



Suffixes

Directions: Review the suffixes and their meanings. Then, form new words with the suffixes and write the definition of each new word.

SUFFIX	MEANING
-al	action, result of an action
-dom	place, state of being
-ness	state, condition, quality of
-ward	in a specified direction

1. accident + al = _____

Definition:

2. star + dom = _____

Definition:

3. kind + ness = _____

Definition:

4. sea+ ward = _____

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Survivors

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"I will survive, I will survive," he said over and over again to the stinging, icy wind, dragging his frozen legs forward, step by painful step. He shared what little food he had left with the dog, who bravely kept pace with the man, stopping occasionally to lap an icy drink from the snow.

As the two neared the cave, a fierce wind blew, pushing them backward with great force. For the first time, the man's strength failed. His legs gave way beneath him like the worn planks of an old house. The dog, realizing his master's inability to stand, grasped him firmly by one arm and dragged him into the shelter of the cave.



Analyzing Story Elements

Directions: Refer to the passage "Survivors" as you complete this page. Answer all questions in complete sentences.

1. Who are the characters in this passage? What is the setting?

2. What happens in the story?

3. How do the man's words and actions affect the plot of the story?

4. How does the setting affect the plot of the story?



Content Vocabulary

Directions: Read the vocabulary words. Then, find each word in the Glossary and write its definition.

1. reluctant

2. coaxed

3. inspired

4. exhibiting

5. resides

6. media



Directions: Think about today’s session. What is the most important thing you learned today? Write your ideas on the lines below. Make sure you begin each sentence with a capital letter and end each sentence with a punctuation mark.

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Suffixes

Directions: Underline the suffix in each word below. Then, use the words to complete the sentences.

westward

disposal

happiness

wisdom

1. For correct _____ of paint, you should take it to the proper recycling center.
2. Grandfather's words of _____ always seem to help us out of a bind.
3. The storm's sudden _____ movement caused alarm for many residents.
4. You could see the _____ on Eliza's face after she won the race.



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Directions: Refer to the passage “A Starry Night” as you complete this page. Answer all questions in complete sentences.

1. Who are the characters in this passage? What is the setting?

2. What happens in the story?

3. Choose one character from the passage. How do this character’s words and actions affect the plot of the story?

4. How does the setting affect the plot of the story?



Content Vocabulary

Directions: Write the vocabulary word that matches each pair of synonyms and antonyms in the chart.

reluctant	resides	exhibiting
inspired	coaxed	media

VOCABULARY WORD	SYNONYM	ANTONYM
	talked into	intimidated
	presenting	concealing
	excited	uncaring
	network	NO ANTONYM
	resistant	eager
	occupies	abandons

Directions: Think about today’s session. What question do you have about something you learned today? Write your ideas on the lines below. Make sure you begin each sentence with a capital letter and end each sentence with a punctuation mark.

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Syllabication

Directions: Place a line between the syllables in each word. Write the number of syllables on the line. Then, read each word.

1. kingdom _____
2. disposal _____
3. northward _____
4. ugliness _____
5. homeward _____
6. brightness _____
7. freedom _____



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Directions: Write a paragraph in which you analyze a character, the setting, the plot, and the theme of the passage “A Starry Night.” Include general details about the plot, as well as details about how a character’s words, actions, or thoughts affect the plot, how the setting affects the plot, and how certain parts of the plot help establish the theme. Make sure you begin each sentence with a capital letter and end each sentence with a punctuation mark. Check your spelling when you are finished writing.

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Content Vocabulary Review

Directions: Write a sentence for each vocabulary word. Each sentence should reflect details from the passage "A Starry Night."

1. coaxed

2. inspired

3. resides

4. media

Directions: Complete each sentence.

1. _____ is a synonym for exhibiting.

2. _____ is an antonym for reluctant.



Directions: Think about today's session. What can you do now that you couldn't do before? OR What do you know now that you didn't know before? Write your ideas on the lines below. Make sure you begin each sentence with a capital letter and end each sentence with a punctuation mark.

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