

Recognizing that Some Words May Have the Same (Synonyms) or Opposite (Antonyms) Meaning



What I Know

Multiple Choice. Choose the letter of the correct answer.



What's New

Read the story.

My Two Dogs

By: Crisberna R. Bacasnot

I have two dogs named Jeila and Isla. I love them both as if they are part of the family. They always make me happy.

Jeila is big while Isla is small. Jeila's fur color is black while Isla is white. They are both pretty, cute and sweet. They love to play especially during early morning and late evening.

Jeila and Isla are lovable, huggable and kissable.

"Look! Your dogs are beautiful and friendly. I want to hug them," said my neighbor Anne.

"Oh, yes. Jeila and Isla can easily make friends with humans. They are also caring."

"I think they are hungry. They look starving. Can I give them some chocolates?" Anne moreover said.

"Oh no. They hate chocolates. They don't eat sweet food because it's not good for their health. Don't worry, Jeila and Isla are already full."

Arf. Arf. Arf.

"Look, Anne. Jeila and Isla are glad to play with you!"

Questions to answer and discuss:

1. What are the names of the dogs?

- a. Jeila & Isla
- c. Blacky & Whitey
- b. Anne & Buddy
- d. Browny & Sky

2. What food do the two dogs hate to eat?

- a. cookies
- c. chocolates
- b. peanuts
- d. ice cream

3. How does the dog owner care for her pets?

- a. by giving them the right food
- b. by kicking them
- c. by beating them
- d. by not feeding them

4. If you were the dog, how would you feel when someone loves you?

- a. sad
- c. angry
- b. happy
- d. lonely



What's More

Guided Activity 1

Multiple Choice.

A. Choose the correct synonym for each given word.

1. big
 - a. little
 - b. ti
 - c. small
 - d. large
2. make
 - a. jump
 - b. climb
 - c. build
 - d. crawl
3. yell
 - a. shout
 - b. tell
 - c. talk
 - d. whisper
4. car
 - a. bike
 - b. auto
 - c. jeep
 - d. motorcycle
5. quiet
 - a. noisy
 - b. loud
 - c. silent
 - d. nice

B. Give the antonym of the underlined words. Choose your answer from the words inside the box.

found

hot

near

easy

early

cool

1. My teacher gives hard homework. _____
2. We live far from my grandmom. _____
3. Opening of classes starts too late. _____
4. Have you lost your pencil? _____
5. I like a cold snack. _____

Assessment 1

Identification. Identify whether each pair of words is a synonym or antonym.

1. big large	synonyms antonyms
2. angry mad	synonyms antonyms
3. funny silly	synonyms antonyms
4. hard easy	synonyms antonyms
5. happy sad	synonyms antonyms

Independent Activity 1

Read the following selections and select the letter of the correct answer from the given choices.

1. Maria is my classmate in grade II. She is a good and excellent student because she receives numerous awards from our teachers.

The synonym of the underlined word is:

- a. brilliant
- b. focused
- c. honest
- d. neat

2. Kristina has many hanging plants at home which she bought from Bemican's garden. She waters the plants early in the morning.

The antonym of the underlined word is:

- a. near
- b. fresh
- c. punctual
- d. late

3. My neighbor Mario won the lottery yesterday. He then went to the shop to buy a new car for his eldest son. He also bought a bike for his youngest daughter.

The antonym of the underlined word is:

- a. shiny
- b. rough
- c. old
- d. clean

4. My mother Ineng delivered a newborn infant. She cried upon seeing the newborn for the first time.

The synonym of the underlined word is:

- a. kid
- b. baby
- c. woman
- d. adult

5. Marcel's dogs escaped from their cage and ran away from home. In Burgos Street, the dogs encountered Piolo and attacked him.

The antonym of the underlined word is:

- a. awake
- b. caught
- c. defended
- d. bit



Additional Activities

Rewrite the sentence by replacing the underlined word with its antonym found inside the box.

fall inside sad

 wet up hard

1. The heavy rain began to rise.

2. Edith's mother called her outside.

3. Afel was glad seeing her dog.

4. She couldn't climb down from Guava tree.

5. Her clothes get dry.
