

Grade 4 Writing Reference Challenge Worksheet Set 018

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Read each item carefully. Choose the best answer from the four options provided.

1. Write these words in alphabetical order: unique, process, organize, flexible, adapt, relevant.

Answer: _____

2. Would strategy appear on a dictionary page with guide words significant and summarize?

Answer: _____

3. Which reference source would best help a writer find an overview of a scientific topic?

A dictionary

B thesaurus

C atlas

D encyclopedia

4. Dictionary entry: precise — exact and carefully stated. Which part of speech is shown?

A noun

B verb

C adjective

D adverb

5. Revise the vague sentence using a precise word: "The evidence was big."

Answer: _____

6. Which sentence best states the conclusion of this short paragraph: "A seed needs water. It also needs warmth. These conditions help it sprout."

Answer: _____

7. Write these words in alphabetical order: calculate, ancient, unique, material, strategy, predict.

Answer: _____

8. Would material appear on a dictionary page with guide words adapt and approach?

Answer: _____

9. Which reference source would best help a writer find the location and physical features of a region?

A dictionary

B thesaurus

C atlas

D encyclopedia

10. Dictionary entry: *analyze* — to examine closely. Which part of speech is shown?

A noun

B verb

C adjective

D adverb

11. Revise the vague sentence using a precise word: "The storm was bad."

Answer: _____

12. Which sentence best states the conclusion of this short paragraph: "Mira compared both maps. One showed the older shoreline. The maps revealed how the coast changed."

Answer: _____

Answer Key

Answers for all 12 questions

1. adapt, flexible, organize, process, relevant, unique	2. yes
3. encyclopedia	4. adjective
5. The evidence was substantial.	6. These conditions help it sprout.
7. ancient, calculate, material, predict, strategy, unique	8. no
9. atlas	10. verb
11. The storm caused severe damage.	12. The maps revealed how the coast changed.