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Dictionary Skills

Task One

Below is a list of incorrectly spelt words. You need to correct them and use a dictionary to check that the spelling is correct.

1. attractive
2. teecher
3. stewdant
4. beutiful
5. undagrownd
6. unyusuwal
7. elektrisitie

Task Two

Now that you have corrected the words, fill in the table by writing down the page number that the word was on, and the dictionary definition of each word.

Word	Page number	Definition

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Task Three

Put these lists into alphabetical order.

List One

rugby
football
hockey
tennis
swimming

List Two

dog
digger
dance
duck
diet

List Three

caterpillar
car
cat
cabbage
cabin

List One

1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

List Two

1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

List Three

1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

Task Four

Some words have very similar meanings. You can use a dictionary to discover how they are different.

Look up the words below in a dictionary and write the meanings below.

1. hill peak mountain fell
2. street path lane road
3. horror fright terror fear

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Write the meaning below

1. hill peak mountain fell

2. street path lane road

3. horror fright terror fear

Task Five

A dictionary tells you what type of word you have looked up. It tells you whether it is a noun, adjective, verb etc.

Look up the words below and write what kind of word they are.

1. lorry _____

2. heavy _____

3. slowly _____

4. monkey _____

5. bear _____

6. tall _____

7. flat _____

8. quickly _____

9. awkwardly _____