#### **Vocabulary Builder Grade 6**

Developed by teachers and reading specialists, **Vocabulary Builder Grade 6** provides the strategies, skills, and individual word instructions your students need to develop strong language proficiency. The program teaches how to determine word meaning by analyzing word structure, sentence context and structural changes. Helpful clues and examples, along with exciting audio-visual content, ensure that students of all learning styles can use the software independently. **Vocabulary Builder Grade 6** is an effective and engaging way to broaden vocabulary and language proficiency.

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#### **Targeted Skills**

- Homophones (Homonyms)
- Antonyms
- Synonyms
- Homographs
- Compound Words
- Easily Confused Words
- Similes, Idioms & Proverbs
- Prefixes & Suffixes

#### **Teacher Dashboard**

The Teacher Dashboard tracks student progress throughout each program and records the percentage score for every activity completed. This feature provides an overview of how well a student is progressing and allows the teacher to identify strengths and weaknesses.

- · Records students' results automatically as they work.
- Prints reports quickly and easily for sharing with parents and staff.
- · Provides summary reports by subject or detailed reports by activity.
- Allows teachers to print reports for individual students or an entire class.
- Stores student marks in one central location for all programs.

### **Program Outline**

The program is broken down into 9 main units, which can all be accessed from the main menu. On the following pages, each of these different units are broken down. The main menu units are:

- 1. Homophones
- 2. Antonyms
- 3. Synonyms
- 4. Homographs
- 5. Compound Words
- 6. Easily Confused Words
- 7. Figurative Language
- 8. Prefixes
- 9. Suffixes

#### 1 - Homophones (Homonyms)

- 1.1 Serial-Cereal, Bite-Byte, Chord-Cord, Berth-Birth, Ceiling-Sealing
- 1.2 Caught-Cot, Cruise-Crews, Foul-Fowl, Coarse-Course, Flew-Flu
- 1.3 Hoarse-Horse, Guessed-Guest, Idle-Idol, Wholly-Holy, Hanger-Hangar
- 1.4 Leased-Least, Overdue-Overdo, I'll-Aisle, Metal-Medal-Meddle, Lightening-Lightning
- 1.5 Pier-Peer, Peal-Peel, Plum-Plumb, Patience-Patients, Presence-Presents
- 1.6 Stationery-Stationary, Principal-Principle, Rapt-Wrapped, Rain-Rein-Reign, Prophet-Profit

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Activity 1	Match the homophones in each column.	
Activity 2	Type the correct homophone into each sentence.	
Activity 3	Click on the correct homophone to match the picture.	Understand the meaning and spelling of pairs of homophones.
Activity 4	Match the homophone with its correct meaning.	
Activity 5	Type the correct homophone into each sentence.	
Word Game	Find the homophones in the word search or concentration game.	

#### 2 - Antonyms

2.1 - Absent-Present, Ancient-Modern, Arrive-Depart, Bitter-Sweet, Afraid-Confident, Apart-Together, Attack-Defend, Bold-Shy, Allow-Forbid, Argue-Agree, Better-Worse, Answer-Question

2.2 - Create-Destroy, Dull-Sharp, Freeze-Thaw, Polite-Rude, Dawn-Dusk, Few-Many, Hero-Coward, Cheap-Expensive, Deep-Shallow, Follow-Lead, Often-Seldom

2.3 - Praise-Criticism, Relax-Tighten, Send-Receive, Sorrow-Joy, Prohibit-Allow, Rough-Smooth, Shack-Palace, Ready-Unprepared, Rare-Common, Safe-Dangerous, Shame-Honor

2.4 - Spend-Earn, Tidy-Messy, Wealth-Poverty, Stingy-Generous, Tame-Wild, Vanish-Appear, Straight-Crooked, Teach-Learn, Victory-Defeat

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Activity 1	Click on the word that is an antonym or opposite of the word you hear.	
Activity 2	Click on the two words in each row that are antonyms or opposites.	Understand the meaning
Activity 3	Match each word with its antonym or opposite.	and spelling of common
Activity 4	Find an antonym for each word listed in the word search.	antonyms.
Activity 5	Find the antonyms or opposites in the concentration puzzle.	

#### 3 - Synonyms

3.1 - Astonish-Amaze, Youth-Lad, Cheat-Deceive, Greatest-Best, Bravery-Courage, Dark-Gloomy, Irritate-Annoy, Charm-Delight, Children-Tools

3.2 - Country-Nation, Vacant-Empty, Fragile-Delicate, Clever-Intelligent, Danger-Threat, Energy-Power, Freedom-Liberty, Strange-Odd, Instruct-Teach

3.3 - Frequent-Often, Grasp-Clutch, Modern-New, Ancient-Aged, Difficult-Tough, Considerate-Thoughtful, Novice-Beginner, One-Single

3.4 - Pain-Ache, Play-Slow, Ruin-Destroy, Piece-Section, Powerful-Mighty, Strong-Powerful, People-Persons, Correct-Right

3.5 - Faithful-Loyal, Vast-Huge, Wealth-Riches, Understand-Know, Try-Attempt, Victor-Winner, Gratitude-Appreciation, Wonderful-Amazing, Price-Worth, Frail-Helpless

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Activity 1	Click on the synonym for the big word you see.	
Activity 2	Match the synonyms in the two columns.	Understand the meaning
Activity 3	Click on two words in each row that are synonyms.	and spelling of common synonyms.
Activity 4	Find the synonyms in the concentration puzzle.	

#### 4 - Homographs

- 4.1 Account, Amount, Appears, Assure, Bay
- 4.3 Count, Counter, Forge, Game
- 4.5 Monitor, Pitcher, Prune, Racket, Rare
- 4.7 Stake, Stalk, Steer, Stern, Strand
- 4.9 Wake, Yard, Toast

- 4.2 Behind, Belongs, Blind, Bridge, Case
- 4.4 Ground, Hatch, Hold, Might, Husky
- 4.6 Scale, Spruce, Squash, Stable
- 4.8 Stroke, Swallow, Tart, Tender, Till

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Activity 1	Click on the correct definition that matches each picture.	
Activity 2	Match the highlighted homograph in each sentence with the correct meaning below.	Understand the meaning and spelling of common homographs.
Activity 3	Click on the sentence that matches the meaning of the homograph at the top of the page.	

#### 5 - Compound Words

5.1 - Applesauce, Copyright, Flashback, Frostbite, Handcuff, Handlebar, Hardware, Keyboard, Blackout, Highway
5.2 - Windmill, Lightheaded, Motorcycle, Nightgown, Online, Overpass, Sweetheart, Turtleneck, Walkman,
Homemade

5.3 - Wastebasket, Whirlpool, Wristwatch, Rawhide, Shipwreck, Watchman, Headquarters, Wildcat, Blueprint, Eyebrow

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Activity 1	Type the two words that make up each compound word that you see.	
Activity 2	Find the compound word in the word search and click on each letter of the word.	Understand the meaning and spelling of common compound words.
Activity 3	Match words in the two columns to make compound words.	

### 6 - Easily Confused Words

Accept-Except, Affect-Effect, Dessert-Desert, Loose-Lose, Past-Passed, Those-Them, Advice-Advise, Already-All ready, Angel-Angle, Adapt-Adopt, Antidote-Anecdote, Council-Counsel, Bazaar-Bizarre, Past-Passed, Persecute-Prosecute, Thorough-Through, Device-Devise, Disapprove-Disprove, Miner-Minor, Legal-Illegal, Diary-Dairy

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Activity 1	Find the word that belongs in each sentence and click on it.	Understand the meaning and spelling of common
Activity 2	Choose if the correct word is used for each sentence.	compound words.

## 7.1 - Figurative Language - Idioms (5 units)

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Activity 1	Choose the correct meaning for the idiom in the sentence above.	Understand the meaning and spelling of common
Activity 2	Match the idiom on the left with its meaning on the right.	idioms.

## 7.2 - Figurative Language - Proverbs (4 units)

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Activity 1	Match each proverb with its correct meaning.	Understand the meaning and spelling of common proverbs.

### 8 - Prefixes

8.1 - Im, Inter

8.2 - Ir, Pre, Re, Semi, Un, Mis

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Add the Prefix 1	Combine the given word with its prefix to form a	
Add the Prefix 2	new word.	Understand how to use a
Match the Meanings	Match the words with their correct meanings.	prefix to form a new word.
Match the Prefix	Click on the correct prefix to make the word you see into a new word.	

#### 9 - Suffixes

- 9.1 Reasonable, Relaxing, Replacement, Satisfying, Selfish, Successful, Wonderful, Worrying, Worthless, Boastful
- 9.2 Careful, Definitely, Effortless, Entertainment, Foolish, Fortunately, Goodness, Government, Greenish
- 9.3 Hurrying, Kindness, Meanest, Motionless, Noticeable, Peaceable, Peaceful, Politely
- 9.4 Brightly, Acceptable, Agreement, Announcement, Appearance, Appointment, Beautifully, Breakable

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Add the Suffix 1	Combine the given word with its suffix to form a	
Add the Suffix 2	new word.	Understand how to use a suffix to form a new
Match the Suffix	Click on the correct suffix to make the word you see into a new word.	word.