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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 4A

mail	gain	contains	fair	daily	airline	maintain
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**DEFINITIONS:** Numbers 1 through 7 show definitions of the list words. Select the correct word that matches the definition from the two words at the end of each definition. Write it in the blank space provided. While students can be asked to complete this entire assignment on their own (with help from a dictionary), it can also be beneficial for teachers to first discuss the meanings of the seven words above. All words (except one) are repeated 3 times in the activities below to give the repetition needed for accelerated memorization.

- To get something new – to close the gap as in a race – increase weight: \_\_\_\_\_ (daily, gain)
- What is right and expected for each person – not to cheat others: \_\_\_\_\_ (fair, gain)
- A business that uses airplanes for moving people: \_\_\_\_\_ (contains, airline)
- To keep going in the same manner as before: \_\_\_\_\_ (maintain, daily)
- Materials, such as letters and packages, handled by the post office: \_\_\_\_\_ (fair, mail)
- To have inside – to hold: \_\_\_\_\_ (contains, maintain)
- Happening each day: \_\_\_\_\_ (maintain, daily)

**DEFINITION CLUES:** Carefully read the phrase or riddle below. Choose the word you think goes best with the phrase or riddle and write it in the blank space provided. Be Careful ! These can be tricky!

- The airline pilot was told to keep going at the current speed and direction: \_\_\_\_\_
- You took a test and didn't cheat – you and a friend found money and split it evenly: \_\_\_\_\_
- When you fly to visit someone you travel on this: \_\_\_\_\_
- Stamps are put on this - most families receive it daily Monday through Saturday: \_\_\_\_\_
- If you were in a bicycle race and went from being 80 feet to 5 feet behind the leader: \_\_\_\_\_
- The sun rises this often – You eat breakfast once a day: \_\_\_\_\_
- Inside a jar – inside a box – inside my desk: \_\_\_\_\_

**FILL-IN-THE-BLANK:** Each sentence below is missing one word. Read the sentence carefully and choose the vocabulary word that best goes in the blank space provided.

- The Post Office works hard to deliver our mail \_\_\_\_\_, except for Sunday.
- If you jump in front of others in the lunch line it wouldn't be \_\_\_\_\_.
- If I ate 30 cookies and 5 bowls of ice cream daily I would certainly \_\_\_\_\_ weight.
- Read the label on the dessert package to see what it \_\_\_\_\_.
- If someone calls you a name you need to \_\_\_\_\_ your cool and not get mad.
- My older brother loves flying so much that someday he wants to be an \_\_\_\_\_ pilot.

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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 4B

speed	agree	squeeze	peek	peer	sleet	greedy
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- How fast something is moving – its rate of motion: \_\_\_\_\_ (peer, speed)
- To press hard together: \_\_\_\_\_ (sleet, squeeze)
- To share the same belief, views or opinion with someone else: \_\_\_\_\_ (agree, greedy)
- A strong desire to get more than one needs: \_\_\_\_\_ (sleet, greedy)
- Starting as rain, but then freezes to ice before hitting the ground: \_\_\_\_\_ (sleet, peek)
- To look at something quickly – to glance: \_\_\_\_\_ (peek, peer)
- To look at something with deep interest or difficulty: \_\_\_\_\_ (peer, peek)

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- You are doing this to a drinking glass if you grab onto it and lift it in the air: \_\_\_\_\_
- The temperature in clouds at 5000 feet is 33 degrees but below 25 degrees under 3000 feet: \_\_\_\_\_
- Someone at a party eats 2 bowls of ice cream and wants 2 more even if others don't get any: \_\_\_\_\_
- Miles per hour – kilometers per hour – 750 mph – 186,000 miles per second: \_\_\_\_\_
- If two people say they want to eat the same meal for dinner: \_\_\_\_\_
- If you open a bag and look into it for 1 second: \_\_\_\_\_
- If you watch a mysterious boat on the ocean that is far away come closer and closer: \_\_\_\_\_

**FILL-IN-THE-BLANK:** Each sentence below is missing one word. Read the sentence carefully and choose the vocabulary word that best goes in the blank space provided.

- While we walk through the crowded street I want you to \_\_\_\_\_ my hand hard.
- At your party you will be in big trouble if you \_\_\_\_\_ in the closet even for a moment.
- It was fun to \_\_\_\_\_ into outer space searching for shooting stars.
- Sound travels around 1000 feet per second or a \_\_\_\_\_ of about 750 miles per hour.
- Frozen precipitation comes in the form of snow, hail and \_\_\_\_\_.
- I will be glad to take the family to a movie if we can \_\_\_\_\_ on which one to see.

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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 4C

leave	reason	peace	clearly	increase	decrease	meanwhile
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1. No activity – quiet - not currently fighting a war: \_\_\_\_\_ (peace, reason)
2. Without question – no doubt – easily seen: \_\_\_\_\_ (leave, clearly)
3. Happening at the same time but in another place: \_\_\_\_\_ (meanwhile, decrease)
4. To grow larger, as in number of amount: \_\_\_\_\_ (decrease, increase)
5. To go away from the present location: \_\_\_\_\_ (decrease, leave)
6. Why something is done: \_\_\_\_\_ (reason, peace)
7. To grow less or smaller, as in number or amount: \_\_\_\_\_ (leave, decrease)

**DEFINITION CLUES:** Carefully read the phrase or riddle below. Choose the word you think goes best with the phrase or riddle and write it in the blank space provided. Be Careful ! These can be tricky!

8. I am now reading this sentence, but at this exact moment, someone else is playing: \_\_\_\_\_
9. This is why you go to school – why people work – why they do anything: \_\_\_\_\_
10. It was difficult what the moon truly looks like, but when using a telescope I can see craters and all types of details: \_\_\_\_\_
11. You do this at the end of everyday at school: \_\_\_\_\_
12. If is it too hot in a room you want to do this to the temperature: \_\_\_\_\_
13. Isn't it great when everybody gets along and there is no fighting or complaining: \_\_\_\_\_
14. By learning more at school, your chances of getting a great job will do this: \_\_\_\_\_

**FILL-IN-THE-BLANK:** Each sentence below is missing one word. Read the sentence carefully and choose the vocabulary word that best goes in the blank space provided.

15. After fighting for 10 years, our countries finally made \_\_\_\_\_
16. Lawn fertilizers come in solid or liquid form. Liquid fertilizers cause more problems because they wash into rivers and lakes after a rain, causing a harmful \_\_\_\_\_ in algae growth.
17. To land the jet we must \_\_\_\_\_ our speed from 500 to 175 miles per hour.
18. It really isn't a good idea hanging around these older students so I think I will \_\_\_\_\_.
19. My \_\_\_\_\_ for leaving is because they are clearly doing something wrong.
20. Although the idea of Global Warming was argued for years, today nearly all scientists say the evidence \_\_\_\_\_ shows car exhaust and power generation are the main causes.

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## Vocabulary Building Worksheet – Level IV – Week 4D

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1. Droplets of moisture formed on the skin which help cool the body: \_\_\_\_\_ (sweat, breath)
2. The air inhaled or exhaled during respiration: \_\_\_\_\_ (measure, breath)
3. Any tool used to cause harm to another - such as a gun or knife: \_\_\_\_\_ (deadly, weapon)
4. A grassy area, either natural or developed for growing hay: \_\_\_\_\_ (sweat, meadow)
5. Something that is dangerous and able to cause death: \_\_\_\_\_ (measure, deadly)
6. Something owned that is valuable or precious: \_\_\_\_\_ (treasure, meadow)
7. The process of determining dimensions, quantity or capacity: \_\_\_\_\_ (breath, measure)

**DEFINITION CLUES:** Carefully read the phrase or riddle below. Choose the word you think goes best with the phrase or riddle and write it in the blank space provided. Be Careful ! These can be tricky!

8. A gun – a knife – a sword – a long stick – throwing a rock – etc: \_\_\_\_\_
9. This could be gold or jewels buried by pirates or something you think is valuable: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Cows and horses would like to go here – a great place for a picnic: \_\_\_\_\_
11. After inhaling a mixture of oxygen and nitrogen (the two primary gasses in air) your body then changes the oxygen to carbon dioxide and pushes it out through the lungs: \_\_\_\_\_
12. Breathing carbon monoxide – being hit by a train – crossing a road without looking: \_\_\_\_\_
13. After doing this your answer could be in inches, centimeters, feet, kilometers, miles, pints, quarts, gallons, ounces, grams, pounds, kilograms etc: \_\_\_\_\_
14. To keep a temperature of 98.6 degrees Fahrenheit, your body makes this if it gets too hot: \_\_\_\_\_

**FILL-IN-THE-BLANK:** Each sentence below is missing one word. Read the sentence carefully and choose the vocabulary word that best goes in the blank space provided.

15. People with asthma can have a difficult time taking a \_\_\_\_\_ in polluted air.
16. The soldier used a deadly \_\_\_\_\_ to defend himself.
17. To buy the correct amount of flooring for my house we need to first \_\_\_\_\_ the area.
18. It can be \_\_\_\_\_ if you choose to take drugs or smoke cigarettes.
19. Some people have found valuable \_\_\_\_\_ in shipwrecks off the coast of Florida.
20. My shirt was soaked in \_\_\_\_\_ while playing kickball in the hot sun during recess.