

VOCABULARY CONNECTIONS RESOURCES

Important Words to Know and Understand in Watercress Word List

Vocabulary Connections Watercress
By: Andrea Wang
Grade Level: 3 / Guided Reading Level: N

Important Words to Know and Understand in Watercress

Abrupt
Sudden and unexpected

Delicate
Easily breakable, needs careful treatment

Faded
Became less bright or strong

Glinting
Shiny, small flashes of light reflecting from a surface

Horizon
Where the earth and sky seem to meet

Longing
The feeling of wanting something or someone

Sodden
Very wet

Squelches
To make a sucking sound when walking on wet ground

Thrusts
A strong push

Unearth
To find something after digging

Vocabulary Word List | ©BookPagez.com

Word and Picture Sorting Cards

Vocabulary Connections Watercress
By: Andrea Wang
Grade Level: 3 / Guided Reading Level: N

Abrupt	Delicate	Faded
Glinting	Horizon	Longing

Picture Vocabulary Sorting Cards | ©BookPagez.com

Vocabulary Connections Watercress
By: Andrea Wang
Grade Level: 3 / Guided Reading Level: N

Abrupt	Delicate	Faded
Sudden and unexpected	Easily breakable, needs careful treatment	Became less bright or strong
Glinting	Horizon	Longing
Shiny, small flashes of light reflecting from a surface	Where the earth and sky seem to meet	The feeling of wanting something or someone

Definition Vocabulary Sorting Cards | ©BookPagez.com

Word and Definition Sorting Cards

Vocabulary Connections Watercress
By: Andrea Wang
Grade Level: 3 / Guided Reading Level: N

Abrupt is a/an noun, verb adverb, adjective	Delicate is a/an noun, verb adverb, adjective	Faded is a/an noun, verb adverb, adjective
Definition of Abrupt :	Definition of Delicate :	Definition of Faded :
_____	_____	_____
Abrupt looks like this:	Delicate looks like this:	Faded looks like this:
_____	_____	_____
Abrupt reminds me of:	Delicate reminds me of:	Faded reminds me of:
_____	_____	_____
I saw this word in	I saw this word in	I saw this word in
_____	_____	_____

Interactive Vocabulary Notebook Cards | ©BookPagez.com

Word Games with Words from Watercress

Directions: Choose the correct vocabulary word from the word bank to complete each sentence and write it in the blank.

delicate glinting thrusts sodden longing

- The _____ sponge absorbed all the water.
- The crying girl is _____ for a hug from her mom.
- The rocket _____ into the sky, leaving a trail of fire behind.
- Be gentle with the _____ flowers in the garden.
- The river looks beautiful with sunlight _____ on its surface.

Directions: Write a sentence using one of the vocabulary words from the word bank.

Name: _____

©BookPagez.com

Word Games and Answer Key

Interactive Vocabulary Notebook Cards

Vocabulary Connections Watercress
By: Andrea Wang
Grade Level: 3 / Guided Reading Level: N

Watercress
By Andrea Wang

A new word that I learned in this book is: _____

If I see _____

If I hear _____

If it means _____

Name: _____

Interactive Vocabulary Notebook Personalized Vocabulary Builder Card | ©BookPagez.com

Vocabulary Word Extension Activities

Vocabulary Connections 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 the text.
- 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	✓

Independent Word Exploration | ©BookPagez.com

Personalized Vocabulary Bookmark