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FORMS OF VERBS

Complete The Given List By Placing The Missing Form Of Verbs.

Positive Form	Past Form	Past Participle Form
drive		driven
	ate	eaten
Ride	rode	
Arise		Arisen
	slept	slept
Buy		bought
	brought	
Tell	told	
Build	built	
	awoke	
		fought
Walk	walked	
	taught	
Draw		drawn
	completed	
Give		given
	took	taken
		fallen
Write	wrote	

Read		
	ran	
Become	became	
Forgive	forgave	
Understand		understood

Work Sheets for Connectors

Complete the text with *and*, *but*, or *so*.

The Gift

It was Mark's result day ____ his dad came home with a special gift. Mark was excited to know what was in it, _____ he quickly opened the box. Inside, he found a cute, fluffy, _____ orange kitten looking up at him. Mark took him out of the box, _____ he was not sure how to hold it. Quickly, the kitten left his hand _____ climbed up his sleeve. Mark wrapped his arms around it, _____ it would not fall, _____ the kitten continued to climb until it reached Mark's shoulder.

There, it sat down _____ cuddled against Mark's neck. Mark did not know if he should leave it there _____ take it down, _____ before he could decide, the kitten began to purr. That is when Mark realized he had made a brand, new friend!

Reading Comprehension

The Nightingale family lived in a big house in Derbyshire. They were so rich they bought a bigger house in Hampshire. Florence was a very lucky girl. She had lots of toys and pets to play with, and she had twenty seven cousins.

Florence was taught reading, maths and other subjects by her father, because in those days girls weren't taught much. This teaching worried Florence's mother and she said "No one likes CLEVER girls!" She thought girls should learn to play the piano, embroidery and how to arrange flowers.

When she was a little older Florence started visiting poor and sick people in her town. She liked helping them. Then she decided she wanted to do more of this work. "I must work in a hospital now," she said.

Both of her parents were now very cross, they didn't want their daughter to become a nurse. Her mother said "The shame of it! You might as well be a kitchen maid!" Florence began to study nursing in secret. She worked early every morning and late every night.

Florence soon heard about the war between Russia and Turkey. "Soldiers are dying, I must do something" she said. Florence arrived at a hospital in Scutari on the 4th November 1854.

The hospital was dark and filthy. Soldiers lay all around wounded and dying. More soldiers were arriving all the time. Everything was dirty. There was hardly any clean water, no medicines, no bandages, no soap or towels. Instead of getting better, the soldiers got worse.

Florence began to help the soldiers by cleaning and making them healthy meals. Then she bought new sheets and clothes. She hardly ever stopped to sleep. Each day there were new problems to sort out. To make things even worse, some of the doctors and army officers didn't want Florence to help.

The injured soldiers loved Florence. She did everything she could to help them get better. She asked for books and games and a chef to be sent from England. Every single evening she walked through the ward to say goodnight. The soldiers called her the lady with the lamp.

Florence Nightingale

Write the answers to these questions in your topic books.

Remember: Use the next clean page

Write the date and title

To answer in complete sentences

1. The Nightingale family had two houses, where were they?
 2. How was Florence' s education different from yours?
 3. How did Florence' s parents feel about her becoming a nurse?
 4. Why did Florence' s mother say she “might as well be a kitchen maid” ?
 5. Describe the hospital.
 6. Why did the soldiers not recover from their injuries?
 7. How did Florence help the soldiers?
 8. Why do you think the doctors and army officers didn't want Florence to help?
 9. Why was Florence called ‘the lady with the lamp’ ?
 10. Later on in her life Florence received a medal for her work. Why do you think she was given this medal?
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Attach a separate color page to answer the given questions.

1. The Nightingale family had two houses, where were they?
2. Why was Florence a lucky girl?
3. How did Florence' s parents feel about her becoming a nurse?
4. Which two countries were fighting a war?
5. When did Florence arrive at the hospital?
6. Describe the hospital.
7. Why did the soldiers not recover from their injuries?
8. How did Florence help the soldiers?
9. What did Florence have sent from England?
10. Why was Florence called 'the lady with the lamp' ?

Open Ended Questions

Q. 1 What lesson have you learnt from the life of Florence Nightingale?

Q.2 If you have a chance to do something for humanity what you will do?

Activity Based Questions

Choose the different Colors of A4 Size Paper for the given Activity:

Underline all the Nouns, Verbs & Connectors given in the above comprehension passage and Write it down on the color paper.

Reading for Understanding

Jack and the beanstalk

Short story

Once upon a time there was a boy called Jack. He lived with his mother. They were very poor. All they had was a cow.



One morning, Jack's mother told Jack to take their cow to market and sell her. On the way, Jack met a man. He gave Jack some magic beans for the cow.

Jack took the beans and went back home. When Jack's mother saw the beans she was very angry. She threw the beans out of the window.

The next morning, Jack looked out of the window. There was a giant beanstalk. He went outside and started to climb the beanstalk.

He climbed up to the sky through the clouds. Jack saw a beautiful castle. He went inside. Jack heard a voice. 'Fee, fi, fo, fum!' Jack ran into a cupboard.

An enormous giant came into the room and sat down. On the table there was a hen and a golden harp.

'Lay!' said the giant. The hen laid an egg. It was made of gold. 'Sing!' said the giant. The harp began to sing. Soon the giant was asleep.

Jack jumped out of the cupboard. He took the hen and the harp. Suddenly, the harp sang, 'Help, master!'

The giant woke up and shouted, 'Fee, fi, fo, fum!' Jack ran and started climbing down the beanstalk. The giant came down after him.

Jack shouted, 'Mother! Help!' Jack's mother took an axe and chopped down the beanstalk. The giant fell and crashed to the ground. Nobody ever saw him again.

With the golden eggs and the magic harp, Jack and his mother lived happily ever after.

Q. What is the moral of the story? Write it in your own words.

Antonyms

Antonym Word List

above-below	brother-sister	
absent-present	buy-sell	
abundant-scarce	careful-careless	dry-wet
accept-refuse	catch-throw	dwarf-giant
	cease-begin	early-late
accurate-incorrect		east-west
admit-deny	cheerful-sad	easy-hard
advance-retreat	city-country	empty-full
after-before	closed-open	entrance-exit
against-for	cold-hot	evil-good
ahead-behind	combine-separate	exciting-dull
all-none	comedy-tragedy	exhibit-conceal
always-never	come-go	exit-entrance
antique-modern	complete-incomplete	expensive-cheap
asleep-awake	condemn-praise	exterior-interior
attack-defend	conquer-fail	extinguish-ignite
aunt-uncle	contract-expand	fail-succeed
	cool-warm	fall-spring
awake- asleep	country-city	fancy-plain
bad-good	crooked-straight	fat-skinny
bald-hairy	cruel-kind	fat-thin
beautiful-ugly	dangerous-safe	
beginning-end	dark-light	few-many
beg-offer	daughter-son	fiction-fact
beneath-above	day-night	find-lose
best-worst	dead-alive	finish-begin
bitter-sweet	death-life	first-last
black-white	deep-shallow	floor-ceiling
borrow-lend	depart-arrive	foolish-wise
bottom-top	destroy-create	forget-remember
boy-girl	different-same	former-latter
brave-scared	dirty-clean	forward-backward
break-fix	discourage-encourage	frequent-infrequent

friend-enemy	king-queen	necessary-useless
from-to	knowledge-ignorance	nephew-niece
front-back	known-unknown	never-always
gain-loss	large-small	new-old
gather-scatter	last-first	noisy-quiet
generous-stingy	laugh-cry	north-south
genuine-fake	lazy-industrious	nourish-starve
give-take	lead-follow	no-yes
graceful-clumsy	left-right	obey-disobey
grin-frown	length-width	off-on
guilty-innocent	less-more	old-new
happy-sad	literal-figurative	open-close
hard-soft	little-big	outer-inner
harmony-discord	lock-unlock	out-in
harsh-mild	long-short	over-under
healthy-sick	loose-tight	part-whole
heavy-light	lose-find	patient-impatient
hide-show	lost-found	perfect-faulty
high-low	loud-soft	permit-forbid
him-her	love-hate	polite-rude
hit-miss	lower-raise	poor-rich
hungry-full	majority-minority	positive-negative
husband-wife	man-woman	private-public
idle-busy	maximum-minimum	prohibit-allow
illegal-lawful	merciful-cruel	push-pull
imaginary-real	miserable-happy	questing-answer
import-export	mix-sort	quick-slow
imprison-free	moist-dry	raise-lower
include-exclude	morning-evening	raw-cooked
increase-decrease	morning-night	reluctant-enthusiastic
in-out	most-least	remember-forget
inside-outside	mother-father	reward-punishment
joy-grief	naked-clothed	right-wrong
kind-mean	near-far	rough-smooth

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rural-urban	swift-slow	wide-narrow
sane-insane	take-give	wild-tame
seldom-often	tall-short	win-lose
selfish-unselfish	tame-wild	winter-summer
send-receive	tardy-early	work-play
sharp-dull	temporary-permanent	worthless-valuable
she-he	thaw-freeze	wrong-right
shout-whisper	thick-thin	yes-no
shrink-expand	tight-loose	young-old
sick-well	together-apart	
simple-complicated	top-bottom	
sink-float	tough-tender	
sit-stand	triumph-fail	
slavery-freedom	true-false	
slow-fast	ugly-pretty	
small-large	unbreakable-fragile	
smart-dumb	under-over	
smile-frown	unique-ordinary	
soft-hard	up-down	
solid-liquid	useful-useless	
south-north	usually-rarely	
spend-save	vacant-occupied	
start-finish	vanish-appear	
stationary-movable	victory-defeat	
stay-go	villain-hero	
stop-go	violent-gentle	
straight-crooked	walk-run	
stranger-friend	warm-cool	
strengthen-weaken	war-peace	
strong-weak	weak-strong	
summer-winter	wealth-poverty	
sun-moon	wet-dry	
sweet-sour	whisper-yell	
sweet-sour	white-black	

Suggested Reading

Read the following books:

Plum girl & Other Stories by Nicholas Horsburg

Gulliver's Travels by Jonathan Swift

The Mysterious Island by Jules Verne

"ENJOY YOUR VACATION"