

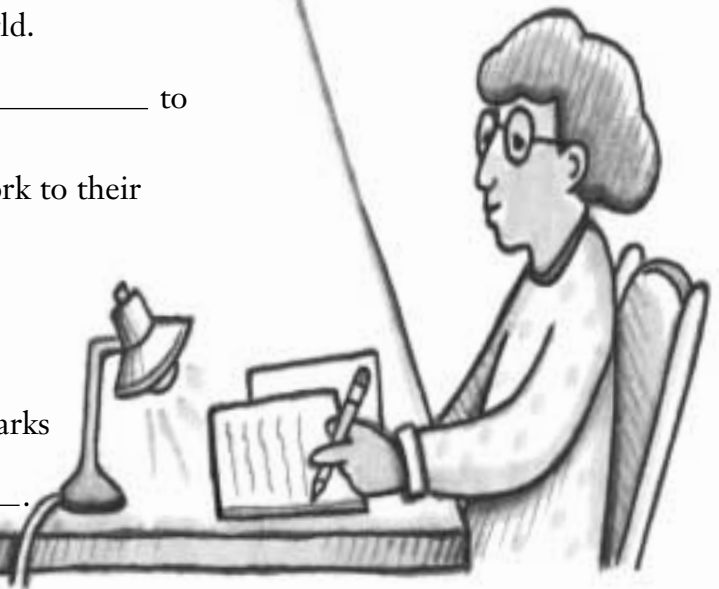
► Read the Vocabulary Words. Then read each set of words listed below. Write the Vocabulary Word that is similar to the words in each set.

correspondence	ridiculed	potential	dignity
inspire	counsel	mentor	

1. message; stationery; pen pal; e-mail _____
2. taunted; jeered; mocked; derided _____
3. spur; motivate; hearten; encourage _____
4. advise; direct; guide; instruct _____
5. teacher; coach; trainer; tutor _____
6. possibility; likelihood; capability; ability _____
7. nobility; honor; self-respect; distinction _____

► Write the Vocabulary Word that best completes each sentence.

8. Mrs. Parks has _____ with children from many places in the world.
9. She has been a _____ to people most of her life.
10. Mrs. Parks encourages students to work to their _____.
11. She tells them not to be afraid to be _____.
12. No matter how she is treated, Mrs. Parks acts with _____.



- **Read the paragraph. Then circle the letter of the best answer to each question.**

Rosa Parks had some advice for a young man who told her he was having trouble asking questions. She told him that even though she was 83, she was still learning and asking questions. For instance, she said that she was fascinated by new technology, such as computers. Then she told him that she was taking water aerobics and swimming lessons. Her advice to the young man was to gather his nerve and start to ask questions. In her opinion, this was the only way he would learn.

- 1** What judgment about Rosa Parks is supported by evidence in the paragraph?

A She still wants to learn new things.
B She doesn't like asking questions.
C She is a computer expert.
D She does not like swimming.


Tip

Choose the statement that most accurately reflects the information you find in the paragraph.

- 2** Which of the following pieces of evidence best supports this judgment?

F Rosa Parks states an opinion.
G Rosa Parks gives advice.
H Rosa Parks talks to a young man.
J Rosa Parks is fascinated by new technology.


Tip

What information about what Rosa Parks likes or does best describes the kind of person she is?

- 3** What other judgment can you make about Rosa Parks based on the evidence in the paragraph?

A She does not know how to ask questions.
B She has lots of nerve.
C She is a great letter writer.
D She does not approve of young men who are afraid.


Tip

Look for a statement that can be verified by information in the paragraph.



SCHOOL-HOME CONNECTION Ask your child to write a paragraph about a judgement he or she made about something. Have your child share the paragraph with a family member.

Skill Reminder

- The **complete predicate** includes all the words that tell what the subject of the sentence is or does.
- The **simple predicate** is the main word or words in the complete predicate.

► Underline the complete predicate in each of the following sentences. Write the simple predicate on the line.

1. Adrienne’s teacher told the class about Rosa Parks. _____
2. Mrs. Parks is 83 years old. _____
3. Adrienne’s great-grandmother celebrated her 85th birthday. _____



► Write *complete predicate* or *simple predicate* in the blanks below to identify each underlined word or words in the following sentences. If the complete predicate is the same as the simple predicate, write *same*.

4. Jimmy wrote a letter to Mrs. Parks. _____
 5. Mrs. Parks shared her opinion with Jimmy. _____
 6. “The right questions help.” _____
- Finish the following sentences by adding complete predicates. Circle the simple predicates.
7. A computer _____.
 8. The answer to my letter _____.

Skill Reminder

• The vowel sound in *car* is usually spelled *ar*.

- The vowel sound in *fort* can be spelled *or* or *ar*.
- The vowel sound in *fair* can be spelled *are* or *air*.
- The vowel sound in *dirt* can be spelled *ir* or *ear*.
- The second vowel sound in *outward* can be spelled *or* or *ar*.

► 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.

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SPELLING WORDS

1. *parts*
2. *history*
3. *warning*
4. *declare*
5. *despair*
6. *shirt*
7. *learning*
8. *backward*
9. *border*
10. *prepared*
11. *harsh*
12. *research*
13. *carnival*
14. *particular*
15. *squirrel*
16. *harmful*
17. *charms*
18. *disorder*
19. *avored*
20. *remark*

