

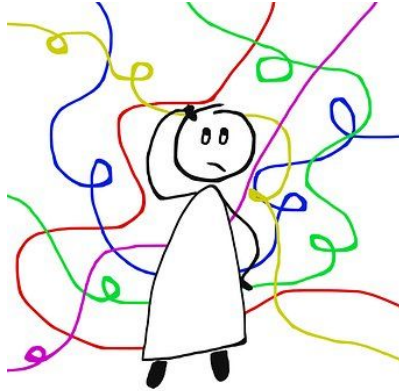


COLEGIO DE FOMENTO
MONTEALTO

5th & 6th Grade Activity Booklet



Most Common ABBREVIATIONS



An **abbreviation** is the short form of a word or phrase.
Abbreviate each word given below.

Mister	
Mistress (pronounce Misses)	
Doctor	
Drive	
Street	
United States of America	
Saint	
Approximately	
Apartment	
Etcetera	

ADVERBS



Adverbs describe or give us information about the way something is done.

Example: He is walking slowly.



'Slowly' describes HOW he is walking.

Circle the 'how' adverb and underline the word it is describing.

1. We patiently waited for our turn in line.
2. Charles swims well.
3. She sang beautifully at the concert.
4. I accidentally spilled water on the floor.
5. They almost finished their homework.
6. Camilla usually dresses elegantly.
7. He ran quickly to the bathroom.
8. She spoke softly to her children.
9. immediately

10. carefully

ALPHABET GAME



Write the name of a country next to each letter of the alphabet.

A _____

B _____

C _____

D _____

E _____

F _____

G _____

H _____

I _____

J _____

K _____

L _____

M _____

N _____

O _____

P _____

Q _____

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W _____

X _____


Y _____

Z _____

Complete with **THIS**, **THAT**, **THESE** or **THOSE**.

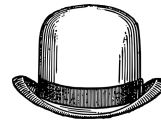
1. _____ is a girl. 




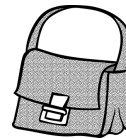
2. _____ is an ice cream. 




3. _____ is a hat. 




4. _____ is a handbag. 




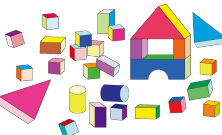
5. _____ are houses. 




6. _____ are the boots. 



7. _____ are my toys. 



8. _____ is the school bus. 



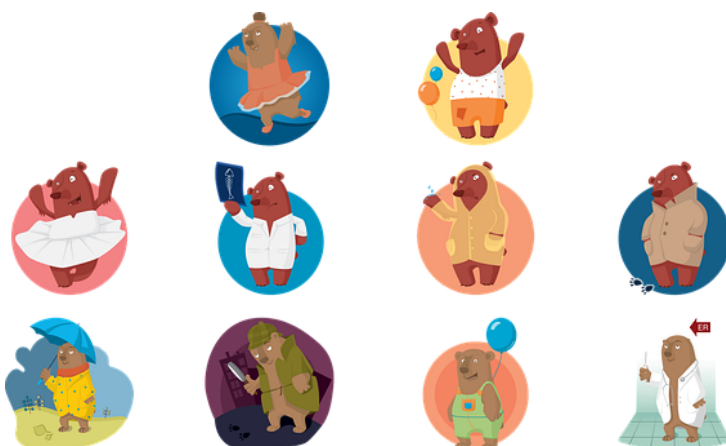


INFINITIVES

Choose the correct answer: *To + infinitive or infinitive without to.*

1. They planned _____ me to their wedding.
invite
to invite
2. I find it hard _____ in noisy places.
study
to study
3. I've heard her _____ a song.
sing
to sing
4. Are you ready _____?
go
to go
5. I saw her _____ her dog this morning.
walk
to walk
6. They didn't let us _____ in pairs.
work
to work
7. Remember _____ me back.
call
to call
8. Can you show me how _____?
cook
to cook
9. He asked if he could _____ because he was feeling very tired.
sit
to sit
10. You'd rather _____ with me this afternoon?
not stay
not to stay

What are you GOOD AT?



Good at + ing form of verb examples:

I am good at **drawing**.

She is good at **writing** poetry.

They are good at **playing** soccer.

Try to make sentences using the verbs in the box:

speak	solve	cook	select	ride	answer	paint	make	fix	sing
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1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____



IRREGULAR VERBS

Infinitive	Past	Past Participle
1. be	_____	_____
2. begin	_____	_____
3. bring	_____	_____
4. build	_____	_____
5. buy	_____	_____
6. catch	_____	_____
7. come	_____	_____
8. cut	_____	_____
9. do	_____	_____
10. draw	_____	_____

11. eat	<hr/>	<hr/>
12. fall	<hr/>	<hr/>
13. feel	<hr/>	<hr/>
14. find	<hr/>	<hr/>
15. get	<hr/>	<hr/>
16. give	<hr/>	<hr/>
17. go	<hr/>	<hr/>
18. have	<hr/>	<hr/>
19. hear	<hr/>	<hr/>
20. know	<hr/>	<hr/>
21. let	<hr/>	<hr/>
22. lose	<hr/>	<hr/>
23. make	<hr/>	<hr/>
24. put	<hr/>	<hr/>
25. read	<hr/>	<hr/>
26. run	<hr/>	<hr/>
27. say	<hr/>	<hr/>
28. sit	<hr/>	<hr/>
29. speak	<hr/>	<hr/>
30. swim	<hr/>	<hr/>

31. take	<hr/>	<hr/>
32. teach	<hr/>	<hr/>
33. tell	<hr/>	<hr/>
35. think	<hr/>	<hr/>
36. wear	<hr/>	<hr/>
37. win	<hr/>	<hr/>
38. write	<hr/>	<hr/>
39. choose	<hr/>	<hr/>
40. grow	<hr/>	<hr/>
41. become	<hr/>	<hr/>
42. blow	<hr/>	<hr/>
43. break	<hr/>	<hr/>
44. cost	<hr/>	<hr/>
45. dream	<hr/>	<hr/>
46. drink	<hr/>	<hr/>
47. drive	<hr/>	<hr/>
48. fly	<hr/>	<hr/>
49. forget	<hr/>	<hr/>
50. learn	<hr/>	<hr/>

REGULAR or IRREGULAR



1. switch _____

2. heart _____

3. glass _____

4. fox _____

5. tooth _____

6. mouse _____

7. dress _____

8. book _____

9. hero _____

10. foot _____

11. pencil _____

12. wolf _____

13. child _____

14. dish _____

15. flower _____

16. woman _____

17. box _____

18. wife _____

19. clock _____

20. baby _____

21. cherry _____

22. fish _____

23. lunch _____

24. vulcano _____

25. game _____

26. sheep _____

27. leaf _____

28. horse _____

29. shoe _____

30. man _____





SONG BINGO

Come up with 9 different songs that include the words below:

BABY Song title:	HAPPY Song title:	COLD Song title:
TRUE Song title:	WORLD Song title:	LIFE Song title:
LOVE Song title:	EYES Song title:	MAGIC Song title:

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

You are a POP

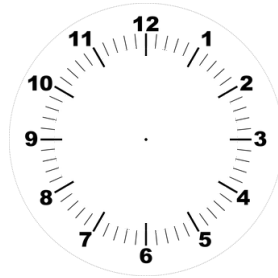


in the making!

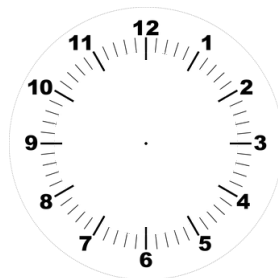
WHAT TIME IS IT?

Draw the same time as the digital clock on the analog clock.

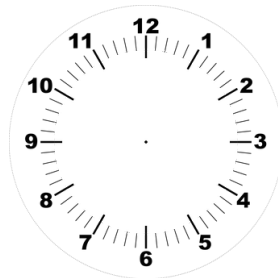
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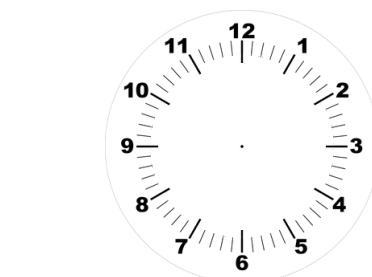
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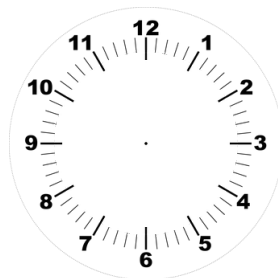
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4.



5.



KITCHEN VOCAB

S _ _ _ _ _



B _ _ _ _



B _ _ _ _



G _ _ _ _



A _ _ _ _ _



S _ _ _ _ _



O _ _ _ _



C _ _ _ _ _



F _ _ _



S _ _ _ _



K _ _ _ _





Make a Wordsearch

Make up a list of a words, then ask someone in your family to search for them.

[illegible]

Welcome to Montealto's Summer Reading Bingo Challenge

How to play: You may only use one book per square. When you have read a book following the directions in the square you mark the square with an "X" to show that the task has been completed.

Once all of the squares have been marked with an "X" you have completed the Reading Bingo Challenge!!!

Good luck and happy reading!!!

R	E	A	D
<i>Under a tree</i>	Out loud to my brother or sister	In my pyjamas	At the park
Out loud to Grandma or Grandpa	While wearing a costume	<i>In a secret hideout</i>	Out loud to Dad
<i>With a flashlight</i>	<i>On the stairs</i>	In my bed	In the car
Anywhere you want	<i>At the library</i>	In the morning	On the patio
In the kitchen	While wearing my swimming suit	On the couch	<i>Out loud to mom</i>
On Mom and Dad's bed	In the garden	Out loud to my friend	In silence

Guidelines for writing book reviews

Copy the guide below to help you write a book review of a book that you have read recently.



Title: _____

Author: _____

(Complete in full, using capital letters as necessary.)

Main Characters: (Only the most important people.)

Summary: (Brief outline only, but in the right order.)

Opinions: (Your own views.)

Plot: (What happens? Is it believable, exciting etc?)

Characters: (Do they seem real? Do you like or dislike them?)

Language: (Write a different ending)

Montealto's Story Writing Map



Who?



What?

Where?



How?



Why?



What happens next?



How does it end?





Character traits



What Are Character Traits?



Before we begin, I want you to take time to think about your friends, family members, neighbours, or just anyone who you meet on a regular basis. Without thinking about their physical appearance, how would you describe them to someone else? Are these people funny? Sincere? Sneaky? Stubborn?

These are just a few descriptive adjectives used to describe someone's personality, and that is exactly what character traits are. They are words used to describe how characters act during certain situations or what kind of people they are. Character traits are sometimes described as good or bad, and everyone has them. You can even identify character traits in characters you see in movies, TV shows, and books!

There are many different words to describe a person's character traits, here are just a few of them...



- active
- adventurous
- afraid
- ambitious
- angry
- bored
- bossy
- brave
- clever
- clumsy
- confident
- confused
- cruel
- curious
- depressed
- determined



- dishonest
- easy-going
- embarrassed
- friendly
- funny
- glamorous
- grumpy
- happy
- honest
- ignorant
- imaginative
- impatient
- innocent
- intelligent
- lazy
- lucky



- mysterious
- nervous
- noisy
- popular
- quiet
- responsible
- scared
- serious
- shy
- strange
- sweet
- weak



All kinds of adjectives...

(an adjective word is a word that is used to describe a noun)

Appearance

attractive
elegant
glamorous
handsome
lovely
perfect

Personality

aggressive
brave clumsy
cruel
generous
helpful
mysterious
selfish
talented

Shape

Curved
Narrow
Deep
flat

Feelings (Positive)

brave
calm
proud
silly

Feelings (Negative)

anxious
clumsy
nervous

Touch

bumpy
rough
smooth

Quantity

Empty
Heavy
light

Taste

bitter
fresh
juicy
tasteless
icy
sticky
spicy
greasy

Size

Gigantic
Huge
Massive
Teeny-ting

Time

Old-fashioned
Quick
early

Sound

thundering

Descriptive Words

Hard

- **Complicated**
- **tough**

Happy

- delighted
- glad

Large

- *big*
- *enormous*
- *huge*

Kind

- loving
- patient
- sweet

Walk

- hike
- march
- stroll

Small

- Little
- tiny

Easy

- simple

**Why not write
your own list?**

Funny

- amusing

Run

- *race*
- *rush*

SAD

- **DEPRESSED**
- **UNHAPPY**



Other ways to say...

Nice

**lovely
pleasing
enjoyable**

happy

**delighted
cheerful
pleased
glad**

good

**Excellent
amazing super
wonderful
fantastic**

bad

**awful
terrific
unpleasant
lousy**

like

**admire
cherish
approve
treasure**

laughed

sad

**miserable
depressed
unhappy
upset**

**giggled
chuckled
roared
grinned**

said

commented
replied
explained
exclaimed
shouted

big

huge giant
enormous
large
colossal

little

small
tiny
itsy-bitsy
teeny

pretty

beautiful
gorgeous
cute lovely
attractive
elegant
handsome

looked

gazed
glanced
peeked
stared

scared

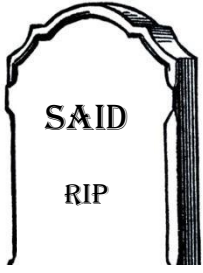
afraid
frightened
horrified
alarmed

walked

strolled
tiptoed
marched
crept

ran

sped
rushed
fled
raced



Said is dead... but *how* did they say it?

Normally?

- ❖ spoke
- ❖ reported
- ❖ added

As a question?

- ❖ asked

As an answer?

- ❖ answered
- ❖ explained

Happily?

- ❖ laughed
- ❖ joked

Loudly?

- ❖ shouted
- ❖ screamed
- ❖ exclaimed

Full of worry?

- ❖ trembled
- ❖ stuttered

Angrily?

- ❖ demanded
- ❖ barked

Bossily?

- ❖ ordered
- ❖ insisted

Sadly?

- ❖ cried
- ❖ sobbed

Quietly?

- ❖ whispered

Silently?

- ❖ Thought

Words to avoid using

“Very”

afraid – ***terrified***

angry – ***furious***

bad – ***atrocious***

beautiful – ***exquisite***

big – ***immense***

bright – ***dazzling***

clean – ***spotless***

clever – ***brilliant***

cold – ***freezing*** dirty

– ***squalid***

dry – ***parched***

fast – ***quick***

good – ***superb***

happy – ***jubilant***

hot – ***scalding***

hungry – ***ravenous***

large – ***colossal***

neat – ***immaculate***

old – ***ancient*** poor

– ***destitute*** pretty

– ***beautiful*** quiet

– ***silent***

risky – ***perilous***

roomy – ***spacious***

rude – ***vulgar***

serious – ***solemn***

small – ***tiny***

stupid – ***idiotic***

tasty – ***delicious***

tired – ***exhausted***

ugly – ***hideous***

weak – ***feeble***

wet – ***soaked***

worried – ***anxious***

Transition words and phrases

Word or phrases to help sequence ideas or transition between sentences or paragraphs

- First.... Second.... Third....
- First... next.... Then.... Last.... Finally
- At first
- At last
- Finally
- Later
- Soon

Words or phrases to show location

- Above , across, against
- along, among, around
- Behind, below, beneath
- beside, between, by
- Down, in front of, inside
- into, near, off
- On top of, outside, over
- to the right, under

Words or phrases to add information

- Again
- Also
- Another
- And
- Besides
- For example
- For instance
- Next
- Finally

Words or phrases
to show time

- Today
- Next
- Tomorrow
- Before
- Now
- Next week
- When suddenly
- Yesterday
- Finally

Words or phrases
to contrast things

- But
- Yet
- On the other hand

Words or phrases
to help conclude a
piece of writing

- In conclusion
- Finally
- Therefore
- As a result
- In summary

Idioms

Idioms are word combinations that have meanings that can't be figured out by looking up the words in the dictionary.

They have meanings that are understood by people who speak that language, but are very hard to understand for people who don't speak that language.



Saved by the bell

(Saved from something at the last minute)

On the same page

*(To understand something the same way;
to have the same thoughts about something)*



Eats like a bird/sparrow

(Eats very little)

On top of the world

(Feeling great)



In hot water

(In trouble)



Raining cats and dogs

(Raining very heavily)



Back to the drawing board

(Have to start something from the beginning again)

Smell a rat

(Know that there is something suspicious happening)

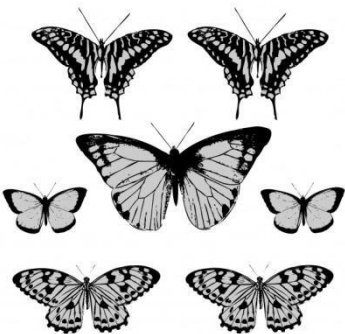


A piece of cake

(Something is very easy)

When pigs fly

(Something that will probably never happen)

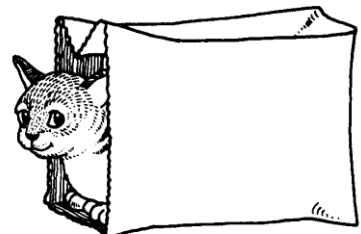


Butterflies in my stomach

(To be nervous about something)

To let the cat out of the bag

(To let someone know something secret)

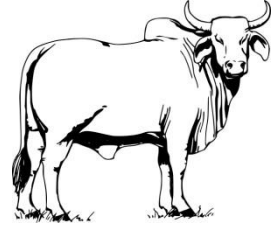


Similes

A simile is a type of idiom. It likens one thing to another thing.

As strong as an ox

(about a person with great strength)

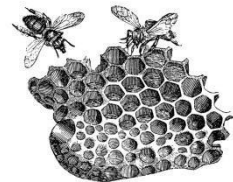


As light as a feather

(when something weighs very little)

As busy as a bee

(about a person who is working a lot)



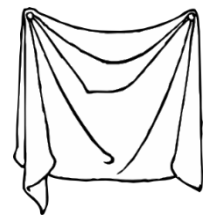
As quiet as a mouse

(someone who is shy and untalkative;

someone who is being quiet so as not to be heard)

As white as a sheet

(when someone's face is white due to fear)



As black as night

(when something is very black or dark)

To eat like a horse

(to describe someone who always has a big appetite)

