



Week 3

Primary 3/4

The Write Tribe

AN IRRESPONSIBLE ACT



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Story Study

Fill in the blanks with the correct words.

exclaimed	balmy	burst into uproarious laughter
rose	littered	ton of fun
hot soup	goofy grin	the gauntlet being thrown
fashioned	ricocheting	whirling
wobbled	smashing into smithereens	hoots of laughter

“And here’s a perfect three-point shot!” Bart 1. _____ as he swung the baseball with full force, sending the ball of paper straight at the 2. _____ fan blades. I found it so funny that I 3. _____. It was a 4. _____ afternoon. My friend Bart had come over to play with me as I was home alone. Let me let you a little about Bart. He is a troublemaker. However, he is a 5. _____. He comes up with the best ideas to kick boredom to the curb. With a 6. _____ plastered across his face, he said, “Let’s see if you can do better!” Obviously, I didn’t want to lose to him. 7. _____, I 8. _____ to the challenge. Little did I know, this would land me in serious 9. _____.

Without wasting a moment, we 10. _____ ‘baseballs’ out of crumpled paper from my Mother’s desk. Soon, my living room was 11. _____ with paper balls of all shapes and sizes. The game began. 12. _____ erupted from the both of us. Paper balls were sailing left and right, 13. _____ off the walls when suddenly the worst thing imaginable happened!



One of the balls hit my Mother's antique vase with full force. The vase

14. _____ momentarily before falling onto the floor,

15. _____. Just then, my mother waltz through the door. Her jaw wide open. That very moment, I realized that I had landed myself in hot soup.

word	meaning	word	meaning
exclaimed	cry out suddenly in surprise	ton of fun	someone or something that can be lots of fun
hot soup	get into trouble	the gauntlet being thrown	give a challenge
fashioned	to make something	whirling	turning
wobbled	shaking or moving unsteadily	hoots of laughter	bursts of laughter
goofy grin	silly smile	rose	rise
ricocheting	rebounding off a surface like a bullet	smashing into smithereens	breaking into tiny pieces
smashing into smithereens	breaking into tiny pieces	burst into uproarious laughter	to burst out laughing

