

Name: _____

- accidental: unintentional; not expected or planned
careless: not paying close attention; negligent or irresponsible
disasters: events that cause harm or suffering; catastrophes
equipment: supplies provided for a particular use; tools, gear
harmful: causing injury or hurt; unsafe; damaging
prevention: keeping something from happening
purpose: reason for doing something; intention; objective
respond: say something in reply; react, reply or answer

Configuration Station

Write the words from the word bank in the correct boxes.

respond

equipment

harmful

accidental

prevention

purpose

disasters

careless



What's Missing?



Fill in the blanks with words from the word bank.

1. Wildfires can be _____, burning trees and homes and costing human lives.
2. Wildfires are not all _____ because they help new, young trees grow and release the seeds for others.
3. An _____ fire can start from a campfire spark.
4. A huge, raging wildfire can start by a flame from a _____ match.
5. Very few wildfires are started on _____ and most of them in the west are caused by lightning.
6. Teams of firefighters need to _____ right away, especially in areas with houses.
7. Firefighters have to use special _____ to control the spread of wildfires.
8. Complete wildfire _____ is not possible or wanted.

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Sentence Sense



Write a 6-8 word sentence for each pair of words below.

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purpose

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Where Are the Words?

Find and circle all of the words from the word bank. Each word appears twice!

p	r	e	v	e	n	t	i	o	n	z	e	a
u	a	c	c	i	d	e	n	t	a	l	q	c
r	e	s	p	o	n	d	z	g	b	y	u	c
p	z	y	g	b	x	w	c	j	x	k	i	i
o	j	h	a	r	m	f	u	l	d	w	p	d
s	w	g	k	j	z	y	f	b	c	f	m	e
e	q	u	i	p	m	e	n	t	g	x	e	n
d	y	w	b	r	e	s	p	o	n	d	n	t
i	j	z	x	e	j	g	x	w	d	i	t	a
s	g	h	k	v	d	y	b	j	z	s	g	l
a	c	a	r	e	l	e	s	s	k	a	j	k
s	b	r	z	n	c	j	g	f	w	s	z	y
t	y	m	k	t	w	g	x	d	c	t	f	b
e	z	f	j	i	c	a	r	e	l	e	s	s
r	g	u	y	o	x	z	w	b	g	r	j	w
s	j	l	b	n	p	u	r	p	o	s	e	z

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Rhyme Time



Read each word and listen for the ending chunk. Find and paste three words that rhyme with each word.

careless	respond	prevention

intention	success	beyond
fishpond	attention	possess
recess	doggoned	detention

Order in the Court

Place the story words below in alphabetical order.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

7. _____

8. _____

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Clever Connector

Draw a line to connect the words that have the opposite meaning.

harmful

cautious

prevention

deliberate

careless

harmless

accidental

promotion



Awesome Artist



Wildfires out west are often caused by lightning strikes.

Definition Derby



Read each word in the first column. Find the correct definition and write the matching letter next to the word (see sample). Write each word in a sentence.

Word		Sentence	Definition
1. accidental	c	<i>An accidental fire is unintentional and not an arson fire.</i>	a. catastrophes or calamities
2. careless			b. aim or goal; intention
3. disasters			c. unintentional; unplanned; opposite of deliberate
4. equipment			d. keep something from happening
5. harmful			e. reply or answer; react
6. prevention			f. gear, tools
7. purpose			g. sloppy, unthinking; opposite of careful
8. respond			h. damaging, dangerous or unsafe

Score with Scrabble!

SCORE

A ₁ C ₃ C ₃ I ₁ D ₂ E ₁ N ₁ T ₁ A ₁ L ₁	
C ₃ A ₁ R ₁ E ₁ L ₁ E ₁ S ₁ S ₁	
D ₂ I ₁ S ₁ A ₁ S ₁ T ₁ E ₁ R ₁ S ₁	
E ₁ Q ₁₀ U ₁ I ₁ P ₃ M ₃ E ₁ N ₁ T ₁	
H ₄ A ₁ R ₁ M ₃ F ₄ U ₁ L ₁	
P ₃ R ₁ E ₁ V ₄ E ₁ N ₁ T ₁ I ₁ O ₁ N ₁	
P ₃ U ₁ R ₁ P ₃ O ₁ S ₁ E ₁	
R ₁ E ₁ S ₁ P ₃ O ₁ N ₁ D ₂	

S₁ P₃ E₁ L₁ L₁

W₄ E₁ L₁ L₁