



Roots

Directions: Review the roots and their meanings in the chart. Then, underline the root in each word and write its definition on the line.

<i>ROOT</i>	<i>MEANING</i>
scrip/scribe	write
spec/spect	see or look
mit/miss	send or let go

1. submit

2. describe

3. inspect

4. postscript

5. spectator



Lion's Story

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"I'm so sorry, Lion," Mouse said. "I was trying to get some of those berries you dropped. Please don't eat me! If you let me go, I will be your friend forever, and one day I may even be able to save your life!"



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Well, the very next day, I was caught in a hunter's net. I struggled and roared as the net wrapped tighter and tighter around me. Suddenly, Mouse appeared at my side and started nibbling his way through the ropes of the net. I could not believe my eyes. Within minutes, I was free!

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Point of View

Directions: Refer to the passage “Lion’s Story” as you complete this page. Answer all questions in complete sentences.

1. What information does Lion provide about himself?

2. How does Lion describe the some of the events of the story?

3. How does Lion’s point of view affect what the reader understands about the story?

4. Pretend you are Lion. Explain how you got stuck in the hunter’s net.



Content Vocabulary

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

1. scurrying

2. peeked

3. desperate

4. fierce

5. scampered

6. gratitude



Directions: Think about today’s session. Write about something that was challenging for you. OR Write about what you would like to have more practice with. 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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retrospect omit description spectrum permission

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1. The rainbow has a wide _____ of colors.
2. In _____, I should have worn layers to the race.
3. We need _____ to enter the dog park.
4. In her essay, Rose gave a beautiful _____ of her grandmother.
5. Make sure you don't _____ any important facts from your presentation.



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4. Pretend you are Mouse. Give more details about how you rescued Lion from the hunter’s net.



Content Vocabulary

Directions: Review the words and their definitions. Then, use the vocabulary words to answer the questions below.

WORD	DEFINITION
scurrying	moving with short, quick steps
peeked	looked quickly, especially from a hidden location
desperate	involving a last-chance effort when faced with a bad situation
fierce	strong and powerful
scampered	ran quickly
gratitude	the quality of being thankful for an act of kindness

1. Which vocabulary word is an antonym for gentle? _____
2. Which vocabulary word is an antonym for walking? _____
3. Which vocabulary word is a synonym for dashed? _____
4. Which vocabulary word is a synonym for watched? _____
5. Which vocabulary word is an antonym for confident? _____
6. Which vocabulary word is a synonym for appreciation? _____

Directions: Think about today’s session. How do you feel about your Vocabulary skills? 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: Divide the following words into syllables. Then, read each word.

WORD	WORD DIVIDED INTO SYLLABLES
inscription	
perspective	
dismissal	
transcribe	

Directions: Answer each question with one of the words from above.

1. Which word refers to the act of letting people go? _____
2. Which word means "to write thoughts or notes"? _____
3. Which word can refer to words that have been written in a book?

4. Which word refers to a way of seeing something? _____



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Directions: Think about the passages “Lion’s Story” and “Mouse’s Story.” Write a paragraph about Lion’s capture and rescue from the point of view of the hunter. Your paragraph should describe what the hunter does, thinks, and feels. 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: Review the vocabulary words and definitions. Choose a vocabulary word from the chart and write the word on the line below. Next, write a synonym for the word and an antonym for the word. Then, write one sentence for the word's synonym and one sentence for the word's antonym.

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Vocabulary word: _____

Synonym: _____

Antonym: _____

1. Synonym Sentence:

2. Antonym Sentence:

Learning Log

Directions: Think about today’s session. How do you feel about your Fluency skills? 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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