Connect To Instructions

Materials:

- Word List
- Handout
- Pencil

Instructions:

Study this week's vocabulary words and definitions to look for connections between the words.

These connections might be related to the words themselves, the definitions, or a context you might use them. Try to connect at least 5 vocabulary words.

(You will have to get creative!)

EXAMPLE:

Example: submarine, magnificent, cautious, careless

<u>Magnificent</u> is connected to <u>submarine</u> because <u>traveling on a submarine</u>, you <u>might</u> <u>see magnificent ocean views</u>.

<u>Submarine</u> is connected to <u>cautious</u> because <u>it is important to be cautious on a</u> <u>submarine</u>, otherwise you might drown or get hurt.

<u>Cautious</u> is connected to <u>careless</u> because <u>if you are making careless mistakes</u>, you <u>are not being very cautious</u>

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Own the Word Instructions

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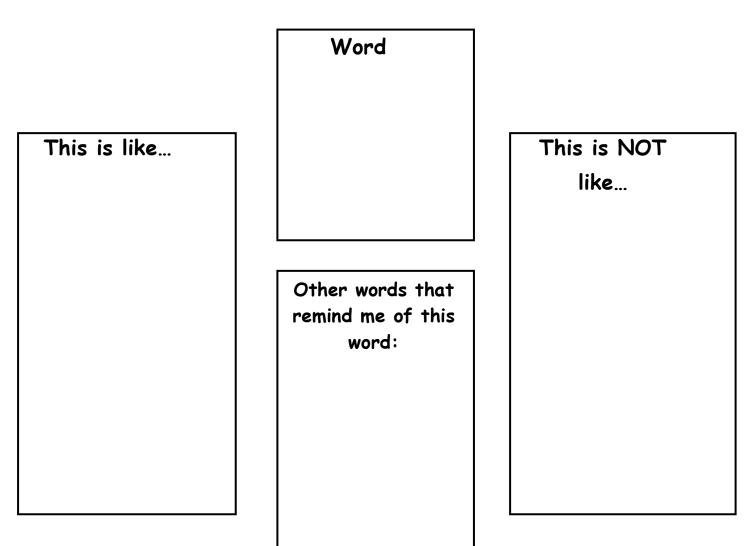
- Word List
- Handout
- Pencil
- Thesaurus (Optional)
- Dictionary (Optional)

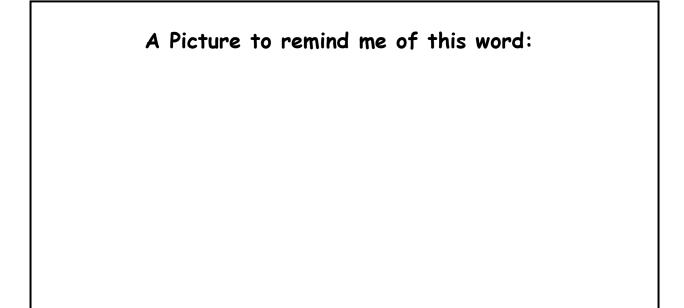
Instructions:

- Choose a vocabulary word to work with this week.
- Write the word in the box. Think about what this word means. Use your *Treasures* book or a dictionary if you need help.
- Write down a sentence explaining what this word is like to you.
 - Ex. Melancholy = sad, depressed. This is like when I sometimes feel bad at the end of a vacation.
- Write down a sentence explaining what this word is NOT like (the opposite).
 - Ex. Melancholy is NOT like how I feel on my birthday.
- Write down at least <u>2</u> other words that remind you of this one. Use a thesaurus if you need help.
- Write a creative, detailed sentence and draw a picture.

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Vocabulary Sort Instructions

- 1. Look over your vocabulary words. Do you see any patterns?
- 2. Think about how the words are related.
- 3. Come up with 3 categories for the words. Categories can include:
 - a. Parts of Speech (nouns, verbs, adjectives)
 - b. Similar beginnings and endings
 - c. Similar spelling patterns
 - d. Similar definitions (relating to a similar topic)
- 4. Sort the words into the three categories.
- 5. Write a short explanation explaining why the words fit in that category.