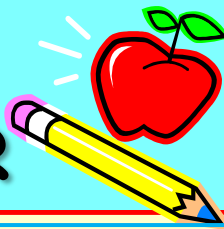


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"Screech Owl who liked Television"

Vocabulary

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| 1. <u>utter</u> | to say or express |
| 2. <u>endeared</u> | attached in a positive way |
| 3. <u>presence</u> | being in a place |
| 4. <u>arrangement</u> | a plan |
| 5. <u>hastened</u> | hurried |
| 6. <u>pounced</u> | jumped on |
| 7. <u>incident</u> | something that happens |
| 8. <u>biological</u> | relating to living things |
| 9. <u>disbelief</u> | unsure if something is true |
| 10. <u>tempted</u> | wanting to do something that's forbidden |

Story Skill: Fact and Opinion

Fact – a statement that can be proven true

Opinion – A state that tell someone's thoughts, feelings, or beliefs

As you read, notice the facts and opinions the author provides. A fact is information in a text and can be proven true by checking a reference book or other resource. An opinion tells a thought, feeling, or belief of an individual or group of people.

Decoding Skill: Compound Words

Compound Word - a word made up of 2 smaller words

Break the word into syllables. Each smaller word is typically one syllable. Breaking the word into smaller, familiar words, helps to identify the larger, compound word.

Comprehension Questions

- Who is Yammer?
- How was Yammer like a person?
- What is the author's opinion about Yammer?
- Why did Yammer not attack Craig's train?
- Why did the author tell the children about Bubo and Windy?
- What happened when Yammer flew out the window?
- Which statements from the story are fact and opinion?

Spelling

somebody
 fireplace
 nearby
 toothbrush
 homesick
 make-believe
 anything
 all right
 goodbye
 forehead
 classmate
 flashlight
 haircut
 twenty-two
 driveway
 alarm clock
 baby-sit
 airport
 forever
 mailbox

Challenge Words

field trip
 absent-minded
 life jacket
 skyscraper
 nevertheless

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