

Test 6



Remember, the strategy is to peel—peel away the prefix, that is. Then check to see that the base word makes sense.

Directions: Have you read *Superfudge* by Judy Blume (E. P. Dutton, 1980)? This very funny story about Peter Hatcher and his little brother Superfudge is a book that will tickle your funny bone. Read each sentence and circle the word with the prefix. Then write the meaning of the word on the line.



1. Peter thinks his brother Fudge is a preschool pain in the neck. _____
2. Peter is unexcited when he finds out his mom is having another baby. _____
3. Peter is even more unhappy when he finds out his family is moving to a quiet town in New Jersey. _____
4. When Fudge kicks the kindergarten teacher, the principal is unamused. _____
5. Peter discovers that getting Fudge a bird that repeats everything you say is definitely a mismatch. _____
6. Fudge's friend, Daniel, is about as untamed as he is. _____
7. Peter feels like his life is full of even more misfortune when his two best friends become friends. _____
8. Fudge accuses the school nurse of misapplying peroxide to cuts because she doesn't blow on it to dry it. _____
9. When Fudge takes off but reappears one Saturday, Peter thinks his little brother acted stupidly. _____
10. Peter's dad is rehired at his old job, and the family gets ready to move back to the city. _____
11. Peter can't wait to relive his old life in New York, or Nu Yuck as his baby sister calls it. _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Answers

1. Preschool: before school
2. Unexcited: not excited
3. Unhappy: not happy
4. Unamused: not amused
5. Mismatch: not a match
6. Untamed: not tamed
7. Misfortune: wrong fortune
8. Misapplying: applying wrongly
9. Reappears: appears again
10. Rehired: hired again
11. Relive: live again