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Context Clues Worksheet (Writing Part 7)

Context Clues are words in the sentence that help you figure out the meaning of a difficult word that you do not know.

Directions: Read the words in the box below. Write each word where it belongs.

succumb rife extricate
cynic usurp volatile
 austere pungent provoke

1. The _____ crowd did not give much of a resistance.
2. The teacher gave an _____ warning to all his students.
3. The navy seal had to _____ the captured marines.
4. The _____ incident happened over and over again.
5. The prince tried to _____ the king without authority.
6. The boy did not want to _____ the angry lion.
7. The _____ bee sting went into the girl's shoulder.
8. Unfortunately, the student's parent was their biggest _____ because they did not believe in them.
9. The army _____ to the other army because they were simply out-manned.

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