

Vocabulary Mastery: Part 1 & 2

This activity focuses on key vocabulary related to school, leisure, and descriptive experiences. Complete the matching exercise first to review definitions, then apply your knowledge in the multiple-choice section.

Part 1: Definition Matching

Directions: Draw a line to match each vocabulary word or phrase on the left with its correct definition on the right.

Term	Definition
learning by rote	Erecting shelters for camping or outdoor activities.
touring a campus	Causing great surprise or wonder; very impressive.
giving a performance	Memorizing through repetition without deep understanding.
putting up tents	Making one feel very happy, animated, or thrilled.
going snorkelling	Walking around a school or university to see the facilities.
amazing	Causing discomfort or unhappiness; not enjoyable.
exhilarating	Performing in front of an audience (music, theatre, etc.).
unpleasant	Swimming at the surface with a mask and breathing tube.

Part 2: Contextual Multiple Choice

Directions: Circle the best option to complete each sentence based on the context clues provided.

1. Instead of trying to understand the complex math theories, he spent the whole night _____, which didn't help him during the problem-solving section of the test.

- A) touring a campus
- B) giving a performance
- C) learning by rote
- D) going snorkelling

2. The high-speed chase in the action movie was truly _____; I felt my heart racing and my adrenaline pumping the entire time.

- A) unpleasant
- B) exhilarating
- C) learning by rote
- D) putting up tents

3. We spent our first day at the university _____ to find out where the library, the science labs, and the student union were located.

- A) touring a campus
- B) giving a performance
- C) putting up tents
- D) going snorkelling

4. Standing at the edge of the Grand Canyon and watching the sunset was an _____ experience that I will never forget.

- A) unpleasant
- B) amazing
- C) learning by rote
- D) putting up tents

5. The smell of the old, damp basement was quite _____, so we decided to finish our work in the garden instead.

- A) exhilarating
- B) amazing
- C) unpleasant
- D) giving a performance