

Vocabulary Connections Resources

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Leo the Late Bloomer
By: Robert Kraus
Grade Level: 1 / Guided Reading Level: I

Important Words to Know and Understand in "Leo the Late Bloomer"

Budded
A small part that grows on a plant and develops into a flower, leaf, or new branch

Couldn't
A contraction of could not

Used to
Used to say that you have chosen one thing or person over another

Late Bloomer
Someone who becomes successful, attractive, etc., at a later time in life than other people

Neatly
Not messy; clean and orderly

Patience
The ability to wait for a long time without becoming annoyed or upset

Signs
Something (such as an action or event) which shows that something else exists, is true, or will happen

Slippy
Not careful or neat







What's the Matter
Used to ask if there is a problem or to say that there is or is not a problem

Write
To form letters or numbers on a surface with a pen, pencil, etc.

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Important Words to Know and Understand in Leo the Late Bloomer Word List

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Budded 	Couldn't 	Instead 
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Word and Picture Sorting Cards

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Budded	Couldn't	Instead
A small part that grows on a plant and develops into a flower, leaf, or new branch	A contraction of could not	Used to say that one thing done or that one thing persons chosen when another is not chosen, cannot be done, etc.
Late Bloomer	Neatly	Patience
Someone who becomes successful, attractive, etc. at a later time in life than other people	Not messy; clean and orderly	The ability to wait for a long time without becoming annoyed or upset

Word and Definition Sorting Cards

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Leo Blobber is a/an noun verb adjective Definition of Leo Blobber :	Neatly is a/an noun verb adjective Definition of Neatly :	Patience is a/an noun verb adjective Definition of Patience :	Leo the Blobber By: Robert Kraus Guided Reading Level: 1
Leo Blobber looks like this:	Neatly looks like this:	Patience looks like this:	Leo the Blobber By: Robert Kraus Guided Reading Level: 1
Leo Blobber reminds me of:	Neatly reminds me of:	Patience reminds me of:	Leo the Blobber By: Robert Kraus Guided Reading Level: 1
I saw this word in	I saw this word in	I saw this word in	Leo the Blobber By: Robert Kraus Guided Reading Level: 1

Interactive Vocabulary Notebook Cards

Word Games

with Words from Leo the Late Bloomer

Directions: Graph the number of vowels in each of the words below.

BUDDIED	INSTEAD	NEATLY	PATIENCE	SIGNS	SLOPPY	WRITE

1 2 3 4 5
Number of Vowels

Directions: Choose your favorite word from the Word Bank. Practice writing the word on the lines below.

Word Bank
 BUDDIED
 INSTEAD
 NEATLY
 PATIENCE
 SIGNS
 SLOPPY
 WRITE

Name: _____

Answer Key

to the Late Bloomer

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Word Games and Answer Key

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A new word I've learned in this book is:

It's like...

I remember...



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By the Step Connection

3. Make a word card for each word. 4. Complete the Vocabulary Card.

A card that connects the words to the word in the book is a **connection**.

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Vocabulary Connections

Name: _____

Directions:

1. Write a word from your reading that is new to you in the first column.
2. Read the sentence below and offer the sentence where the word appears.
3. Explain why you think the word means in the second column.
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	✓

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?

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