



**Test Prep
Flash Cards
5th & 6th Grade**

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Suggested Uses:
Literacy Centers
Partners in Class
Individual Use
At Home Practice
In Class Drills

Abstract Nouns

**Ideas, feelings or qualities
such as love, kindness, fear,
anger, imagination**

Affix

**A meaningful part of a word
that is attached before
(prefix) or after (suffix) a
root or base word to modify
its meaning**

Alliteration

The repetition of a leading consonant sound in neighboring words
(slithering, slimy snake)

Appositives

A word or phrase that renames or identifies a noun
Ex: Dr. Tuttle, the neurologist in the new hospital, has just graduated medical school.

Assonance

Repetition of vowel sounds in successive words

(sweet treat with tea)

Bandwagon

A cause that attracts increasing numbers of followers; persuasive device

Ex: Young voters climbing aboard the party's bandwagon

Tool of Persuasion!

Concrete Nouns

**Words that represent objects
one can see, hear, touch,
smell, taste
(with the senses)**

Coordinating Conjunctions

**Words that connect or join
other words, phrases, or
clauses**

**Ex: for, and, nor, but, or, yet,
so (fanboys)**

Demonstrative Pronouns

**Pronouns that tell which one
(Point out which one)
-not to be confused with
demonstrative adjectives
This, That, These, Those**

Dependent Clauses

**Subordinate Clauses
Includes a subject and a verb;
it is dependent on another
clause for meaning & context
-Cannot Stand Alone-**

**Descriptive
Texts**

**Texts that describe
using facts or opinions**

Fluency

**Clear, easy, and quick
written or spoken
expression of ideas;
automaticity**

Genre

**Different types of
literary texts**

**Ex: biography, autobiography,
fiction, non-fiction**

Hyperbole

**Figure of speech where
extreme exaggeration is used
for emphasis or comic effect
(I'm so hungry I could eat a horse!)**

Idiom

An expression whose meaning is not predictable from the usual meanings of the words

(kick the bucket, raining cats and dogs)

Independent Clause

**Insubordinate Clause--
A clause that can stand alone as a complete thought, as a complete sentence**

Inference

Deduction or Conclusion made from **facts** (text-based) that are suggested or implied rather than directly stated **combined with personal knowledge-**

Conclusion drawn from text evidence plus our current knowledge

Informational Text

A type of non-fiction that conveys information about the natural or social world

Interrogative Pronouns

**Pronouns used to ask a
question**

????????????

**Ex: what, which, who,
whom, whose**

Metaphor

**Comparison in which one
thing is described as being
something else; does not
use the words like or as**

Passage

**A segment of a
written work or
speech**

Phoneme

**A minimal sound unit of speech
that, when contrasted with
another phoneme, affects the
naming of words in a language,
as /b/ in book contrasts with
/t/ in took and /h/ in hook**

Poetry

**A piece of literature
written in meter; verse**

Prepositions
(Relational Words)

**e.g., above, below, in, over,
under, beside, etc.**
***They link nouns, pronouns and phrases
to other words in a sentence**

Read

**To see and understand
the meaning of printed
material**

Reproduce

To produce again; recreate

Segment

**To divide or become
divided into parts**

**Simple
Sentence**

**A sentence having no
Subordinate (Dependent)
Clauses
It is 1 Subordinate
(Independent) Clause**

Sort

**To arrange according
to class, size, or kind;
classify**

Synonym

**A word having the same
or nearly the same
meaning as another word
or other words**

Text Features

Organizers of written materials such as indexes, prefaces, appendices, definitional footnotes, sidebars, tables of contents, illustrations or photographs

Title

An identifying name given to a book, play, film, musical composition, or other work; a general or descriptive heading

Track

**To keep account or
record of**

Verb

**The part of speech that
expresses action or being**

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