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SIXTH GRADE

Word Quest

15 tricky words. One great spelling adventure.

Name _____ Date _____

1 Find the hidden words

Circle all 15 words. Look across (left to right) or down.

WORD BANK

- ☐ Aeolus
- ☐ cemetery
- ☐ conscious
- ☐ dachshund
- ☐ elliptical
- ☐ fictitious
- ☐ matrilineal
- ☐ pentathlete
- ☐ persnickety
- ☐ predecessor
- ☐ rendezvous
- ☐ reservoir
- ☐ romerillo
- ☐ schnauzer
- ☐ staccato

K	S	F	M	A	E	D	F	T	L	P	M	T	R	L	N
Z	Z	P	C	E	M	E	T	E	R	Y	J	B	R	Z	N
W	P	E	R	S	N	I	C	K	E	T	Y	H	E	E	C
K	N	N	E	L	L	I	P	T	I	C	A	L	S	D	S
M	M	T	Z	B	P	X	S	K	A	O	O	S	E	D	K
A	A	A	D	A	C	H	S	H	U	N	D	C	R	V	Z
E	T	T	E	Q	Y	Q	B	Q	V	S	B	H	V	S	G
O	R	H	B	U	X	A	A	Z	L	C	D	N	O	T	Q
L	I	L	H	E	K	K	H	O	T	I	M	A	I	A	W
U	L	E	V	W	C	W	P	W	C	O	S	U	R	C	F
S	I	T	T	B	A	X	H	Y	O	U	Y	Z	Y	C	M
J	N	E	F	D	R	G	C	Y	O	S	Y	E	K	A	V
V	E	P	R	E	D	E	C	E	S	S	O	R	K	T	A
L	A	W	V	K	E	R	O	M	E	R	I	L	L	O	D
P	L	V	F	I	C	T	I	T	I	O	U	S	R	M	F
I	V	L	O	I	R	E	N	D	E	Z	V	O	U	S	R

I found _____ / 15 words! Quest complete! ☆ ☆ ☆

Word Detective

Use each clue to unlock a spelling word.

Name _____ Date _____

2 Unscramble and write

Read the clue. Fix the mixed-up letters. Write one letter in each box.

Use the word bank on page 1. Keep any capital letters.

	CLUE + MIXED-UP LETTERS	SPELL THE WORD
1.	A meeting at an agreed time and place. **v u s d e o r n z e**	
2.	A long-bodied German dog breed with short legs. **a d s h h u c d n**	
3.	A wiry-coated dog with bushy brows and a beard. **a s r h u z e n c**	
4.	A place where water is stored for later use. **r s r i v e o r e**	
5.	Someone who held a role before another person. **p o c s r e d e e s r**	
6.	Extremely fussy about small details. **i y k e e t s n r p c**	
7.	Imagined or invented. **t c i s f o t i i u**	
8.	Awake and mentally aware. **s o c u s i n c o**	
9.	A burial ground or graveyard. **e m y r c e t e**	
10.	Played or sung in short, separate notes. **t s c a t o c a**	
11.	Shaped like a stretched circle. **c t i l a l l e i p**	
12.	An athlete competing in five different events. **n a e t l e e t t p h**	
13.	Tracing family descent through the mother's line. **t l a i a n m e l r i**	
14.	A South American herb that yields yellow dye. **e r r o i m l l o**	
15.	The Greek god of the winds. (Use a capital.) **o u e s a l**	

I solved _____ / 15 clues!

Say a sentence with your favorite word.

Adventure Answer Key

For parents and teachers. Print student pages 1-2 for learners.

1 Word Quest

Rows count from the top; columns count from the left.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	K	S	F	M	A	E	D	F	T	L	P	M	T	R	L	N
2	Z	Z	P	C	E	M	E	T	E	R	Y	J	B	R	Z	N
3	W	P	E	R	S	N	I	C	K	E	T	Y	H	E	E	C
4	K	N	N	E	L	L	I	P	T	I	C	A	L	S	D	S
5	M	M	T	Z	B	P	X	S	K	A	O	O	S	E	D	K
6	A	A	A	D	A	C	H	S	H	U	N	D	C	R	V	Z
7	E	T	T	E	Q	Y	Q	B	Q	V	S	B	H	V	S	G
8	O	R	H	B	U	X	A	A	Z	L	C	D	N	O	T	Q
9	L	I	L	H	E	K	K	H	O	T	I	M	A	I	A	W
10	U	L	E	V	W	C	W	P	W	C	O	S	U	R	C	F
11	S	I	T	T	B	A	X	H	Y	O	U	Y	Z	Y	C	M
12	J	N	E	F	D	R	G	C	Y	O	S	Y	E	K	A	V
13	V	E	P	R	E	D	E	C	E	S	S	O	R	K	T	A
14	L	A	W	V	K	E	R	O	M	E	R	I	L	L	O	D
15	P	L	V	F	I	C	T	I	T	I	O	U	S	R	M	F
16	I	V	L	O	I	R	E	N	D	E	Z	V	O	U	S	R

WORD	ROW, COL	DIRECTION
Aeolus	6, 1	down
cemetery	2, 4	across
conscious	4, 11	down
dachshund	6, 4	across
elliptical	4, 4	across
fictitious	15, 4	across
matrilineal	5, 2	down
pentathlete	2, 3	down
persnickety	3, 2	across
predecessor	13, 3	across
rendezvous	16, 6	across
reservoir	2, 14	down
romerillo	14, 7	across
schnauzer	5, 13	down
staccato	7, 15	down

2 Word Detective

1. rendezvous
2. dachshund
3. schnauzer
4. reservoir
5. predecessor
6. persnickety
7. fictitious
8. conscious
9. cemetery
10. staccato
11. elliptical
12. pentathlete
13. matrilineal
14. romerillo
15. Aeolus

CHALLENGE FOCUS

Unusual letter combinations, doubled consonants, tricky vowels, and silent letters. These 15 are an instructional selection, not an official difficulty ranking.

Word source: 2026-2027 Two Bee Study Words with Definitions for Sixth Grade, pp. 1-4.

Based on the supplied list. Puzzle design and student-friendly clues created for TruePath Academics.