

Vocabulary Connections Resources

Vocabulary Connections Kitten's First Full Moon
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Important Words to Know and Understand in "Kitten's First Full Moon"

Full Moon
The moon when it appears as a bright circle

Leaped
To jump from a surface

Might
Power to do something; force or strength

Poor
Used to refer to someone or something in a way that shows sympathy

Porch
A structure attached to the entrance of a building that has a roof and that may or may not have walls

Raced
To go; move at a very fast speed

Sprang
To move or leap suddenly forward or upward

Stretched
To put your arms, legs, etc., in positions that make the muscles long and tight

Tongue
The soft, movable part in the mouth that's used for tasting and eating food

Tumbled
To fall forward while turning over

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Full Moon is a/an
noun verb
adverb adjective
Definition of Full Moon:

Leaped is a/an
noun verb
adverb adjective
Definition of Leaped:

Might is a/an
noun verb
adverb adjective
Definition of Might:

Full Moon looks like this:

Leaped looks like this:

Might looks like this:

Full Moon reminds me of:

Leaped reminds me of:

Might reminds me of:

I saw this word in:

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Word Games
with Words from Kitten's First Full Moon

Directions: Shade the box next to the word that's spelled correctly.

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- tumbled tumbelled tumbled
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- poor poor porr

Directions: Trace the words that match each picture.

Answer Key
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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?

Directions:

- Write a word from your reading that is new to you in the first column.
- Read the sentence before **and** after the sentence where the word appears. Write what you think the word means in the second column.
- Explain why you think your definition makes sense based on the context clues in this list.
- Write the dictionary definition.
- 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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