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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 3A

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| writer | develop | human | define | medium | major | minor |
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1. To have something continue to grow – to slowly improve: \_\_\_\_\_ (develop, define)
2. Having to do with a person, rather than an animal: \_\_\_\_\_ (minor, human)
3. Someone who has the skill for writing articles or stories: \_\_\_\_\_ (writer, minor)
4. Of great importance – something big, dangerous or very special: \_\_\_\_\_ (minor, major)
5. Lesser in importance – smaller – lesser in danger – under age 18: \_\_\_\_\_ (major, minor)
6. Something in the middle, such as size: \_\_\_\_\_ (medium, writer)
7. To say the exact meaning as might be seen in a dictionary: \_\_\_\_\_ (major, define)

**DEFINITION CLUES:** Carefully read the phrase or riddle below. Choose the word you think goes best with the phrase or riddle and write it in the blank space provided. Be Careful ! These can be tricky!

8. A hurricane with winds over 150 miles per hour would be this: \_\_\_\_\_
9. To be a member of the species known as homo sapiens: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Being in a small car accident – also, the age of someone under 18: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Buying a 24 ounce drink when the other options were a 16 and 32 ounce drink: \_\_\_\_\_
12. Someone whose job it is to report the news in the local newspaper: \_\_\_\_\_
13. A seed growing into a plant – a boy or girl growing into an adult: \_\_\_\_\_
14. To explain in detail the meaning of a word: \_\_\_\_\_

**FILL-IN-THE-BLANK:** Each sentence below is missing one word. Read the sentence carefully and choose the vocabulary word that best goes in the blank space provided.

15. The conscience is one important difference which separates \_\_\_\_\_ beings from animals.
16. Since I am not the tallest or shortest person in class I could be considered \_\_\_\_\_ in size.
17. It would be fun to be a \_\_\_\_\_ for a television show and develop interesting stories.
18. It would be a \_\_\_\_\_ event if someone invented a big car that got 100 miles per gallon.
19. It was only a \_\_\_\_\_ problem when the teacher gave me the wrong report card.
20. My teacher looked me straight in the face and told me to \_\_\_\_\_ the word “Geography.”

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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 3B

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| report | refund | famous | return | demand | flames | request |
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1. To insist – to ask for without taking “no” for an answer: \_\_\_\_\_ (request, demand)
2. To bring back an item to a store and get back money spent: \_\_\_\_\_ (request, refund)
3. Usually a written project that gives detail about the topic: \_\_\_\_\_ (report, refund)
4. Fire resulting from burning: \_\_\_\_\_ (famous, flames)
5. To come back to a place that you visited before: \_\_\_\_\_ (return, flames)
6. To ask for something you desire: \_\_\_\_\_ (request, report)
7. Well or widely known by many people: \_\_\_\_\_ (demand, famous)

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8. If you invented batteries that could power electric cars for 500 miles you would be this: \_\_\_\_\_
9. My parents said I must get my homework done before playing video games: \_\_\_\_\_
10. The shirt you received for a present doesn't fit so you take it back to the store for cash: \_\_\_\_\_
11. The fire spread to the next building because these were very big: \_\_\_\_\_
12. Your teacher asks you to write 5 pages on your country's history: \_\_\_\_\_
13. With your birthday coming soon you need to ask your parents for the presents you want: \_\_\_\_\_
14. Every summer we come back to the same beach house: \_\_\_\_\_

**FILL-IN-THE-BLANK:** Each sentence below is missing one word. Read the sentence carefully and choose the vocabulary word that best goes in the blank space provided.

15. Since the bicycle I bought broke immediately, I'm taking it back for a \_\_\_\_\_.
16. In the movie Wizard of Oz, the tin man made a \_\_\_\_\_ for a heart.
17. Presidents are certainly some of the most \_\_\_\_\_ people in the world.
18. In the scary movie the ghost told the children not to \_\_\_\_\_ to the haunted house.
19. When we get to high school we'll be asked to write \_\_\_\_\_ on many subjects.
20. When I become a parent I am going to \_\_\_\_\_ my children never smoke cigarettes.

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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 3C

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| elect | climate | pronoun | glacier | beyond | protest | grocery |
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1. On the far side – just past something: \_\_\_\_\_ (protest, beyond)
2. A word used in the place of a noun – such as he, she, they, we: \_\_\_\_\_ (pronoun, elect)
3. To strongly disagree with something verbally or by actions: \_\_\_\_\_ (protest, grocery)
4. A huge mass of ice slowly moving over the land: \_\_\_\_\_ (grocery, glacier)
5. A store selling food and necessary items: \_\_\_\_\_ (beyond, grocery)
6. To choose one person over another to fill a job by voting: \_\_\_\_\_ (elect, protest)
7. Conditions typical for an area, such as temperature, rainfall and wind: \_\_\_\_\_ (beyond, climate)

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8. Some scientists say these ice formations are getting smaller due to global warming: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Cherrapunji, India is the wettest place on earth - Chile's Atacama Desert is the driest: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Anyone who goes past the fence during recess will receive detention: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Drinks, fruits, and many types of food are bought in this type of store: \_\_\_\_\_
12. Every four years they vote for a new president in the United States: \_\_\_\_\_
13. He – she – they – them – we: \_\_\_\_\_
14. 1000 elderly people marched in our nation's capital to complain about social security: \_\_\_\_\_

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15. When I retire it would be nice to move to a location that has a warmer \_\_\_\_\_.
16. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a small word that takes the place of the noun.
17. The largest \_\_\_\_\_ in the world is named "Lambert" and located in the cold Antarctic.
18. Before having the school party we need to go to the \_\_\_\_\_ store to buy a few items.
19. When I grow up I hope people \_\_\_\_\_ politicians who care about the future.
20. Our history is full of examples where people would \_\_\_\_\_ what they thought was wrong.

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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 3D

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| frozen | protect | remove | label | remind | research | Britain |
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1. To move something away from a place where it has been: \_\_\_\_\_ (remove, remind)
2. To cause a person to remember – usually by someone else: \_\_\_\_\_ (research, remind)
3. To study something carefully and present the findings in detail: \_\_\_\_\_ (research, label)
4. To pass from a liquid to a solid by losing heat and becoming colder: \_\_\_\_\_ (label, frozen)
5. The countries including England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland: \_\_\_\_\_ (Britain, frozen)
6. To keep from being damaged – to keep safe and out of danger: \_\_\_\_\_ (remind, protect)
7. Usually a small piece of paper or cloth to tell about something: \_\_\_\_\_ (label, research)

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8. To read the ingredients in a food item from a grocery store you read this: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Water becomes this at the temperature 32 degrees Fahrenheit and 0 degrees Celsius: \_\_\_\_\_
10. You need to do this to someone who can't remember things very well: \_\_\_\_\_
11. To determine how severe global warming is our scientists must do this: \_\_\_\_\_
12. Parents would do this to their children if they thought they were in danger: \_\_\_\_\_
13. London is the capital and largest city in England which is part of - \_\_\_\_\_.
14. Before going to bed you should do this with your clothes: \_\_\_\_\_

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15. Someone who will \_\_\_\_\_ you in times of danger is a true friend.
16. The Battle of \_\_\_\_\_ began in the summer of 1940 when Germany attacked England.
17. Our teacher asked us to \_\_\_\_\_ her when it was 1 o'clock so we could go to recess.
18. Snow forms when water particles become \_\_\_\_\_ in the clouds.
19. The only way to find the truth is to do the \_\_\_\_\_ that will find the answers.
20. The storm caused the tree to fall so 10 of us got together to \_\_\_\_\_ it from the road.