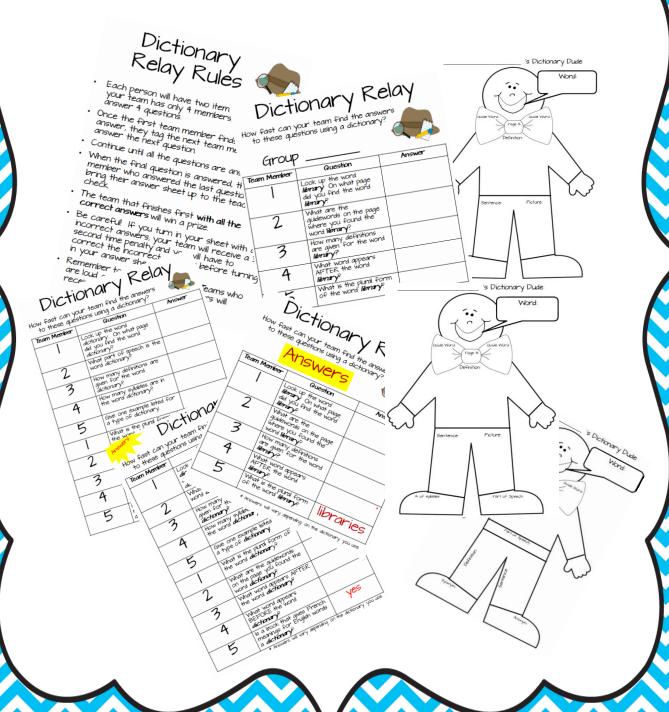
Dictionary Skills Activities



Thank you for downloading these free Dictionary Skills activities.

In this file you will find:

4 versions of the Dictionary Relay activity and answer sheets, 2 versions are blank so that you can write your own questions

(note: answers will vary depending on the dictionary used, so some answers were left blank for you to be able to write in the answer that will work for the dictionary you use.)

3 versions of the Dictionary Dude and a list of word that could be cut up and drawn from a cup

You can read about these activities here: http://mrsnthebookbug.blogspot.com/2013/09/dictionary-skills.html

The Dictionary Dude is adapted from an idea I saw here: http://preservedhome.com/tag/dictionary-skill-worksheets/

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Dictionary Relay Rules



- Each person will have one item to find. If your team has only 4 members, one person will answer 2 questions.
- Once the first team member finds their answer, they tag the next team member to answer the next question.
- Continue until all the questions are answered.
- When the final question is answered, the team member who answered the last question should bring their answer sheet up to the teacher to check.
- The team that finishes first with all the correct answers will win a prize.
- Be careful! If you turn in your sheet with any incorrect answers, your team will receive a 30 second time penalty and you will have to correct the incorrect answers before turning in your answer sheet again.
- Remember to use a quiet voice. Teams who are loud or who are sharing answers will receive a 30 second penalty, too.

How fast can your team find the answers to these questions using a dictionary?

Group ____

Team Member	Question	Answer
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2	What are the guidewords on the page where you found the word library?	
3	How many definitions are given for the word library?	
4	What word appears AFTER the word library?	
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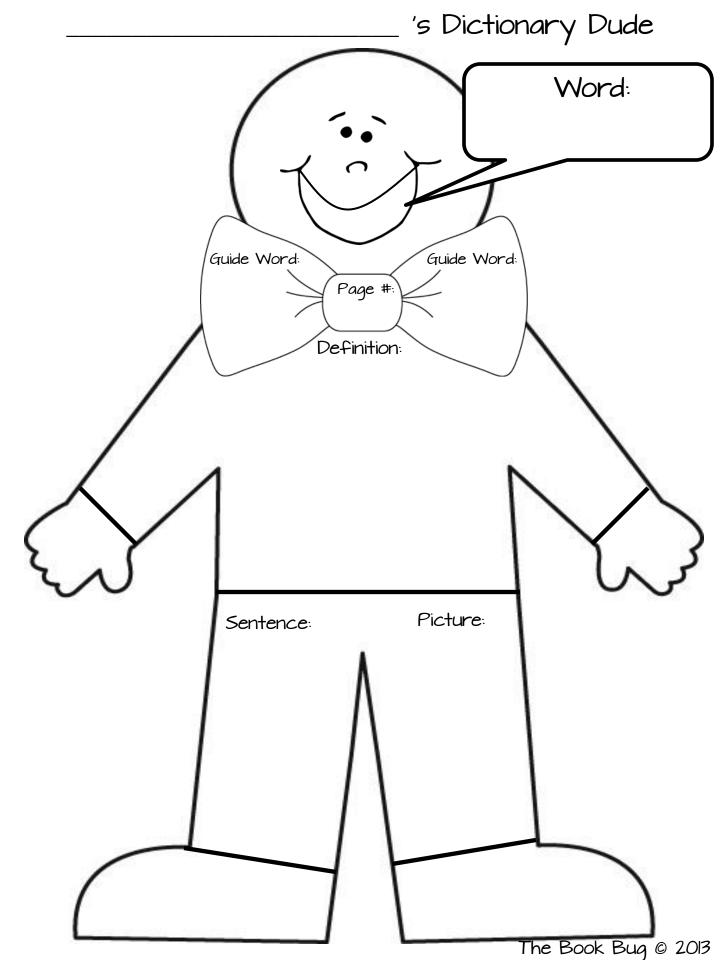
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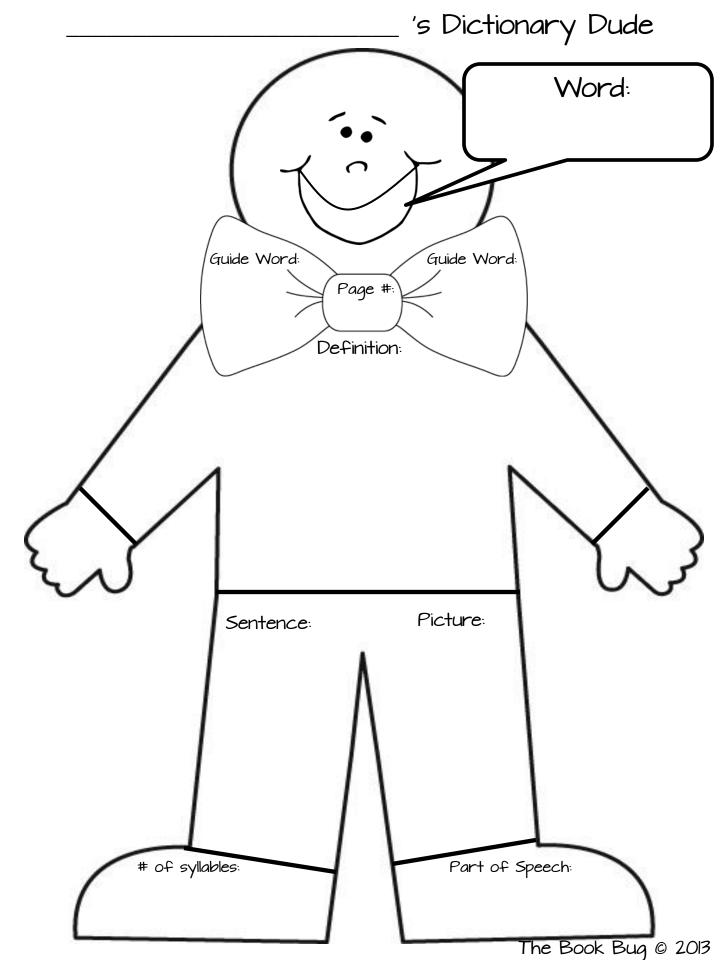
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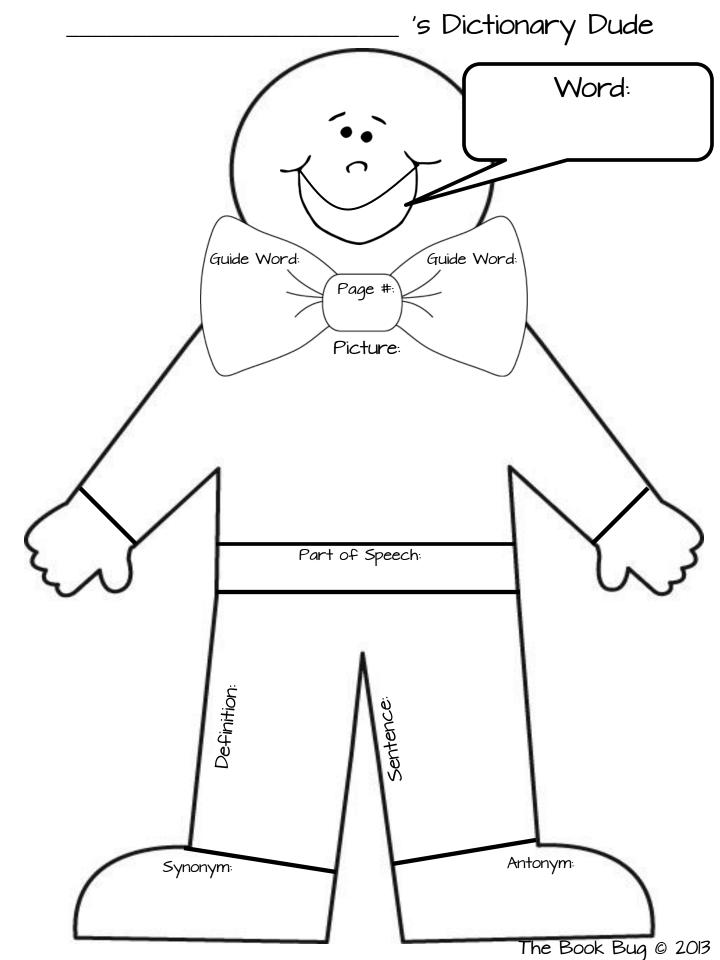
Answers

Dictionary Relay

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blanket	elephant	hour	meat
branch	farmer	ice	moth
carrot	feed	jacket	net
cup	flag	junk	owl
drum	gold	king	pack
duck	ham	lamb	peach
eat	hit	lightning	queen
rectangle	rock	run	say
seal	shoe	tail	television
toe	towel	trash	toy
triangle	tug	turtle	twin
umbrella	use	voice	web
week	whale	wheat	wing
worm	x-ray	xylophone	yawn
yell	yo-yo	zebra	zipper
alphabet	ant	apple	armor
bag	barrel	bed	cave
chin	claw	crayon	dinosaur
eye	Fill	fist	hay
hear	igloo	jellyfish	lemon

acorn	ant	apple	arm	red
ball	bathtub	bed	bee	reptile
blossom	boot	bull	carrot	robin
cat	cent	clock	COW	road
dog	dot	duck	drum	rug
equal	farm	fairy	ruby	seal
finger	five	fork	fox	shark
frog	gate	grape	hat	sheep
hay	hen	house	inch	shoe
jar	jellyfish	jewel	ketchup	snake
king	kitten	lamb	leaf	soccer
lemon	lion	mice	moth	sock
neck	net	oval	palace	spoon
pen	person	phone	Pig	square
potato	puppy	queen	rat	street
sun	ten	tomato	toy	tulip