

Unit 7: World Famous

Vocabulary: *discoveries*

WORDS	PART OF SPEECH	MEANINGS	
Radium	noun	a white radioactive metal used to treat illness	
illness	noun	Sickness such as cancer or malaria	
ill	adjective		
professor	noun	a high-level university teacher	
secretly	Adverb	without anyone knowing	
secret	adjective		
governess	noun	a female teacher of rich families in the past	
radioactivity	noun	dangerous rays that cause illness or death	
remain	noun	dead body	
the rest	noun	the part of something that is left	
wealthy	adjective	very rich	
wealth	noun		
needy	adjective	not having enough money food and clothes	
need	verb		

ACTIVITY 1: FILL IN THE BLANKS WITH THE CORRECT WORD.

- I studied at the school but the _____ of my brothers studied with our _____.
- After the earthquakes, there were a lot of _____ people.
- _____ is used to treat illnesses like cancer.
- _____ Stephen Hawking was teaching at Cambridge University.

ACTIVITY2: CONTEXT CLUES: GUESS THE MEANING OF THE UNDERLINED WORDS.

- I took the tome off the shelf and opened it to page 94. Then I began to read.
 - book
 - cardigan
 - food
- Many ships have vanished during hurricanes. No survivors have ever been found.
 - returned
 - departed
 - disappeared