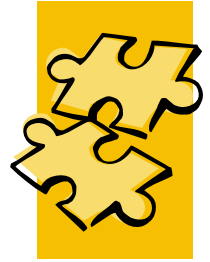


Vocabulary Activity

Analogies



Name _____

Analogies are word puzzles made up of two pairs of words. To solve an analogy, you must figure out how the first two words are related. Then fill in the blank to make the second pair of words related in the same way. Look at the following example:

Hard is to soft as real is to _____

Ask yourself, how are the words *hard* and *soft* related to each other? They are opposites! The second pair of words must be opposites, too, so the missing word is the opposite of *real*. The answer is *fantasy*.

Complete the analogies below using the vocabulary words from the box. Analogy relationships will be synonyms or antonyms (opposites).

abominable	boastful	doe	fib	fierce	fiery	moral
fortunately	ingenious	jazz up	mischievous	ungrateful		

1. Rude is to impolite as lie is to _____
2. Math is to arithmetic as lesson is to _____
3. Prince is to princess as buck is to _____
4. Run is to jog as ablaze is to _____
5. Courageous is to brave as naughty is to _____
6. Story is to tale as intelligent is to _____
7. Good is to evil as thankful is to _____
8. Happy is to grumpy as wonderful is to _____
9. Hot is to cold as modest is to _____
10. Small is to little as frightening is to _____
11. Happily is to joyfully as luckily is to _____
12. Plump is to fat as exaggerate is to _____