

Lesson 1

1A Finding Meanings p. 2

1. c—a 5. d—c 8. b—d
2. b—a 6. a—d 9. a—d
3. b—c 7. d—a 10. c—a
4. d—c

1B Just the Right Word p. 3

1. obedient
2. retire
3. budge
4. compatible
5. alert
6. obstacles
7. distraction
8. assigned
9. pedestrians
10. patient

1C Applying Meanings p. 4

(Other choices are possible.)

1. a, b, c
2. a
3. a, b, d
4. a, b, d
5. a, b, c, d
6. a, b, d
7. a, b, c
8. a, c

1D Word Relationships p. 5

1. alert — watchful
2. homework — assignment
3. budge — move
4. accustomed — usual
5. jostle — shove
6. patient — uncomplaining
7. alert — warn
8. idea — concept
9. strong — burly
10. assign — select

1E Narrative p. 6 (The appropriate vocabulary word is printed in boldface. Sentences are examples; students' sentences may vary.)

1. The idea was that dogs could be trained to be the eyes for blind people.
2. It begins when the dog is **assigned** to its new owner.
3. Such a person might be comfortable with a large, powerful dog.
4. They probably would not be very **compatible**.
5. People who are walking are usually on sidewalks.
6. Guide dogs are taught to disobey commands that would put their owners in danger.
7. This is done to **accustom** it to anything that might happen.
8. **Alert** means "watching out for signs of danger."
9. The dog will not **budge** until it is safe to do so.
10. They are trained to ignore **distractions**.
11. **Patient** means "willing to wait without complaining."
12. Garbage cans, mailboxes, and lampposts are some things that might be in the way.
13. They must make sure their owners don't get **jostled**.
14. **Retires** means "to end one's working life."
15. They are very close **companions**.

Lesson 2

2A Finding Meanings p. 10

1. a—b 5. b—d 8. c—a
2. d—b 6. c—b 9. d—a
3. c—d 7. c—b 10. b—d
4. a—c

2B Just the Right Word p. 12

1. beverages
2. extracts
3. exported
4. introduced
5. combination
6. cultivated
7. tropical
8. purchased
9. craved
10. cluster

2C Applying Meanings p. 12

(Other choices are possible.)

1. a, c
2. c
3. a, c, d
4. b, d
5. a, c
6. a, d
7. b, c, d
8. b, d

2D Word Relationships p. 13

1. purchase — sell
2. craving — dislike
3. cluster — scatter
4. combine — separate
5. destroy — cultivate
6. extract — insert
7. brittle — flexible
8. irritating — bland
9. tropical — cold
10. unequal — equivalent

2E Narrative p. 15 (The appropriate vocabulary word is printed in boldface. Sentences are examples; students' sentences may vary.)

1. Eating some chocolate would satisfy a strong desire for it.
2. Cocoa is used to make chocolate candy and **beverages**.
3. **Cultivated** means "grown."
4. They cannot grow where it is cold and dry.
5. They are sent to countries all over the world.
6. They used them to **purchase** the things they needed.
7. Candy is made by **combining** cocoa powder with cocoa butter, sugar, and dried milk.
8. You would find a **cluster** of 20 to 40 cocoa beans.
9. The beans have a slight chocolate **aroma**.
10. **Consumed** means "drank."
11. After the beans are roasted, the shells become **brittle** and are easy to remove.
12. The cocoa butter is **extracted** from it.
13. Spanish explorers **introduced** chocolate to Europe in the 1500s.
14. **Bland** means "lacking a strong flavor."
15. They were **equivalent** in value for the Aztecs.

Lesson 3

3A Finding Meanings p. 18

1. b—a 5. c—d 8. d—a
2. c—a 6. d—b 9. c—d
3. b—c 7. d—a 10. c—b
4. b—c

3B Just the Right Word p. 19

1. obscured
2. puny
3. evident
4. ferocity
5. preyed
6. premature
7. survivors
8. option
9. duration
10. carnivores

3C Applying Meanings p. 20

(Other choices are possible.)

1. c, d
2. a, b, c
3. a, b, c, d
4. c
5. a
6. a, c, d
7. a, c
8. a, c, d

3D Word Relationships p. 21

1. huge — gigantic
2. weak — puny
3. choice — option
4. understanding — comprehension
5. obvious — evident
6. savage — ferocious
7. victim — prey
8. hidden — obscure
9. forerunner — ancestor
10. save — preserve

3E Narrative p. 22 (The appropriate vocabulary word is printed in boldface. Sentences are examples; students' sentences may vary.)

1. They found its remains **preserved** in rock in Utah.
2. It is much shorter.
3. They became **extinct** about 65 million years ago.
4. They understand how it looked and how it attacked other creatures.
5. **Prey** means "an animal that is hunted for food."
6. **Tyrannosaurus rex** was **gigantic**.
7. **Survive** means "to stay alive."
8. There weren't really any possibilities for escape, once **Utahraptor** attacked.
9. No. They were **puny** in comparison.
10. Scientists are still studying this subject.
11. It seems **evident** that it happened suddenly.
12. The dust from the meteorite would **obscure** the sun's rays.
13. The bones of a flying dinosaur have been discovered, leading some scientists to believe that it may be related to today's birds.
14. They were both **carnivores**.
15. It was a **ferocious** creature.

