

SAT vocabulary review activity: Be-Br

Directions:

SAT sentence-completion questions often contain oppositions, requiring you to choose the correct word based on its antonym.

Create ten (two sentences must contain two vocabulary words each) such SAT-style sentences that include an antonym or opposing idea along with an appropriate contrasting word: *although, however, but, yet, on the contrary, in spite of, unusually*. Place a rectangle around the contrasting word and a circle around the antonym context clue.

Example:

Although he usually resisted his teacher's encouragements to read, today when the class went to the library, he chose a novel with alacrity because he was trying to impress the new girl in class who always had a book in her hand.

Vocabulary Be-Br antonyms

1. belabor
2. beleaguer
3. belie
4. bellicose
5. belligerent
6. benighted
7. bequeath
8. beseech

1. disregard or ignore
2. liberate or rescue
3. disclose, confirm, prove
4. peaceful, non-combative
5. amiable, genial
6. educated, well-informed
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8. hint, suggest

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9. bilk

10. blandish

11. blight

12. bonhomie

13. boon

14. bourgeois

15. breach

9. donate, give

10. coerce, demand

11. enhance

12. antipathy, belligerence

13. disadvantage, hindrance

14. nonconforming

15. compliance, observation