

Year 2 Dictionary Skills

Task 1:

Put these words into alphabetical order.

List 1

king

friend

rabbit

ant

List 2

carrot

snake

banana

vest

List 3

lamp

frog

zip

trap

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| 1. _____ | 1. _____ | 1. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 2. _____ | 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 3. _____ | 3. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 4. _____ | 4. _____ |

Task 2:

Use a dictionary to find the meaning of these words:

1. gutter _____
2. draft _____
3. vein _____
4. kiln _____
5. stoop _____

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Task 3:

What type of words are these? *The first one is done for you.*

Word	Type of Word
apple	noun
giggle	
handbag	
silver	
table	
sleeping	
knife	
huge	
sparkly	

Task 4:

Find the word, write down which page the word is on in your dictionary, and write the meaning.

Word	Page Number	Meaning
wren		
cliff		
wander		
scrub		
fear		
delight		

Task 5:

Correct the spelling of these words. Use a dictionary to help you.

1. pikchure _____
2. lite _____
3. arkeoligist _____
4. dreem _____
5. curtin _____

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Task 6: Homophones

Some words sound the same but mean different things and are spelt differently.

First, write the meanings of these homophones. Then, use them in some sentences underneath.

knight _____

night _____

bear _____

bare _____

blue _____

blew _____

sun _____

son _____

Put the homophones in sentences on the lines below.

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

d. _____
