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Homework Packet 8th Grade, Week 32

Name _____

Week begins _____ Due on _____

Each week, you are to complete your entire homework packet and turn it in the day your teacher assigns. You and your parent/guardian must also sign below, confirming you have completed and finished your homework to the best of your ability.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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Words from Occupations

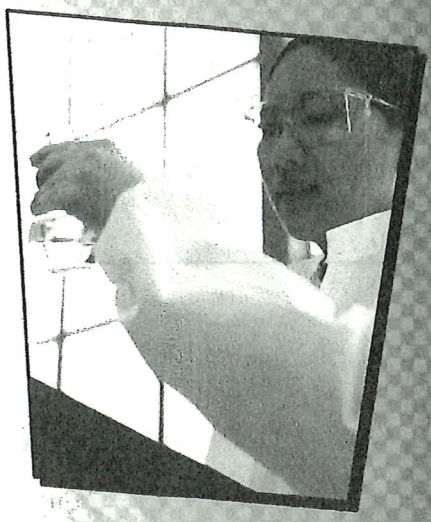
Lesson 32

TIP

Words that name occupations are usually another form of a word related to that occupation. The suffixes **or, er, an, ist,** or **ive** are added to make the word mean "one who does something." For example, a librarian is one who works in a library. Here are some other examples.

manicure — manicurist announce — announcer
arbitrate — arbitrator represent — representative

The **list words** name occupations. Notice the special spelling patterns of each word. Memorize and practice spelling them.



Classification

Write a **list word** to complete each series.

1. hammer, nails, _____
2. jokes, laughter, _____
3. prescription, drugstore, _____
4. books, catalogue cards, _____
5. animals, medicine, _____
6. microphone, radio, _____
7. dentist, teeth, _____
8. nail file, polish, _____
9. wiring, outlets, _____
10. laboratory, chemicals, _____
11. owner, manager, _____

Dictionary Skills

Rewrite each of the following **list words** to show how they are divided into syllables.

1. proprietor _____
2. researcher _____
3. arbitrator _____
4. therapist _____
5. representative _____
6. administrator _____
7. analyst _____
8. vendor _____
9. paramedic _____
10. technician _____

LIST WORDS

1. *administrator*
2. *librarian*
3. *therapist*
4. *proprietor*
5. *electrician*
6. *arbitrator*
7. *vendor*
8. *paramedic*
9. *veterinarian*
10. *chemist*
11. *comedian*
12. *technician*
13. *representativ*
14. *announcer*
15. *pharmacist*
16. *hygienist*
17. *analyst*
18. *manicurist*
19. *carpenter*
20. *researcher*

Spelling word practice

In the space provided write each of your 20 spelling words 5 times, focus on writing legibly and spelling correctly.

DID YOU KNOW?

The word **comedian** once referred to a person who wrote comedies, or humorous works. William Shakespeare was the first to use it to mean "a humorous actor" in his play *Twelfth Night*, and it has carried that meaning to this day.



Spelling Practice

Word Analysis

Fill in the missing letters to form **list words**. Then, write the completed **list words** on the lines.

1. ph___rm___c___st _____
2. res___ ___rch___r _____
3. lib___ ___ ___ ___an _____
4. p___r___med___ ___ _____
5. rep___esen___ ___ ___ive _____
6. ven___ ___r _____
7. pr___p___ ___ ___t___r _____
8. arb___t___ ___t___r _____
9. a___ ___ounc___r _____
10. man___c___r___st _____

Vocabulary Development

Write the **list word** that matches each derivative given.

1. chemistry _____
2. electricity _____
3. therapy _____
4. technical _____
5. carpentry _____
6. analyze _____
7. comedy _____
8. administrate _____
9. hygiene _____
10. veterinary _____

Word Application

Write a **list word** to complete each sentence.

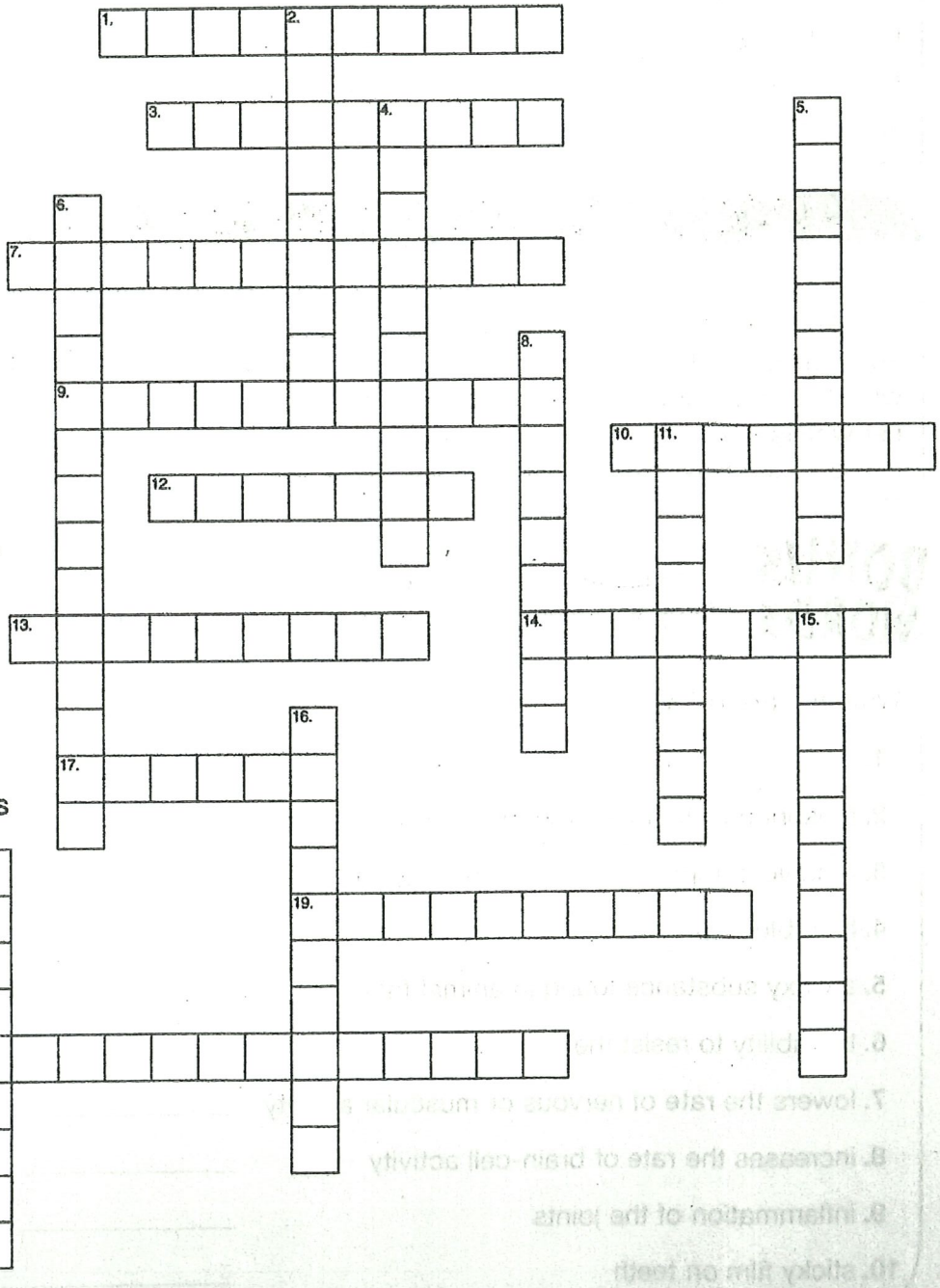
1. The _____ filled Grandpa's medicine prescription.
2. The _____ of the store listened to the customer's complaint.
3. Mr. Ortega is an _____ who settles disputes between labor and management.
4. Fatimah is a _____ trying to find new ways to recycle trash.
5. The _____ treated the injured people at the scene of the accident.
6. Kitty, our pet cat, was examined by Dr. Schwartz, the _____.
7. The _____ built new bookcases for the library.

LIST WORDS

vendor	arbitrator	administrator	paramedic
librarian	comedian	veterinarian	technician
therapist	hygienist	representative	manicurist
analyst	proprietor	announcer	carpenter
chemist	electrician	pharmacist	researcher

Puzzle

Use the **list words** to complete the crossword puzzle.



ACROSS

1. one who fixes fingernails
3. a specialist in physical or mental disorders
7. a doctor for animals
9. a person who installs electrical wiring
10. an expert in chemistry
12. a person who examines the details of something
13. one who assists a trained medical professional
14. a person who tells jokes and amusing stories
17. one who sells; a peddler
19. one who investigates in order to establish facts
20. one who manages or directs

DOWN

2. one who builds and repairs wooden things
4. one who dispenses medicines
5. a person skilled in the technicalities of a subject
6. one who speaks or acts for someone or something
8. one who introduces radio or television programs
11. a person who assists a dentist
15. one who settles disputes
16. one who owns and operates a business
18. a person who manages a library

Proofreading

Use the proofreading marks to correct the mistakes in the article. Write the misspelled **list words** correctly on the lines.

A reprisentative at a job-counseling center can give you a variety of helpful tips when you're looking for that first career job. For example, it doesnt matter whether you are looking for a position that requires a great deal of specialized training—such as a Vetrinarian or a chemmist—or a job that requires less training, such as a manikurist or an anouncer Most Job Counselors will tell you to avoid ruling out excellent jobs on the basis of geographic preferences. You probably wont be at your first job forever and may need to apply for lots of jobs before getting one you really like.

Proofreading Marks

spelling mistake / small letter
add apostrophe ⊙ add period

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____



Writing an Essay

Imagine that you have graduated from school and are looking for your first position. What would you pursue? Choose an occupation from one of the **list words** and write a short informative essay on why this kind of job would interest you. Use as many of the other **list words** in your essay as you can. When finished, proofread and revise your essay, and then share it with the class.

BONUS WORDS

cholesterol, hypertension, plaque, enzyme, arthritis, nicotine, stimulant, depressant, addiction, tolerance

Write the **bonus word** that matches each definition clue.

1. a complete dependence on a substance _____
2. poisonous substance found in tobacco leaves _____
3. organic compound that aids in digestion _____
4. high blood pressure _____
5. a waxy substance found in animal fats _____
6. the ability to resist the effects of stimuli _____
7. lowers the rate of nervous or muscular activity _____
8. increases the rate of brain-cell activity _____
9. inflammation of the joints _____
10. sticky film on teeth _____

Paragraph writing using spelling words

Use the space below to complete the paragraph writing prompt found in your spelling assignments. Carefully read and follow the directions provided, including proper sentence and paragraph structure.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Great Literature: *Jungle Book*

Jungle Book is a collection of stories by Rudyard Kipling. The book is about a young boy named Mowgli who survives in the jungle as a member of a wolf pack.

> *"This is the law of the jungle, it's old and it's true as the sky. And the wolf that should keep it may prosper, but the wolf who will break it must die. For the strength of the pack is the wolf and the strength of the wolf is the pack."*

Directions: Copy the excerpt from *Jungle Book* using proper cursive writing form. If you need more paper, use a copy of the practice paper.

Five Minute Multiplying Frenzy (Q)

Name: _____ Date: _____

Multiply each row number by each column number.
(Range 2 to 12)

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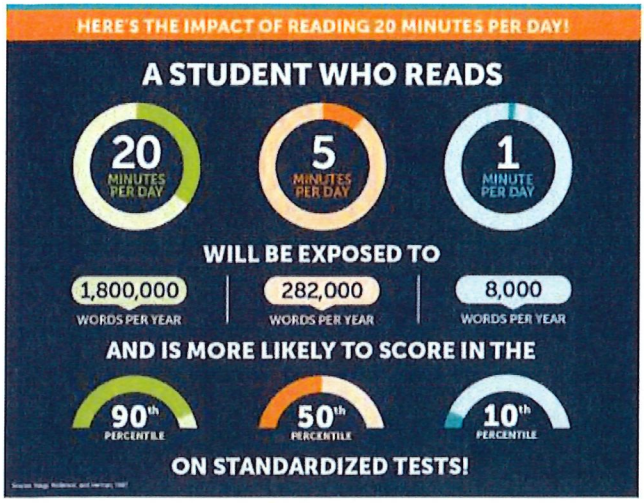
Time: _____ Score: _____ /100

Unknown Variables in Equations (D)

Name: _____ Date: _____

Determine the value of each variable.

1. $s = 15 + 16$
2. $d = 120 \div 15$
3. $h = 15 + 1$
4. $1 = 12 - y$
5. $n \times 11 = 132$
6. $k - 14 = 9$
7. $30 - 20 = v$
8. $r = 17 \div 17$
9. $t = 11 \times 14$
10. $120 = g \times 15$
11. $f \div 20 = 17$
12. $x = 12 \times 20$
13. $a + 20 = 26$
14. $z = 20 \times 7$
15. $10 = 140 \div j$
16. $324 = w \times 18$
17. $30 - 11 = b$
18. $p = 29 - 12$
19. $19 = 1 \times m$
20. $c = 18 - 8$



Part of the homework is reading 40 minutes a day. Weekend reading is encouraged and students can get credit for reading on Friday, Saturday and or Sunday. Reading each day is very important to help you become a better reader. Complete the log below each day you read.

Days I read:	What I read including book's title(s), chapter(s), or page number(s)	Amount of time I read: (Minutes)	Write a complete sentence explaining what you enjoyed, learned or read about.
Weekend			
Monday			
Tuesday			
Wednesday			
Thursday			
Total amount of time I read.		_____ Minutes	