

Using the Encyclopedia

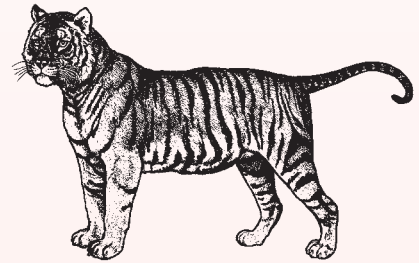
Lesson

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Using the Encyclopedia

An encyclopedia tells about many things, so it is often a set of books. It may have one book for each letter of the alphabet.

Suppose you want to find out what tigers like to eat. First, find the encyclopedia marked *T*. The topics are in alphabetical order. Look until you find *tiger*. Then you can find the information you want.



A Find *moose* in the encyclopedia. Read the article and answer each question.

1. Moose belong to what family? _____
2. What is a female moose called? _____
3. What two animals are the moose's enemies?

B Write *dictionary* or *encyclopedia* to tell which reference book to use to find the information.

4. to read about people who live in Brazil _____
5. to learn how butter is made _____
6. to see how to pronounce a word _____
7. to learn about wolves _____
8. to read about the Pony Express _____

We Remember

C Write the address correctly.

9. henry stevenson
500 harbor road
cleveland oh 22678

D *Cursive* Rewrite the phrase using an ownership word.

the rakes that belong to the neighbors

10.

the voices of the cousins

11.

E Underline the correct choice.

12. You **can**, **may** read a library book after your work is finished.
13. Yes, you **can**, **may** have a piece of apple pie for dinner.
14. I **can**, **may** do my work neatly.
15. Please **set**, **sit** the groceries on the counter.
16. You may **set**, **sit** the box of books on the shelf.
17. You may **set**, **sit** on the couch.

F Circle the letters that should be capitalized.

18. jason helped mr. turner lock the doors at carter hill school.
19. do you have plans for monday, march 18?
20. A family from arizona moved onto taffy street.

G Underline each true sentence.

21. An index is at the front of a book.
22. A glossary lists words with their meanings.
23. A contents page is at the front of a book.
24. A thank-you note has only three parts.
25. A fragment does not express a complete thought.

H Match the words and abbreviations.

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|----------------|----------|----------------|-------|
| 26. Thursday • | • Thurs. | 29. kilogram • | • Dr. |
| 27. Ohio • | • lb | 30. foot • | • kg |
| 28. pound • | • OH | 31. Doctor • | • ft |

I Circle the correct choice.

32. **Thē, Thə** earth belongs to **thē, thə** Lord.
33. **A, An** angel strengthened Jesus.

J Underline the compound sentence.

34. The porcupine rolled and rolled down the gentle slope.
Mary swept the porch, and Abigail filled the bird feeder.

K Write the words in alphabetical order.

35. clerk whine wheat lemon

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

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1.

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2.

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3.

4.

L Circle the transition words.

Number the sentences in the order Katie sets the table.

36. After the glasses are set, she puts on knives, forks, and spoons.
37. First Katie puts a clean tablecloth on the table.
38. Finally the table is ready.
39. Then she puts a glass at each plate.
40. Next she sets a plate for each person who will be eating supper.

M Write *S* if the words are *synonyms* or *A* if they are *antonyms*.

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| 41. neat – tidy | <input type="text"/> | 44. give – take | <input type="text"/> |
| 42. melt – freeze | <input type="text"/> | 45. full – empty | <input type="text"/> |
| 43. path – trail | <input type="text"/> | 46. first – last | <input type="text"/> |

N Underline the nouns.

47. The waves washed shells onto the seashore.
48. Donna made two cakes to put in the freezer.
49. The new classroom has green carpet.

Penmanship

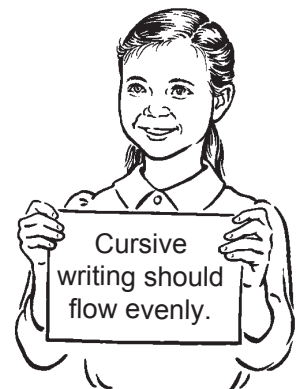
Notice how smoothly cursive writing flows.

truthful

O Copy Sentence 8 on page 61.

Teacher, is my cursive writing smooth and even?

Good Fair Poor



Spelling

When a word ends with a suffix, you may need to change the *i* back to *y* to write the root word.

busier – busy

ponies – pony



P Circle the suffix. Write the root word on the blank.

50. tried

53. busier

51. carried

54. sixties

52. candies

55. crying

Q Write spelling words that have the *är* sound.

56.

R *Cursive* Write a spelling word to complete the sentence.

57. Jesus was _____ for His friends.

58. Susie _____ the dish carefully so it wouldn't break.

59. The baby was _____ because she was hungry.

60. _____ is the abbreviation for the third month of the year.

S Check over your work.

T Write Section 2 spelling words on other paper.