

Grade 3 Classroom Reference Easy Worksheet Set 004

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Name: _____ Date: _____

Use alphabetical order, guide words, dictionary entries, and reference-source purposes to answer each item.

1. Write these words in alphabetical order: comet, meadow, timber.

Answer: _____

2. Would the word desert appear on a dictionary page with guide words coral and dragon?

Answer: _____

3. Which reference source would best help a student find a synonym for the word happy?

A dictionary

B thesaurus

C atlas

D encyclopedia

4. Dictionary entry: collect — to gather together. What part of speech is collect in this entry?

A noun

B verb

C adjective

D adverb

5. Write these words in alphabetical order: window, timber, rabbit.

Answer: _____

6. Would the word river appear on a dictionary page with guide words planet and saddle?

Answer: _____

7. Which reference source would best help a student find background facts about a historical event?

A dictionary

B thesaurus

C atlas

D encyclopedia

8. Dictionary entry: compare — to examine similarities and differences. What part of speech is compare in this entry?

A noun

B verb

C adjective

D adverb

9. Write these words in alphabetical order: crane, river, sparrow.

Answer: _____

10. Would the word sunset appear on a dictionary page with guide words sparrow and valley?

Answer: _____

11. Which reference source would best help a student find the location of a country on a map?

A dictionary

B thesaurus

C atlas

D encyclopedia

12. Dictionary entry: fragile — easily broken. What part of speech is fragile in this entry?

A noun

B verb

C adjective

D adverb

Answer Key

Answers for all 12 questions

1. comet, meadow, timber	2. yes
3. thesaurus	4. verb
5. rabbit, timber, window	6. yes
7. encyclopedia	8. verb
9. crane, river, sparrow	10. yes
11. atlas	12. adjective