

Exercise A: Match the words to their definition. Write the **NUMBER** of the word next to its definition.

Words	Definitions
1. besides	a ____ Determine (the amount or of something) with mathematical precision
2. blame	b ____ Exceptionally clever or talented; shining brightly with intense colors
3. block	c ____ In addition to; apart from
4. brilliant	d ____ Assign responsibility for a fault or wrong
5. bring up sb or bring sb up	e ____ Raise (a child)
6. calculate	f ____ A large solid piece of hard material, especially rock or stone

Exercise B

Click The correct word to complete the sentence.

1. **Besides / Blame** playing the guitar, Yael also writes her own songs.
2. Don't **blame / bring up** your brother for something you did yourself.
3. A large truck was used to **block / calculate** the entrance during the protest.
4. That was a **brilliant / block** idea—you should definitely share it with the teacher!
5. It's not easy to **bring up / blame** children in a big city.
6. We need to **calculate / brilliant** how many chairs we'll need for the event.

Exercise C

Complete the definitions with the words below:

Words: besides, blame, block, brilliant, bring up sb or bring sb up, calculate

1. _____ is to raise or take care of a child until they are an adult.
2. _____ is to find an answer using numbers or mathematical processes.
3. _____ is a large solid piece of something, or an object placed to stop movement or access.
4. _____ is to say or think that someone or something is responsible for a problem or bad situation.
5. _____ means excellent, very clever, or impressive.
6. _____ means in addition to or apart from something already mentioned.

Exercise D – Generated with AI

Mini-Story Gap Fill: "Tamar's Genius Plan"

Word Bank (use each word/phrase **once**):

besides, blame, block, brilliant, bring up, calculate

Tamar was known for her wild ideas. Some called her a genius, others called her "the reason we can't have nice things." Last week, she came up with a _____ plan to sell cold watermelon slices at school — during winter.

"Who eats watermelon in January?" asked Eliran, her best friend.

"Everyone," Tamar said confidently. "_____, it builds character."

When Principal Hadas found the school hallway sticky with juice, she didn't even ask questions. She just said, "Tamar, I'm going to have to _____ you for this."

Tamar replied, "I'm saving for the future, It's not easy to _____ children in such a fast-paced world. And besides, you should blame my little brother Yoni instead. He helped me _____ the prices," she insisted.

Later, a teacher had to _____ the hallway with caution tape, because someone slipped on a melon seed and slid into the vending machine.
