

**LESSON 24A**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Vocabulary Building Activity

**short a**

dad	bad	last	after	father
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**SKILL 1 – RECOGNITION MEMORY PRACTICE**

Teacher calls out the above vocabulary words in random order. Student selects the correct word and writes it below. To increase interest, try using "Definition Clues" for some words. For more information go to [www.tampareads.com/definitionclues](http://www.tampareads.com/definitionclues)



**SKILL 2 – LETTER SOUP**

Look at each group of scrambled letters. Match the scrambled letters with one of the new vocabulary words above. Write the correct word neatly in the space.

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

1. add \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. retaf \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. stal \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. dab \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. thafer \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**SKILL 3 – SENTENCE WRITING PRACTICE**

**Directions:** Write a sentence using each word below. Sentences must contain at least 5 words.

1. dad  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. bad  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. last  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. after  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. father (Word of the Day)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

*REVIEW WORDS*

6. because  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. your  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_