Name _____

Learning Targets:

•I can understand the difference between a closed syllable and an open syllable.

•I can identify words with open syllables.

• I can spell open syllable words correctly.

• I can determine if my open syllable words follow a V/CV or VC/V pattern.

•I can define my open syllable words.

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Review Words 21. _____
22. _____
23. _____
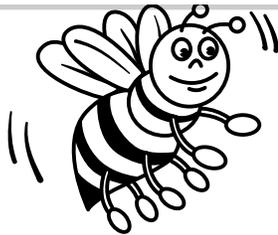
Challenge Words 24. _____
25. _____

1. minus
2. loser
3. humor
4. closet
5. recent
6. student
7. equal
8. profile
9. local
10. comet
11. vacant
12. punish
13. cavern
14. shiver
15. decent
16. linen
17. legal
18. panic
19. smoky
20. tyrant
21. valley
22. fifteen
23. culture
24. fatigue
25. fugitive

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Using the Word Study Steps

1. LOOK at the word.

2. SAY the word aloud.

3. STUDY the letters in the word.

4. WRITE the word.

5. CHECK the word. Did you spell the word right? If not, go back to step 1.

tyrant	profile	smoky	minus	local
equal	linen	legal	loser	decent
humor	closet	comet	punish	vacant
recent	student	shiver	cavern	panic

Find and Circle

A. Where are the spelling words?

l i n e n c j g l e g a l w p x s t u d e n t h u m o r t u h o

b r d c a v e r n e m i n u s b z t p r o f i l e e t l e q u a l

p u n i s h t o m t y r a n t e y y s m o k y u a t r e c e n t

g i s v a c a n t h p a n i c m u c l o c a l b z t s h i v e r

c o m e t h w v l o s e r f t r d e c e n t l o k c l o s e t e r

B. Write the words below as you find them in the puzzle.

1. _____
2. _____
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Sort each spelling word by determining if it follows the V/CV pattern or the VC/V pattern. Write each word in the correct column.

V/CV Pattern

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____

VC/V Pattern

13. _____
14. _____
15. _____
16. _____
17. _____
18. _____
19. _____
20. _____

Use the spelling words above to help you write a poem of at least 4 lines.

21. _____
22. _____
23. _____
24. _____

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A. Definitions

Write the spelling word that matches each definition below.

1. bully _____

2. empty _____

3. cave _____

4. one who lost _____

5. type of cloth _____

6. place for clothes _____

7. pupil _____

8. the same as _____

9. subtract _____

10. shake _____

B. Finish the Sentences

Write the spelling word that best completes each sentence. Use the word box to check your spelling.

11. Do you think the general would _____ the children for speaking to him?

12. I was frightened, but I didn't _____ when I saw the soldiers.

13. The general laughed at him, so he must have had a sense of

    _____.

14. If you're looking at his _____, you're looking at the side of his face.

15. Was that a _____ event, or did it happen a long time ago?

16. They wondered if the laws that he passed were _____.

17. The soldiers had been smoking a pipe, so the room was _____.

18. The _____ streaked through the night sky.

19. The _____ pond closest to our house was full of ice.

20. They came to believe that the general was a _____ man.

Name _____

A. Circle the misspelled words in this paragraph. Write the words correctly on the lines below.

Colin felt that General Gage was a desent man, and not a tierant like King George. General Gage understood that a studdent like Colin enjoyed sledding on a locall hill during recess. General Gage didn't even punnish Colin for being so bold in asking him to remove the tents from the hill. Even though the cold wind made Colin shivver, he was happy that General Gage had made it possible to go sledding.

1. _____ 3. _____ 5. _____

2. _____ 4. _____ 6. _____

B. Writing Activity

Think about something that you like to do. Has there ever been a time when you couldn't do it and you had to ask someone to help you? Write about what happened, or what you think might happen, in this situation. Use four spelling words.

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