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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 21

instead	champion	restaurant	customer	opportunity	embarrass	acre
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**DEFINITIONS:** Numbers 1 through 7 show definitions of the list words. Select the correct word that matches the definition from the two words at the end of each definition. Write it in the blank space provided. While students can be asked to complete this entire assignment on their own (with help from a dictionary), it can also be beneficial for teachers to first discuss the meanings of the seven words above. All words (except one) are repeated 3 times in the activities below to give the repetition needed for accelerated memorization.

1. A person that buys something from a business: \_\_\_\_\_ (customer, champion)
2. A place where meals are served to the public: \_\_\_\_\_ (acre, restaurant)
3. This measurement is used to measure land and equal to 43,560 square feet: \_\_\_\_\_ (champion, acre)
4. This word means in place of something else – a substitute: \_\_\_\_\_ (acre, instead)
5. To feel uneasy in a situation where others are watching: \_\_\_\_\_ (embarrass, instead)
6. One that is superior or has qualities of a winner: \_\_\_\_\_ (champion, customer)
7. A chance for progress or improving things for the individual: \_\_\_\_\_ (acre, opportunity)

**DEFINITION CLUES:** Carefully read the phrase or riddle below. Choose the word you think goes best with the phrase or riddle and write it in the blank space provided. Be careful! These can be tricky!

8. You would be this if you consistently won in your area of sports: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Those who finish high school and college will have more choices and more: \_\_\_\_\_
10. A piece of land that is 100 feet by 400 feet has an area equal to about one of these: \_\_\_\_\_
11. It's nice to be a customer here since someone else makes meals for you: \_\_\_\_\_
12. A big rip in the back of your pants might do this to you: \_\_\_\_\_
13. A business will not survive unless it has plenty of these: \_\_\_\_\_
14. Example – You go into a restaurant planning to order pizza, but you order spaghetti: \_\_\_\_\_

**FILL-IN-THE-BLANK:** Each sentence below is missing one word. Read the sentence carefully and choose the vocabulary word that best goes in the blank space provided.

15. To get better nutrition, let's eat at the restaurant \_\_\_\_\_ of going to the fast food store.
16. The \_\_\_\_\_ bought expensive silverware at the jewelry store:
17. The winner of the contest was given the \_\_\_\_\_ to travel to Europe or China.
18. Our horse won 1<sup>st</sup> place in the last 7 races making him a true \_\_\_\_\_.
19. You'll at least have some space between your neighbors if you live on one \_\_\_\_\_ of land.
20. A business that specializes in serving spaghetti and pasta dishes is an Italian \_\_\_\_\_.

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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 21B

fabric	fractions	mathematics	gutter	issue	alcohol	attitude
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**IMPORTANT:** The second semester of Grade 4 introduces several “drug-abuse” related vocabulary words. This is done because federal research has shown Grade 4 is the grade in which some students encounter their first setting in which peers or older students are experimenting with various drug types or inhalants. By providing information on the harmful effects of these substances at the age of “first use”, students will then have the knowledge and confidence to resist peer pressure when encountering these situations. Please see the federal government’s main drug education web site at - [www.drugabuse.gov/ResearchReports](http://www.drugabuse.gov/ResearchReports) for more information.

1. The act of passing or giving out something to others: \_\_\_\_\_ (attitude, issue)
2. A flammable liquid made by fermenting sugars and starches and used in cleaning solutions, explosives, a fuel for automobiles and intoxicating drinks: \_\_\_\_\_ (fabric, alcohol)
3. The study of numbers, quantity, shape and measurement: \_\_\_\_\_ (mathematics, issue)
4. A cloth made by weaving used to make clothes, curtains, etc: \_\_\_\_\_ (fractions, fabric)
5. A state of mind or a feeling – one’s disposition: \_\_\_\_\_ (attitude, alcohol)
6. A channel at the edge of a road or along a roof for carrying off water: \_\_\_\_\_ (gutter, fabric)
7. A mathematical term used to describe part of the whole,  $\frac{1}{3}$ : \_\_\_\_\_ (fraction, gutter)

**DEFINITION CLUES:** Carefully read the phrase or riddle below. Choose the word you think goes best with the phrase or riddle and write it in the blank space provided. Be Careful ! These can be tricky!

8. To get a “mixed number” from these you divide the bottom number into the top number: \_\_\_\_\_
9. An ingredient in beer and wine found to accelerate damage to the liver and brain: \_\_\_\_\_
10. A subject in school that teaches number concepts including multiplication and fractions: \_\_\_\_\_
11. A word that means the act of giving or passing out something to others: \_\_\_\_\_
12. Comes in different colors and textures and used to make clothes: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Some children come to school happy: \_\_\_\_\_
14. If a house has these along the roof line the water will run-off without causing a mess: \_\_\_\_\_

**FILL-IN-THE-BLANK:** Each sentence below is missing one word. Read the sentence carefully and choose the vocabulary word that best goes in the blank space provided.

15. To use a tape measure you need to understand which marks represent which \_\_\_\_\_.
16. While some people excel at literary subjects, others excel in \_\_\_\_\_.
17. The policeman said he would \_\_\_\_\_ us a ticket if we didn’t wear our seatbelt.
18. The Volstead Act was a U.S. law from 1919 to 1933 that prohibited the drinking of \_\_\_\_\_.
19. We used a colorful \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the cushions on the couch.
20. People who try to have a good \_\_\_\_\_ are the ones who have more fun and more friends.

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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 21C

rapid	project	gravel	panic	Senate	talent	vanish
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1. A mixture of rock pieces and pebbles: \_\_\_\_\_ (rapid, gravel)
2. Occurring in a brief time period or capable of moving with high speed: \_\_\_\_\_ (panic, rapid)
3. A part of government with high powers and made up of citizens who discuss and debate topics and pass laws regarding these topics: \_\_\_\_\_ (vanish, Senate)
4. A natural skill or ability of superior quality: \_\_\_\_\_ (talent, vanish)
5. Something to be done that requires considerable effort: \_\_\_\_\_ (project, vanish)
6. To disappear after being visible – to pass out of sight: \_\_\_\_\_ (rapid, vanish)
7. A sudden and very strong feeling of terror and concern: \_\_\_\_\_ (talent, panic)

**DEFINITION CLUES:** Carefully read the phrase or riddle below. Choose the word you think goes best with the phrase or riddle and write it in the blank space provided. Be Careful! These can be tricky!

8. Examples of this might include building a new patio or painting your house: \_\_\_\_\_
9. If you saw your friends in a burning house you would likely do this: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Builders often cover muddy roads with this so their vehicles won't get stuck: \_\_\_\_\_
11. Two people from each state in the U.S. are elected to work for this branch of government: \_\_\_\_\_
12. A storm causing a quick decrease in temperature from 70 to 50 degrees in just a few minutes: \_\_\_\_\_
13. You see a plane in the sky one moment, but then in the next moment it is gone: \_\_\_\_\_
14. Your 3 year old neighbor would have this if she could play the piano beautifully: \_\_\_\_\_

**FILL-IN-THE-BLANK:** Each sentence below is missing one word. Read the sentence carefully and choose the vocabulary word that best goes in the blank space provided.

15. The car accident occurred because the \_\_\_\_\_ on the road caused the tires to lose grip.
16. The air traffic controller said he saw the plane on radar, but the next moment he saw it \_\_\_\_\_.
17. Congressmen work in the House of Representatives while senators work in the \_\_\_\_\_.
18. The mountain climbers were in trouble because of the \_\_\_\_\_ change in weather conditions.
19. To make the best decisions, the mountain climbers stayed calm and did not \_\_\_\_\_.
20. Although it will take considerable work and effort, my science \_\_\_\_\_ will test new ways of converting wind into electricity.

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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 21D

topic	limits	cavern	benefit	minimum	maximum	recognize
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1. Something that helps or makes a person's life better: \_\_\_\_\_ (recognize, benefit)
2. The greatest possible amount – the highest number: \_\_\_\_\_ (maximum, minimum)
3. To remember something that has been seen or heard before: \_\_\_\_\_ (topic, recognize)
4. A subject of discussion or conversation: \_\_\_\_\_ (topic, limits)
5. A large underground cave: \_\_\_\_\_ (benefit, cavern)
6. The least possible amount – the lowest number: \_\_\_\_\_ (minimum, maximum)
7. The edge or line beyond which something cannot or may not pass: \_\_\_\_\_ (limits, topic)

**DEFINITION CLUES:** Carefully read the phrase or riddle below. Choose the word you think goes best with the phrase or riddle and write it in the blank space provided. Be Careful! These can be tricky!

8. Eating healthy food and having the strength to avoid drugs will certainly do this to you: \_\_\_\_\_
9. The teacher said today we are only going to discuss current events: \_\_\_\_\_
10. If you go to the movies and see someone and say, "I know that person:" \_\_\_\_\_
11. Your parents would be setting this if they said you must go to bed by 9 o'clock: \_\_\_\_\_
12. The highest temperature over the past 24 hours would be considered this: \_\_\_\_\_
13. The lowest temperature over the past 24 hours would be considered this: \_\_\_\_\_
14. This large underground hole is big enough for us to walk into: \_\_\_\_\_

**FILL-IN-THE-BLANK:** Each sentence below is missing one word. Read the sentence carefully and choose the vocabulary word that best goes in the blank space provided.

15. Homes without \_\_\_\_\_ on behavior end up in chaos.
16. No matter how hot the pot, water can only reach a \_\_\_\_\_ temperature of 212 degrees.
17. If making \$5 an hour, you'll need to work a \_\_\_\_\_ of ten hours to buy a \$50 bicycle.
18. Social scientists found that weather is the most common \_\_\_\_\_ for discussion.
19. The class went exploring through the \_\_\_\_\_ deep inside the mountain.
20. People who do not start smoking will greatly \_\_\_\_\_ their health by reducing the chance of cancer or heart attacks.