

Vocabulary Connections Resources

Important Words to Know and Understand in The Leaf Thief Word List

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The Leaf Thief
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Grade Level: 2 / Guided Reading Level: K

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Ages
A very long time

Autumn
The season of the year between summer and winter, when leaves change color and the weather becomes colder

Canopy
A covering that stretches across an area like a roof

Coniferous
Connected with any tree that produces hard dry fruit called cones

Deciduous
A tree or bush that sheds its leaves during autumn and regrows them in the spring

Disturb
To interrupt somebody when they are trying to work, sleep, etc.

Evergreen
A tree or bush that keeps its green leaves throughout the entire year

Hemisphere
One half of the earth, especially the half above or below the equator

Shed
To get rid of something that is no longer wanted

Thief
A person who steals something from another person or place

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Picture Vocabulary Sorting Cards

Ages	Autumn	Canopy
Coniferous	Deciduous	Disturb

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Word and Picture Sorting Cards

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Ages is a/an noun verb adverb adjective Definition of Ages: 	Autumn is a/an noun verb adverb adjective Definition of Autumn: 	Canopy is a/an noun verb adverb adjective Definition of Canopy:
Ages looks like this: 	Autumn looks like this: 	Canopy looks like this:
Ages reminds me of: 	Autumn reminds me of: 	Canopy reminds me of:
I saw this word in 	I saw this word in 	I saw this word in

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Word Games with Words from The Leaf Thief

Directions: Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the word bank to complete the sentences.

autumn disturb canopy hemisphere
ages evergreen thief coniferous

- In _____ the leaves on the trees change color and fall.
- A _____ is a person who takes something that doesn't belong to them.
- An _____ is a type of tree that keeps its leaves throughout the year.
- It took _____ for people to invent spaceships.
- Be quiet and don't _____ your sister while she's doing her homework.

Directions:

- Look at the letter grid.
- Find and circle the words listed in the Word Bank.
- Words can go up and down or left and right.
- Use a pencil or crayon to circle words.

Name: _____

crayon to circle words.

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Word Games and Answer Key

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Name: _____

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?

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Vocabulary Word Extension Activities

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Name: _____

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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Personalized Vocabulary Bookmark

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A new word I learned in this book is: _____

It means: _____

Name: _____

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