

Vocabulary Enricher

Date: _____

Pages read to prepare for this discussion: _____

As the Vocabulary Enricher, it is your job to look for especially important vocabulary words within the book your group is reading. Words chosen should be:

* Important * Unfamiliar * Different * Puzzling

* Funny * Used in an unusual way * Interesting

List a minimum of 5 words you feel would be worth discussing with your group.

| Word selected and page # where found: | Definition based on context -- use of dictionary is encouraged! | Reason word was selected: |
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When your group members meet, help them find and discuss the words you have chosen. You might discuss the following:

- How does the word fit in the story?
- How does this word make you feel?
- What is the etymology of this word? (see <http://www.etymonline.com/index.php>)
- What images does this word evoke?
- Does this word carry any specific connotations?