

Vocabulary Building Activity

Introduces five new vocabulary words – Sounds to remember include -

sane	pure	hesitate
persuade	prejudice	responsibilities

Review word from previous day

SKILL 1: Examples

Read examples below and match with words from list. Use a dictionary to help with word definition.

- I may be getting older, but my brain still works great and I'm not crazy: _____
- I don't like my food mixed with artificial anything, I like it 100% natural: _____
- If she asks you for a date don't wait to give your answer: _____
- Dad works hard at his job and Mom does the shopping and watches us kids: _____
- Please try to convince my mom to let me spend the night: _____
- People should make friends on how nice they are – not the color of their skin: _____

SKILL 2: Definition Matching

Read the definition below and fill-in-the-blank with the best matching word from the list.

- Not acting immediately – holding back for a brief period: _____
- Thinking clearly and appropriately – making the correct decisions: _____
- Made of only the original ingredients – nothing added – nothing extra: _____
- Things that are expected to be done because of a job or caring for others: _____
- To push for a decision in another using logic or select words: _____
- Having negative thoughts of another because of race or social class: _____

SKILL 3: Sentence Writing

Write a meaningful sentence using at least 7 words. Sentence should show meaning of the list word.

- sane: _____
- pure: _____
- hesitate: _____
- persuade: _____
- prejudice: _____
- responsibilities: _____