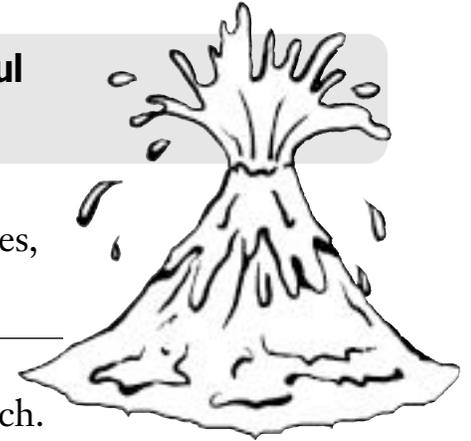


- Write the Vocabulary Word that best answers each question.

brunch
erupting

omelet
lava

peaceful
escape



- I am an active volcano bursting with smoke, gases, and lava. What am I doing? _____
- I am serving a combination of breakfast and lunch. What am I serving? _____
- I am planning to run away from this place. What am I planning to do? _____
- I am cooking an egg pancake stuffed with cheese and peppers. What am I cooking? _____
- I am in a calm, quiet, and comfortable place. What kind of place am I in? _____
- I am dangerous, hot, and I ooze down the sides of a volcano. What am I? _____



Find a picture of a volcano in a book or on the Internet. Write three sentences about the volcano. Use at least two Vocabulary Words.

► Read the newspaper story. Then circle the letter of the best answer to each question.

Arizona Herald

T. Rex Alive and Well!

August 12, 2003, Phoenix, Arizona—A live Tyrannosaurus rex was found in a desert in Arizona yesterday. The Tyrannosaurus Rex is one of the largest land animals that ever existed. The boy who discovered the dinosaur reported, “T. Rex was very hungry.”



1 Which sentence uses the underlined multiple-meaning word in the same way as the newspaper story?

- A The boy prefers vacationing on the land to vacationing on the sea.
- B I hope the flying dinosaur will land safely.

Tip
 Which answer means “the ground?”

2 Which sentence uses the underlined homograph in the same way as the newspaper story?

- F Dinosaurs cannot live without water.
- G The hunter brought back a live dinosaur.

Tip
 Which answer means “to be alive?”

3 Which sentence uses the homograph in the same way as the newspaper story?

- A I was ready to desert the house when I saw the dinosaur peek in.
- B We camped in the desert for two weeks.

Tip
 Which answer means “a hot, sandy area of land?”

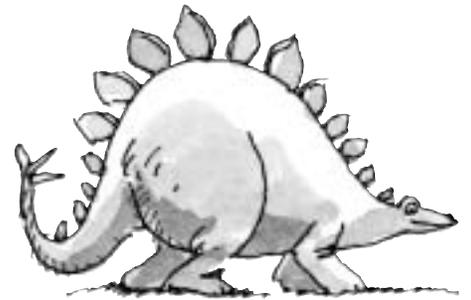
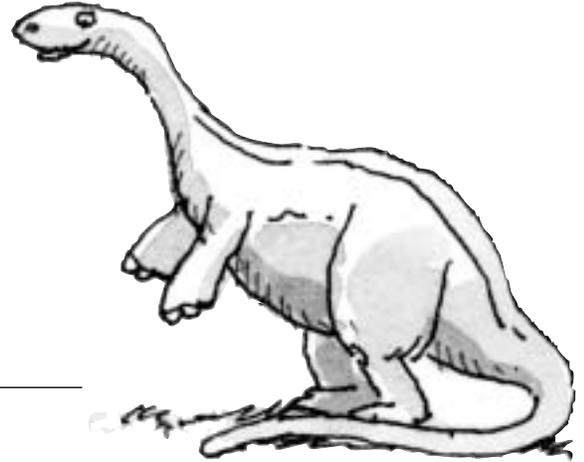


SCHOOL-HOME CONNECTION With your child, make a short list of words that have more than one meaning. Play a game of charades, acting out the meanings of each word. Have your child guess the words.

Skill Reminder Some **irregular nouns** change their spelling in the plural form.

► **Underline the irregular noun in each sentence. Write *S* if the noun is singular. Write *P* if the noun is plural.**

1. Have you ever seen a goose in the barn? _____
2. Many mice live in that cave. _____
3. The teeth of some animals are sharp. _____
4. That moose is too big to live in your bedroom. _____
5. The men ran away from the volcano. _____



► **Write the correct plural form of each singular noun. Use a dictionary if necessary.**

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| 6. woman _____ | 11. goose _____ |
| 7. deer _____ | 12. child _____ |
| 8. sheep _____ | 13. foot _____ |
| 9. trout _____ | 14. tooth _____ |
| 10. man _____ | 15. mouse _____ |



Pick one singular noun and one plural noun from your list above. Use both words in one sentence.

Skill Reminder

You can spell the /oi/ sound *oi* or *oy*.

► Fold the paper along the dotted line. As each spelling word is read aloud, write it in the blank. Then unfold your paper, and check your work. Practice spelling any words you missed.

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____
- 5. _____
- 6. _____
- 7. _____
- 8. _____
- 9. _____
- 10. _____
- 11. _____
- 12. _____
- 13. _____
- 14. _____
- 15. _____

SPELLING WORDS

- 1. joyful
- 2. choice
- 3. voice
- 4. joint
- 5. moist
- 6. spoil
- 7. royal
- 8. annoy
- 9. noise
- 10. employ
- 11. soil
- 12. loyal
- 13. boiled
- 14. destroy
- 15. pointy

