

Grade 4 Writing Reference Challenge Worksheet Set 027

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Name: _____ Date: _____

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

1. Write these words in alphabetical order: category, reliable, ancient, approach, consequence, significant.

Answer: _____

2. Would predict appear on a dictionary page with guide words precise and process?

Answer: _____

3. Which reference source would best help a writer find the pronunciation and meaning of a word?

A dictionary

B thesaurus

C atlas

D encyclopedia

4. Dictionary entry: conclusion — a judgment based on evidence. Which part of speech is shown?

A noun

B verb

C adjective

D adverb

5. Revise the vague sentence using a precise word: "The machine moved fast."

Answer: _____

6. Which sentence best states the conclusion of this short paragraph: "The crew measured the bridge. They checked every cable. The inspection found no damage."

Answer: _____

7. Write these words in alphabetical order: relevant, efficient, transfer, identify, ancient, sequence.

Answer: _____

8. Would sequence 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 experiment was good."

Answer: _____

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

Answer: _____

Answer Key

Answers for all 12 questions

1. ancient, approach, category, consequence, reliable, significant	2. yes
3. dictionary	4. noun
5. The machine moved rapidly.	6. The inspection found no damage.
7. ancient, efficient, identify, relevant, sequence, transfer	8. no
9. atlas	10. verb
11. The experiment produced reliable results.	12. These conditions help it sprout.