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**Instructions:** Authors generally write a book for a purpose: to inform, to entertain, or to persuade. Write the page number in the left-hand box when you come across a strong example of the evidence supporting one of the purposes. When you are finished reading, write the words for that example in the correct right-hand box.

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**Instructions:** Read the sentences below. Then identify the *independent clause*, the *dependent clause*, and the subordinating *conjunction*. Write them on the lines provided.

1. Polar bears are in danger of becoming extinct because the world is getting warmer.

Independent clause: \_\_\_\_\_

Dependent clause: \_\_\_\_\_

Subordinating Conjunction: \_\_\_\_\_

2. ANWR was created while other parts of the world were becoming more developed.

Independent clause: \_\_\_\_\_

Dependent clause: \_\_\_\_\_

Subordinating Conjunction: \_\_\_\_\_

3. The United States will become less reliant on foreign oil if ANWR is drilled for oil.

Independent clause: \_\_\_\_\_

Dependent clause: \_\_\_\_\_

Subordinating Conjunction: \_\_\_\_\_

4. The porcupine caribou always migrate across ANWR while the weather is very cold.

Independent clause: \_\_\_\_\_

Dependent clause: \_\_\_\_\_

Subordinating Conjunction: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Although oil was discovered in Prudhoe Bay, the energy crisis was not over.

Independent clause: \_\_\_\_\_

Dependent clause: \_\_\_\_\_

Subordinating Conjunction: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Instructions:** Some of the words below have suffixes, some have prefixes, and some have both prefixes and suffixes. Write the root words for each on the lines provided.

going \_\_\_\_\_

unlikely \_\_\_\_\_

shocked \_\_\_\_\_

laws \_\_\_\_\_

spilled \_\_\_\_\_

endangered \_\_\_\_\_

gallons \_\_\_\_\_

drilling \_\_\_\_\_

untouched \_\_\_\_\_

longest \_\_\_\_\_

Americans \_\_\_\_\_

independence \_\_\_\_\_

