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Standard

National Language Arts Learning Standard: Applying	
Language Skills: Students use spoken, written, and	
visual language to accomplish their own purposes	
(e.g., for leaning, enjoyment, persuasion, and the	
exchange of information)	<u>1-30.</u>

Name		
Theme	:	Language

Directions:

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Running

Running is a popular past time for many	(plural noun) in early September.	
In fact, many often hold races of	pen to of all age	es!
These runs usually are a distance of	miles. A(n)	_
BBQ luncheon is almost always offered after the	(adjective) race.	

Name	
Theme	: Language

Directions:

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Apple Picking

an area it is!

Name	
Theme	e: Language

Directions:

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Hiking

When was the last time you went hiking on the local	_? Aren't they
just beautiful? The best part is where the hikers can the w	inding,
river. Hikers have to climb along the	rocky
area north of the That's the only harrowing part of the	
trail.	

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Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Stores

Stores bring in a great deal of	each September. Reasons for this		
include an increase in customer purchases. Stores are	(ing verb) the aisles more and		
hiring who are informed about the	they sell. Keep		
this in mind the next time you need to buy a(n)	from the local		

_____ store.

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Theme	: Language

Directions:

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Savings

Huge savings are(past tense verb)		_ each year, especially around the month of			
September, to	customers	. Shoppers can	get	(adjective)	_ deals on
on clothes and	ural noun) . What wi	ill you	verb)	this year?]	Maybe
you'll decide to	(verb) your mo	ney instead!			

Name	
Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Homes

Many(adjective)	houses go on the market each year. Families who are	
to relocate to (ing verb)	D a new(noun)	often try to be settled by
September. This way, the children	are all(past tense verb)	for the beginning of school.
I just my ho	me on the market. I	it sells quickly!

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Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

	Flowers		
Somef	lowers naturally bloom	m in early Septer	nber. These may be
brilliant in color and	I like to	(verb)	the Brooklyn
Botanical Garden each year. Have y	OU EVEr(past tense ve	this loca	tion? If not,
today! You're	in for a(n)	treat!	!

Name	
Theme	: Language

Directions:

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Bird Watching

 Bird watching is a(n) ________ sport. Personally, I've only been bird

 watching _________ time(s). That was four _______ ago! I saw

 (number) ________ birds. If you go, make sure and bring along a pair of

 (adjective) _________. This will allow you to _________ the birds much better!

Name	
Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Carnival

The neighboring	(noun)	has its annual	(adjective)	carnival late.
summer. Many(a	rides are	e there for children and	l adults to	
OI	n. A bandstand stage is	s also set up and many	(adjective)
performers are schedule	ed. My favorite exhibit	is the	4H boo	th.

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Theme	: Language

Directions:

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Rainy Days
Today is a rainy day! The weather is predicting over
inch(es) of rain per hour! That may cause heavy
It's important to always have extra batteries, and drinking water in
the during poor weather conditions. This way, people can still
without going outside!

Name		
Theme	La	nguage

Directions:

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Bus Rides

Have you ever had a(n)______bus ride? Maybe you do every ______to school. Maybe, sometimes you can get a sight ______bus. ______to school. Maybe, sometimes you can get a sight ______bus. They are great when a(n) ______is _____a new place. Then, you're sure to ______most of the ______sights of the area. In some places, there are ______buses .

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Directions:

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Class

Do you have a(n)		class today? Be	class today? Be sure and don't	
	(verb) it. Th	ey have a new	_ and he is	
terrific	e! His	method is different than mos	t	
I can't	(verb)	and go home and	Pay close attention	
to the	(adjective)	lesson. Tape it if you can!		

Name		
Theme	: Language	,

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Sleds

My sled is old ar	(adjective)	I just(past tens	the runners need
care. Hope I can	(verb) them.	There's lots of	snow and
I love to sleigh ride	(adverb) . Th	e hills around are pr	etty
They	long walks up and	(adverb)	rides down!

Name	
Theme	: Language

Directions:

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Frames

 How are you about ________ frames? I need to have one for a(n)

 __________ I recently ________. The _________ store had

 (noun)
 I recently ________. The _________ store had

 one _________ frame left, so I am really in a bind. Maybe it's not too hard

 to __________. I'll get the _________ wood and give you the

 ___________ dimensions as soon as possible.

Name	
Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

	Decorate	
The way to _	decorate this	is to take off the
(adjective)	_ wallpaper first. Then,	happy colors and
(verb)	_ matching paint before you go ahead.	Keep in mind the use you plan to
(verb)	_ for the room. You might consider	colors. It would be
helpful if before and	after were taken.	

Name			
Theme	: L	ang	juage

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Color

Color is such an important _	(noun)	in our lives. Try to
everything in black and white. The	(noun)	would be in chaos. No
lights. No	(adjective)	clothes. Name it, and you won't
it. Practice	(ing verb)	colors in a picture. Do you

a different feeling? Try it and have fun.

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Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Actions

	There are so i	many different kin	ds of actions	s. Physical actio	ns as in	(adjective)
classes	. Mental action	ns when	ing verb)	with crossword	(plural nou	 n)
	(adverb)	decisions require	mental actio	on when	(ing verb)	choices.
	(plural noun)	are so lucky to ha	ve the	(adjective)	brain to help	perform
various	5	functions				

(adverb)

Name		
Theme	: Language	,

Topic: Parts of Speech

Directions:

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

	Т	lies		
I love to	(verb) my dad _	(verb)	a tie. He really	
doesn't	to, but for	(adjective)	ccasions he does! Maybe it	ťs
those occasions I like.	Ties are(adverb)	decorations	s. Bow	are
just great too. Each ye	ear I give my dad a(n)	(adjective)	tie. He has enough to las	st an
entire	!			

Name	
Theme	: Language

Date _			
Topic:	Parts of	of Sp	beech

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Belts

My(adjective)	belt is frayed! I	(verb)	_ lots of belts. C	One belt is
my all time favorite. It is	(adjective) and be	aded. It	(past tense verb)	great with
all my	Some	like to	(verb)	-
suspenders.I've always liked n	ny l	belts.		

Name	
Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Golf I don't ______ golf. It's a(n) ______ sport but just not for me. There are some very good _______. Some of these players __________ the game seriously on _______. Golf matches are _______ almost everywhere. Most _______ are very quietly when the golfer _________ (verb ending in s)

the golf ball.

Name	
Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Baking

Baking _	(plural poup)	is great fun! All	you need	are eggs,	(plural poup)
	-	. Turn on the			(pura noun)
(number)	degrees for	15 minutes. Mix all	l the	(adjective)	_ ingredients
together in a(n)	(adjective)	bowl. Pour the	mixture in	ito an ovenpro	of
(noun)	Bake for _	(number)	minutes u	Intil each	verb ending in s or es)
up! Enjoy!					

Name	
Theme	: Language

Directions:

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

lcing is the best part of a(n) I just love vanilla icing, yet my
(name of celebrity)
(noun) ? Now a days, icing in many different flavors.
like to the icing off before
the cake! Do you anyone who does that? I sure do
people come to my mind! Yes, fresh,icing

is delicious!

Name	
Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Glitter

My teacher	(proper noun)	loves to(verb)	_ with glitter! My
classmates(verb ending	g in s or es)	We use	glitter and multi-
colored too! Some	(plural noun)	don't like using glitter becau	se it seems to
(verb)	itself everywhere!	Kids get glitter in their	(adjective) hair,
their(body part)	, and even und	er their finger nails! The best	part about
(ing verb)	with glitter is that e	everything sparkles	verb)

Name	
Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

	Exp	oloration	n		
Exploring 1	new places can be a(n)	(adjective)	experienc	e. Think abou	t all the
(adjective)	places you visited this p	oast	(season)	What did you	
(verb)	? Where did you	(verb)	? Who	(verb)	_ with
you? Maybe it was	s your grandmother or your	friend(n	ame of person in class)	I'd recomm	end
keeping a(n)	to write do	own your ir	npressions from	each	
(noun)	Where do you	(verb)	your next exp	loration will b	e?

Name _____ Theme: Language Date _____ Topic: Parts of Speech

Directions:

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Tests

School is a(n)	for learning. Unfortunately	y,(adjective)
tests are also included. I really don't	tests that	skills
such as throwing or multiplying. The test	ts I have the most trouble with	h are(school subject)
and science. I really	hard, usually for at at least _	(number)
days before the test! Sometimes, I	a study group	with my
Each member of th	he group(verb ending in s or es)	_ each other's studying
efforts.		

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Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Choices

As _______ grow up, the choices in life become harder. Many children ________ about their friends, _______, and video games. Teenagers think about _______ and friendships. As individuals get older and _______ young adulthood their focus may turn to _______ good grades and applying for college. It's important for everyone to have a(n) _______ (noun) who always believes in you. This will help a(n) _______ to succeed. I _______ you have such a person in your life, and that you do well with all the

choices you are _____ with.

Name	
Theme	Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Celebrations			
I can't wait for	r the	to start. My t	eacher
advised us to arrive ea	arly due to the large	(noun)	expected. Most
(plural noun)	will arrive by 10 A.M. We	e(verb)	to park and
(verb)	over to the field by 9 A.M	! More than _	(number) participants
are (past tense ver	$\frac{1}{(b)}$ up for the first event. I	[(verb)	how many
(adjective)	spectators will show up!		

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Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Football

Football is a(n)(adje	ective) sport. Many	, including		
children, like to	as well as play this game. Many	(plural noun)		
have leagues. Football can be	(past tense verb) On (noun)	almost each		
Sunday during the season. Many families (verb)				
eating at ta	ilgate before and	after the game.		

Name	
Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Sunsets

Sunsets are just	(adjective)	as the month of September approaches. As the s		
(verb ending in s or es)	et over the westerr	n horizon, colors	(verb)	up
the (adjective)	sky. Many	havehave	taken award	
(ing verb) (ing verb)	phs of September	sunsets. I can	(verb)	_ gorgeous,
, ora, adjective)	nge sunsets from 1	my upstairs, back	(noun)	These
(verb ending in s or es)	just breathtaking!			

Name	
Theme	: Language

Complete the paragraph below by writing a word of the appropriate type on the spaces provided. Be sure to spell each word correctly.

Planting

Late summer,(ad	fall is a popular time to	(verb)	
flowers and(adjective)	shrubs. All these new plantings	(verb)	
watering and	for. My garden contains huge	(noun)	and
lilies. Tl (adjective)	nis coming weekend, I'm going to	(verb)	_ some
Hosta. That will probably take	e about hours!		

(number)