







Vocabulary Connections Resources

The Stranger By: Chris Van Allsburg Grade Level: 3 / Guided Reading Level: F	
Vocabulary Connections	
Important Words to Know and Understand in "The Stranger"	
Drob Dull gray, brown or yellow. Having no energy or cheer	
Etched To cut or carve on the surface of something	
Rock A group of animals (usually birds) that live, travel and eat together	
Hermit A person who lives alone and does not interact with other people	
Hypnotized To be charmed or fascinated by someone or something	
Mercury To be charmed or fascinated by someone or something	
Peculiar Strange or odd	
Pitchfork A large, long handled fork used for lifting hay or grain	
Rough Something that is in poor condition	
Terror Extreme fear	

Important Words to Know and Understand in The Stranger Word List

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Drab	Etched	Flock
		
Hermit	Hypnotized	Mercury
		

1. Read the story.

2. Find on the board the 3. Draw, trace or indicate the top of each word to show

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Word and Picture Sorting Cards

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Step 1: Map Definitions
 1. Cut out the word cards. 2. Read on the sidebars. 3. Color, tape or staple the top of each. 4. Carry to Class.

Dull	Etched	Flock
Dull gray, brown or yellow. Having no energy or cheer	To cut or carve on the surface of something	A group of animals (usually birds) that live, travel and eat together

Hermi	Hypnotized	Mercury
A person who lives alone and does not interact with other people	To be charmed or fascinated by someone or something	A type of metal used in thermometers – the red liquid that tells the temperature

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Interactive Vocabulary Notebook Cards


Word Games

with Words from The Stranger

Directions: Find each vocabulary word in the word search below.

Word Bank

DRAH
ETCHED
FLOCK
HERMIT
HYPOCOTIZED
MERCURY
FECULAR
FITCHORK
ROUGH
TERROR



1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Name: _____


Word Games

in The Stranger

Directions: Find each vocabulary word in the word search below.

J	I	D	E	G	G	D	Y	F	K	M	B	S	C
E	I	J	O	L	M	E	R	C	U	R	Y	H	M
P	I	T	C	H	O	R	K	B	B	O	P	K	E
J	A	X	C	K	H	E	R	M	I	T	A	B	C
C	T	G	N	D	R	I	O	Y	X	F	F	E	K
T	N	L	Z	C	R	Y	U	S	A	M	Y	D	R
F	L	O	C	K	F	W	G	C	A	O	F	T	G
G	T	T	E	T	C	H	N	H	R	S	P	C	Z
O	H	H	Y	P	N	T	I	Z	E	D	B	E	
W	H	L	Y	S	X	P	T	Z	P	L	C	M	C
P	I	N	V	W	E	N	T	X	U	V	F	L	T
T	E	R	R	O	R	Z	D	R	A	B	L	I	H
I	K	Q	T	M	I	D	L	L	N	I	I	H	E
M	U	O	A	G	U	C	Y	H	A	A	L	A	L
Z	H	Y	L	Y	L	I	C	Q	C	T	R	Y	G


Directions: Read the vocabulary words in the word bank. Then, write the one syllable words on the lines.



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4. Rough

Directions: Read the vocabulary words in the word bank. Then, write the one syllable words on the lines.



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Word Games and Answer Key

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