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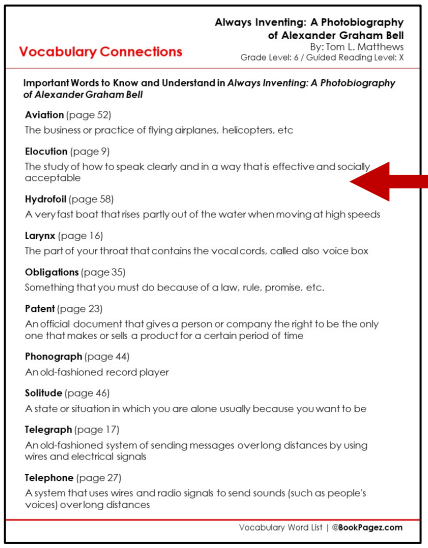

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By: Tom L. Matthews
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Important Words to Know and Understand in *Always Inventing: A Photobiography of Alexander Graham Bell*

Aviation (page 52)
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Elocution (page 9)
The study of how to speak clearly and in a way that is effective and socially acceptable

Hydrofoil (page 58)
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Larynx (page 16)
The part of your throat that contains the vocal cords, called also voice box

Obligations (page 35)
Something that you must do because of a law, rule, promise, etc.

Patent (page 23)
An official document that gives a person or company the right to be the only one that makes or sells a product for a certain period of time

Phonograph (page 44)
An old-fashioned record player

Solitude (page 46)
A state or situation in which you are alone usually because you want to be

Telegraph (page 17)
An old-fashioned system of sending messages overlong distances by using wires and electrical signals

Telephone (page 27)
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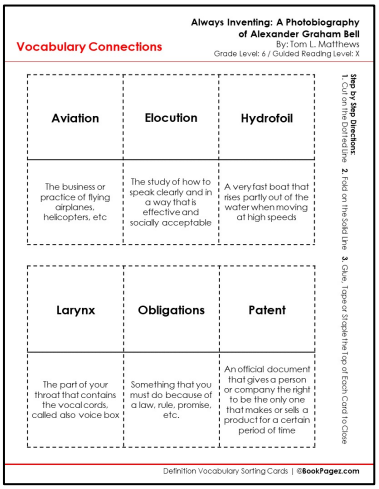

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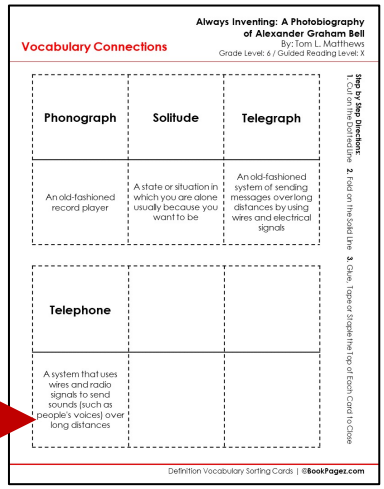
Word and Definition Sorting Cards



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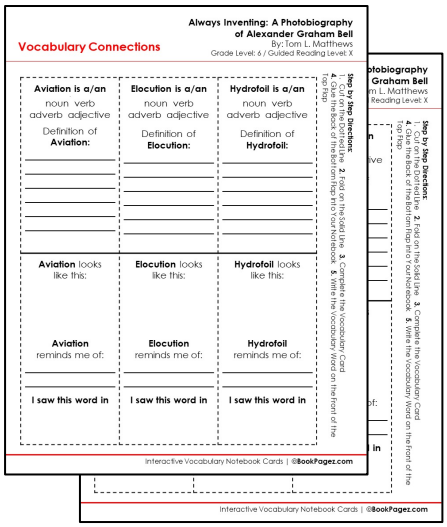

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Aviation is a/an	Elocution is a/an	Hydrofoil is a/an
noun verb adverb adjective	noun verb adverb adjective	noun verb adverb adjective
Definition of **Aviation:**	Definition of **Elocution:**	Definition of **Hydrofoil:**
Aviation looks like this:	**Elocution** looks like this:	**Hydrofoil** looks like this:
Aviation reminds me of:	**Elocution** reminds me of:	**Hydrofoil** reminds me of:
I saw this word in	**I saw this word in**	**I saw this word in**

Step by Step Directions: 1. Cut on the Dotted Line. 2. Fold on the Solid Line. 3. Complete the Vocabulary Card. 4. Glue the Back of the Bottom Flap into Your Notebook. 5. Write the Vocabulary Word on the Front of the Top Flap.

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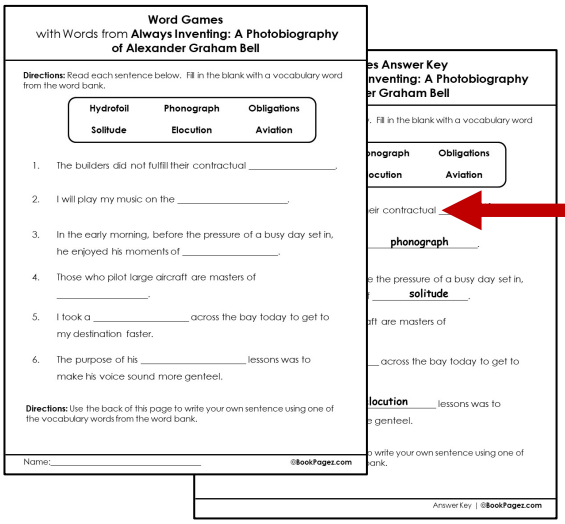

Word Games
with Words from **Always Inventing: A Photobiography of Alexander Graham Bell**

Directions: Read each sentence below. Fill in the blank with a vocabulary word from the word bank.

Hydrofoil	Phonograph	Obligations
Solitude	Elocution	Aviation

1. The builders did not fulfill their contractual _____.
2. I will play my music on the _____.
3. In the early morning, before the pressure of a busy day set in, he enjoyed his moments of _____.
4. Those who pilot large aircraft are masters of _____.
5. I took a _____ across the bay today to get to my destination faster.
6. The purpose of his _____ lessons was to make his voice sound more genteel.

Directions: Use the back of this page to write your own sentence using one of the vocabulary words from the word bank.

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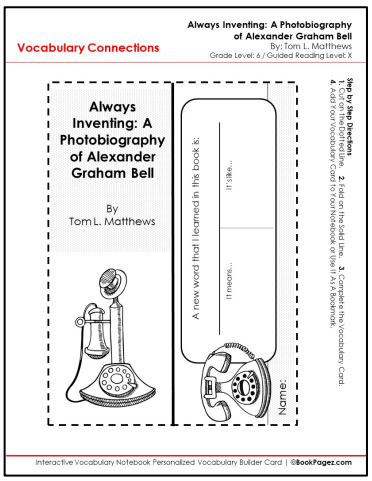

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A new word that I learned in this book is:
It sounds like...
It means...
Name:

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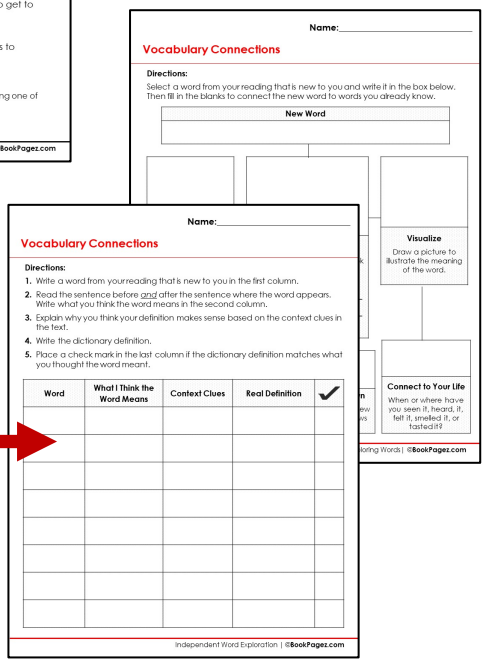
Personalized Vocabulary Bookmark



Name:_____

Vocabulary Connections

Directions:
Select a word from your reading that is new to you and write it in the box below. Then fill in the blanks to connect the new word to words you already know.

New Word

Visualize
Draw a picture to illustrate the meaning of the word.

Connect to Your Life
When or where have you seen it, heard, it, felt it, smelled it, or tasted it?

Name:_____

Vocabulary Connections

Directions:
1. Write a word from your reading that is new to you in the first column.
2. Read the sentence before and after the sentence where the word appears. Write what you think the word means in the second column.
3. Explain why you think your definition makes sense based on the context clues in the text.
4. Write the dictionary definition.
5. Place a check mark in the last column if the dictionary definition matches what you thought the word meant.

Word	What I Think the Word Means	Context Clues	Real Definition	✓

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Vocabulary Word Extension Activities