 'context clues'. Below the search bar, several question sets are listed. The first set, titled 'Context Clues!', has 26 questions and 38,654 plays by user 'mrseubanks'. The second set, also titled 'Context Clues!', has 26 questions and 230,358 plays by user 'ABOUTEVERYTHING'. A third set is partially visible, titled 'Context Clues!' with 26 questions and 230,360 plays, 1,769 favorites, and a 'Host' button. To the right, a list of questions is shown, including: 'Question 1: She penned a letter to her aunt. What does penned mean?', 'Question 2: She sprinted across the soccer field. What does spinted mean?', 'Question 3: Her dog bays at the moon. What does bays mean?', and 'Question 4: The bear was joyful. What does joyful mean?'. A purple sidebar on the left contains navigation options: 'Create', 'Discover', 'My Sets', 'Favorites', 'History', 'Homework', 'Play', and 'Settings'. A purple overlay menu is also visible, mirroring these options. The top right corner shows a user profile for 'speechtimefun' with 'Settings' and 'Logout' options.

# Let's Play Blooket!

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The screenshot displays the Blooket dashboard for a game set titled "Context Clues". The set is created by the user "speechtimefun" and contains 20 questions. The interface includes a "Host" button, "Solo" and "Assign HW" options, and utility buttons for "Favorite", "Copy", and "Report". The main area shows the first four questions, each with a 20-second video clip illustrating the context for a vocabulary word.

**Context Clues**  
Using tier 2 vocabulary words  
0 Plays • 0 Favorites

**20 Questions** **Show Answers**

**Question 1**  
The bag **CONTAINED** their food for dinner. What does **CONTAINED** mean?

**Question 2**  
The **SPOILED** food did not taste good after sitting out for a few hours. What does **SPOILED** mean?

**Question 3**  
The **CLEVER** dog solved his problem quickly and easily. What does **CLEVER** mean?

**Question 4**  
The baby figured out the **SOLUTION** to the problem. What does **SOLUTION** mean?

**Question 5**

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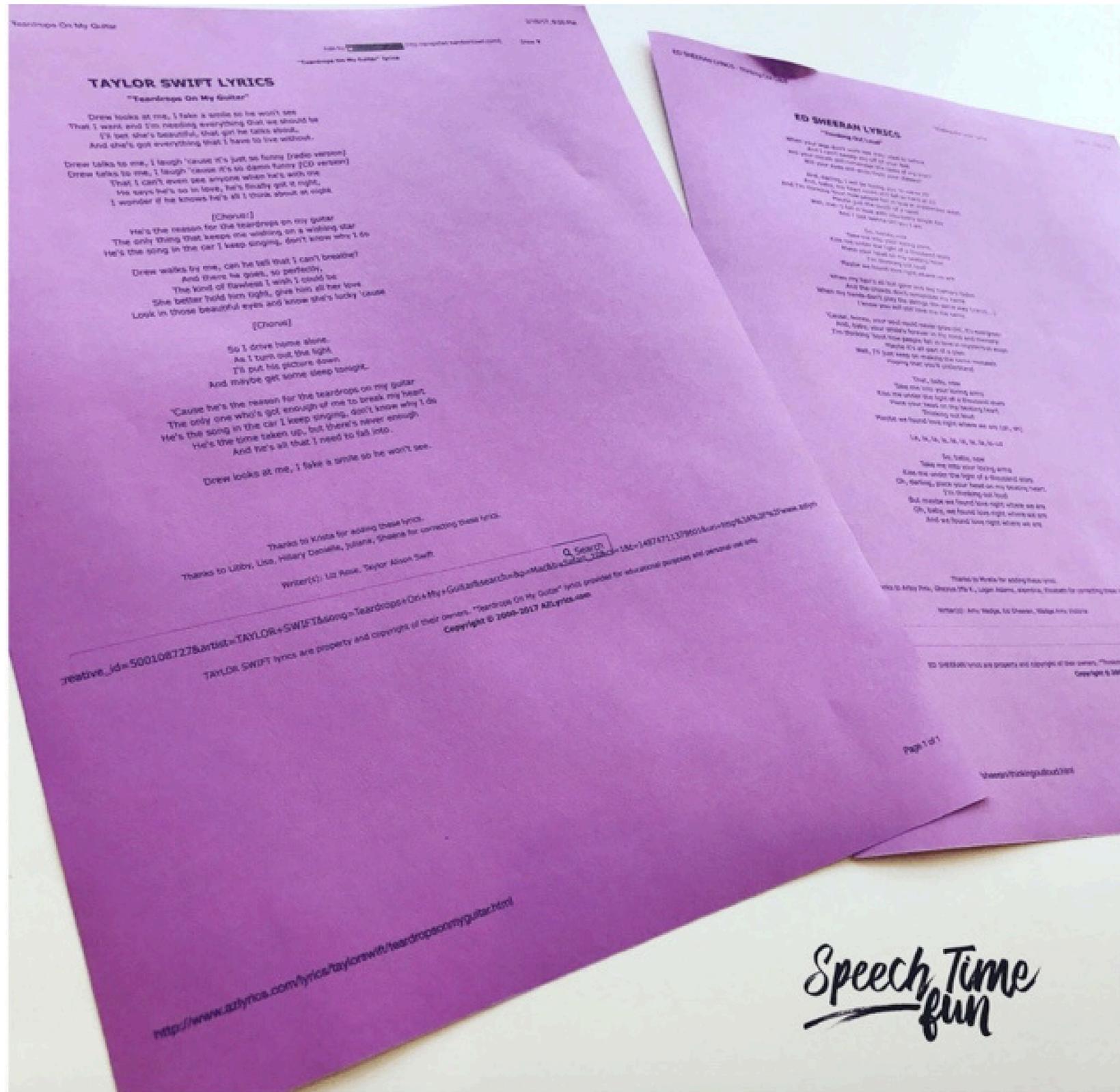
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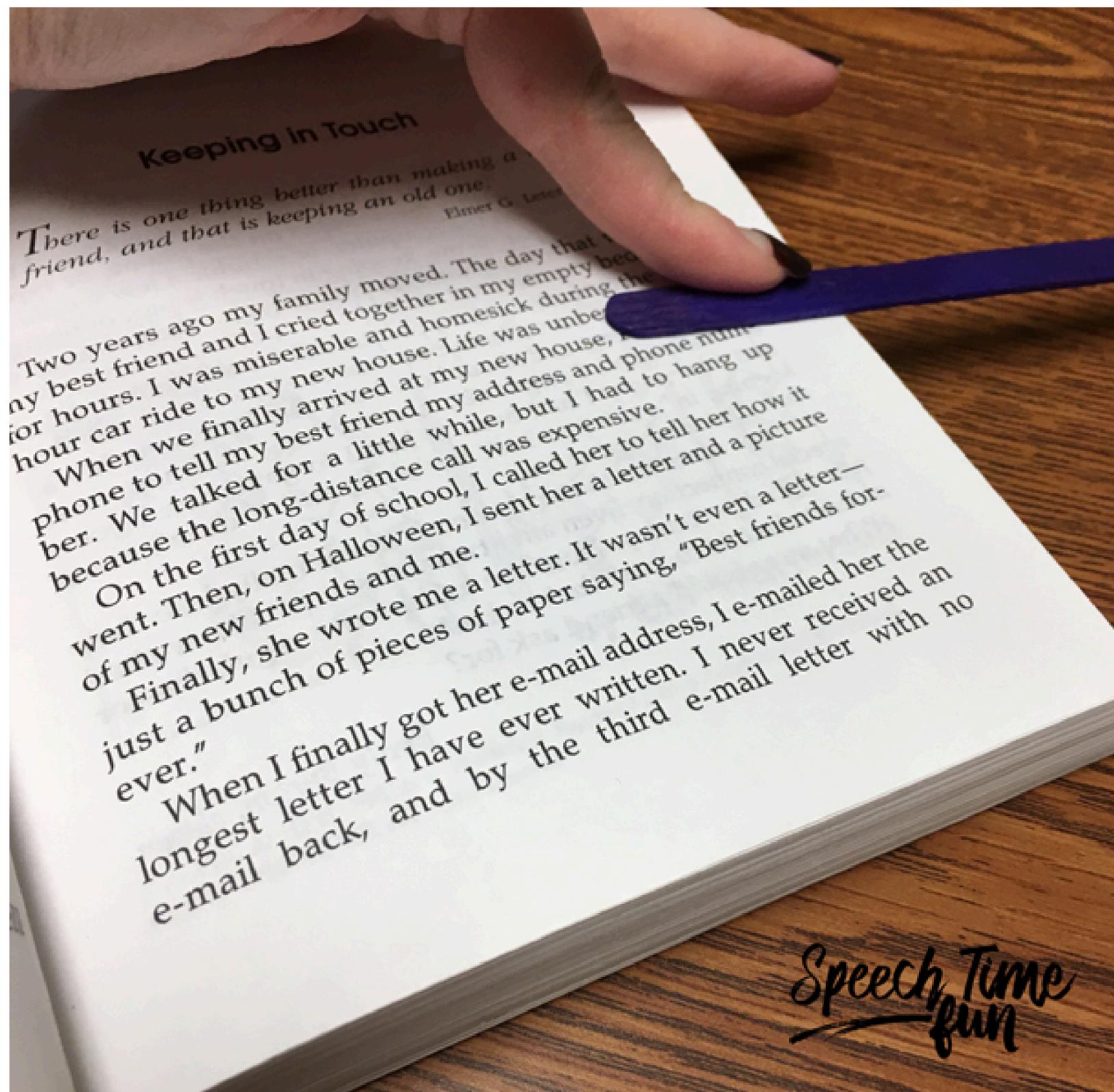


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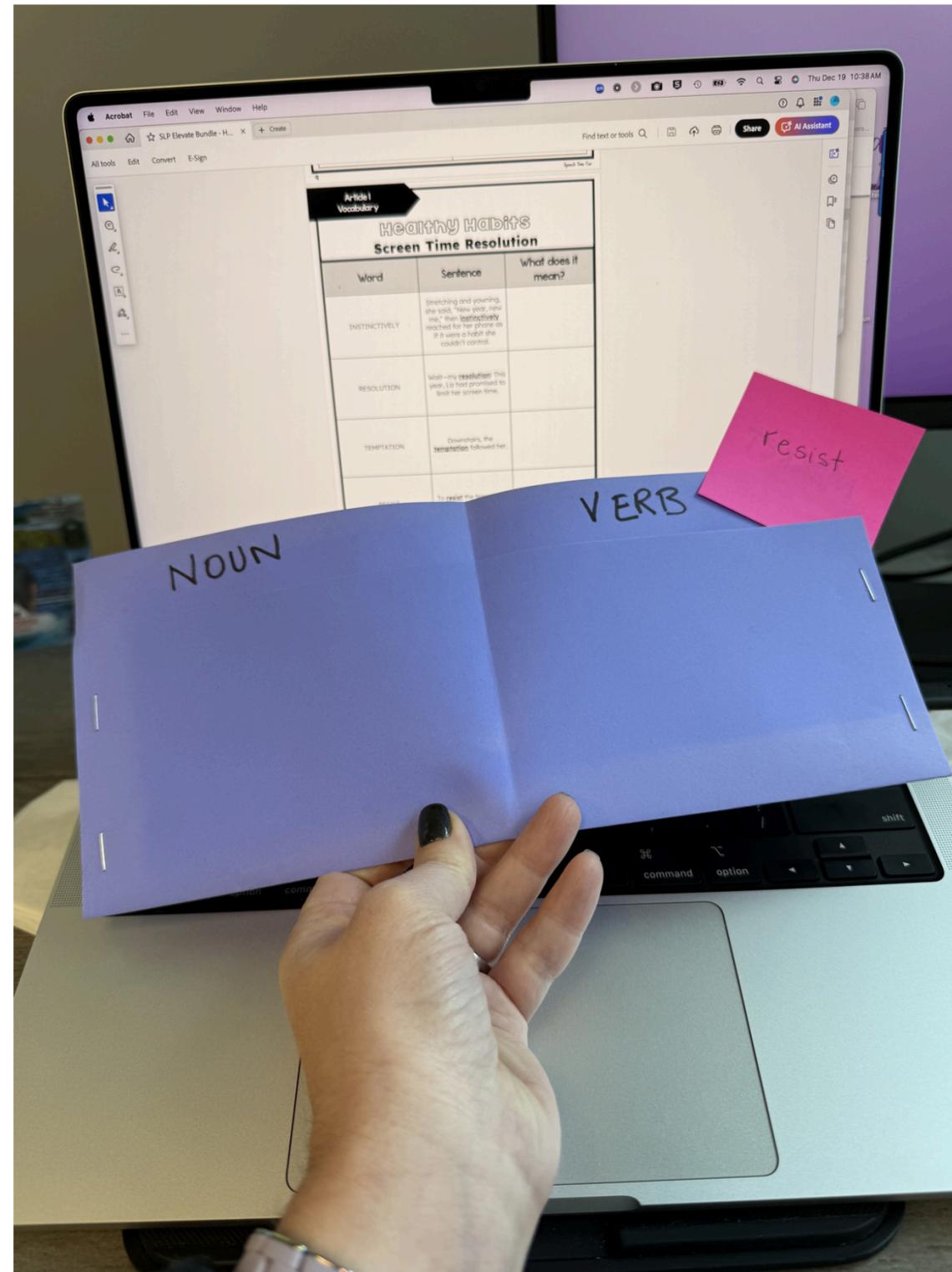


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# Other Low Prep Vocab Ideas!



# Other Low Prep Vocab Ideas!



**Tons of free tools to do  
so virtually!**

**And you can use these  
tools in person too!**

**Our students benefit from  
explicit vocabulary  
instruction**

**Tier 2 is a great place  
to start!**

**Our students need strategies!  
They have been exposed to  
these words already!**

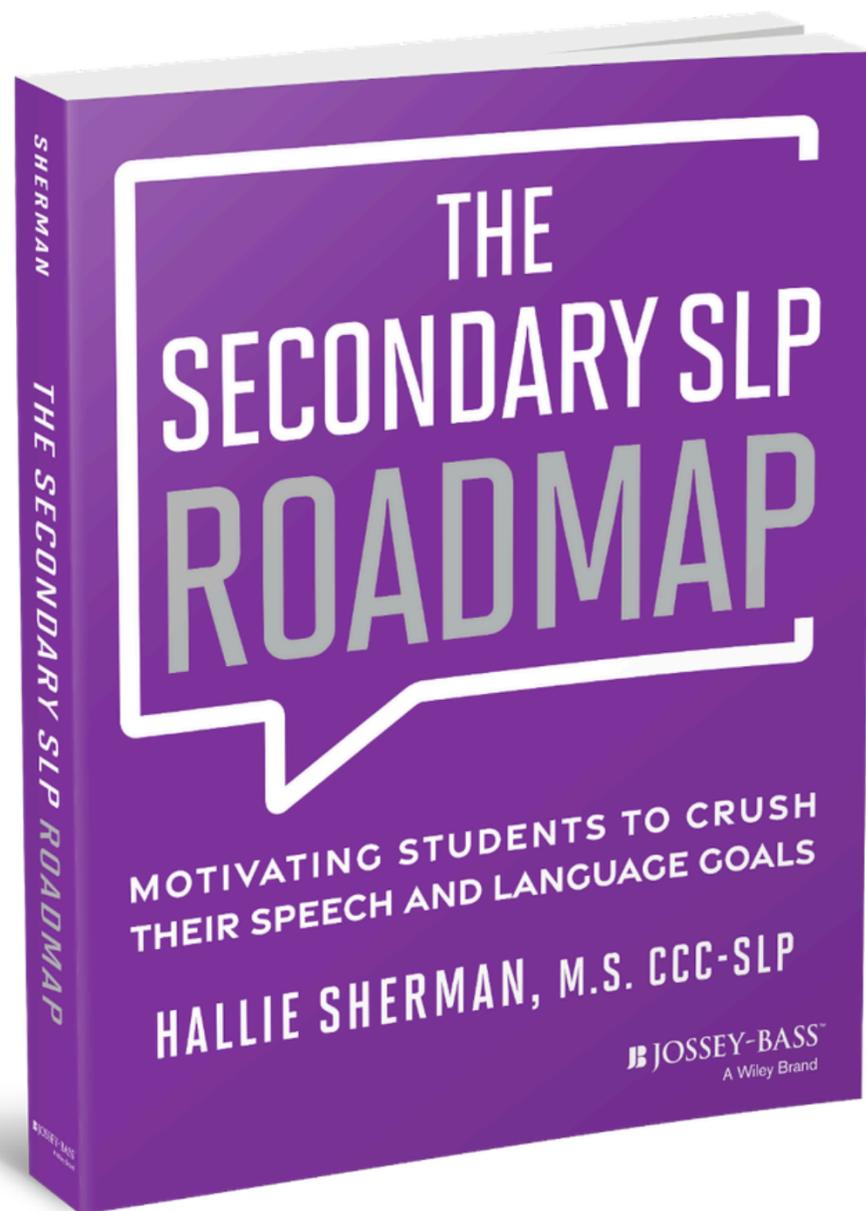
**They need to be  
successful when we are  
not around!**

**And provide them with  
the meaningful  
exposures they need!**

# **We can see progress!**

We just need to provide tons of opportunities of meaningful exposures to vocabulary and model what to do when they come across unknown words.





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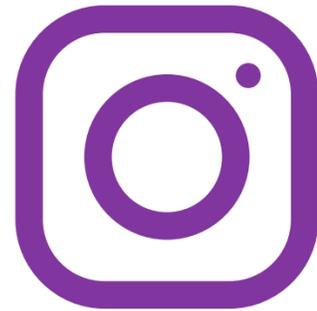
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