

Grades 4-6

32 multiple choice cards

Antonym Task Cards



- ✓ Aligned with Common Core Standard L.5
- ✓ Great for test prep and Literacy Centers.
- ✓ Recording sheet and answer key included

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Use these 32 multiple choice task cards to reinforce antonyms. A student answer sheet for students to record their answers is included along with an answer key for self-checking. There is also a Challenge Card that can be used in conjunction with any other card to extend the activity. These task cards are perfect for test prep and will work well at literacy centers, stations, for partner work, or with the whole class using a game like Scoot.

These cards will look best in color, but will also print out fine in grayscale. Simply print and cut along the guidelines. Laminate and use them again and again. Alternatively, you could print on cardstock. It works well to keep them in a baggie. Another option is to hole-punch a corner of each card and put them all on a ring.

Aligned with Common Core Standard L.5 for grades 4,5, and 6:

Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.

- **grade 4:** Demonstrate understanding of words by relating them to their opposites (antonyms) and to words with similar but not identical meanings (synonyms).
- **grade 5:** Use the relationship between particular words (e.g., synonyms, antonyms, homographs) to better understand each of the words.

Synonym task card sets are also available in the task card section of my TeachersPayTeachers store: <http://bit.ly/sZYtu1>

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Antonyms Used in this Set		
1.	feeble	powerful
2.	accidentally	intentionally
3.	knowledgeable	ignorant
4.	immense	miniscule
5.	horizontal	vertical
6.	abundant	scarce
7.	ancient	modern
8.	attracted	repelled
9.	courteously	rudely
10.	frequently	seldom
11.	distributed	collected
12.	ecstatic	miserable
13.	complicated	simple
14.	temporary	permanent
15.	admitted	denied
16.	artificial	natural
17.	disgrace	honor
18.	generous	stingy
19.	valuable	worthless
20.	enthusiastically	reluctantly
21.	industrious	lazy
22.	unique	ordinary
23.	mild	harsh
24.	ignited	extinguished
25.	forbidden	allowed
26.	essential	unnecessary
27.	graceful	clumsy
28.	usually	rarely
29.	constructed	destroyed
30.	cowardly	courageous
31.	damaged	repaired
32.	professional	amateur

Antonyms

1

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Zoe felt feeble after being sick for a week.

- a. weak
- b. healthy
- c. powerful
- d. grouchy



Antonyms

2

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Sammy accidentally spilled the milk.

- a. intentionally
- b. quietly
- c. inconsiderately
- d. foolishly



Antonyms

3

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

On the subject of insects, Allen is quite knowledgeable.

- a. interested
- b. ignorant
- c. disgusted
- d. bored



Antonyms

4

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

The Sahara is an immense desert in Africa.

- a. dehydrated
- b. vast
- c. miniscule
- d. sandy



Antonyms

5

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Begin by drawing a horizontal line on your paper.

- a. straight
- b. crooked
- c. diagonal
- d. vertical



Antonyms

6

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

The wildflowers were abundant in the meadow.

- a. plentiful
- b. beautiful
- c. scarce
- d. blooming



Antonyms

7

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

The pyramids were built by the ancient Egyptians.

- a. mysterious
- b. modern
- c. powerful
- d. antiquated



Antonyms

8

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

The moths were attracted by the light of the candle.

- a. repelled
- b. guided
- c. burned
- d. excited



Antonyms

9

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Mrs. Larsen always treated her guests courteously.

- a. nicely
- b. timidly
- c. respectfully
- d. rudely



Antonyms

10

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

We frequently ate ice cream for dessert when I was young.

- a. happily
- b. seldom
- c. often
- d. always



Antonyms

11

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Mr. Johnson distributed the tests.

- a. corrected
- b. requested
- c. collected
- d. created



Antonyms

12

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Amber was ecstatic when she found out about the trip.

- a. excited
- b. miserable
- c. confused
- d. overjoyed



Antonyms

13

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Maria worked for half an hour on the complicated math problem.

- a. difficult
- b. long
- c. assigned
- d. simple



Antonyms

14

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

We made a temporary shelter for the night.

- a. sometimes
- b. quietly
- c. permanent
- d. always



Antonyms

15

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Cody admitted that he had cheated on the math test.

- a. denied
- b. remarked
- c. shouted
- d. agreed



Antonyms

16

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

The can of soda was full of artificial ingredients.

- a. delicious
- b. unhealthy
- c. confusing
- d. natural



Antonyms

17

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

The cheating scandal was a disgrace to the entire school.

- a. punishment b. honor
c. catastrophe d. lesson



Antonyms

18

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Mr. Lee was a generous man who often gave to charity.

- a. foolish b. friendly
c. angry d. stingy



Antonyms

19

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

That diamond ring is quite valuable.

- a. worthless b. expensive
c. beautiful d. shiny



Antonyms

20

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Hannah enthusiastically agreed to wear the dress.

- a. quickly b. politely
c. reluctantly d. totally



Antonyms

21

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Those industrious ants never stop moving!

- a. busy
- b. lazy
- c. speedy
- d. disgusting



Antonyms

22

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Micah's picture was quite unique.

- a. interesting
- b. ordinary
- c. colorful
- d. remarkable



Antonyms

23

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

We have had mild weather all week.

- a. sunny
- b. windy
- c. wonderful
- d. harsh



Antonyms

24

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Talia ignited the wood with a single match.

- a. extinguished
- b. lit
- c. watched
- d. gathered



Antonyms

25

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Copying another author's work is strictly forbidden.

- a. unwanted
- b. excluded
- c. unacceptable
- d. allowed



Antonyms

26

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Arriving on time for the train is essential.

- a. unnecessary
- b. required
- c. expected
- d. exciting



Antonyms

27

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Cara is a good singer and a graceful dancer.

- a. talented
- b. clumsy
- c. ballet
- d. devoted



Antonyms

28

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Carlos usually has a snack after school.

- a. frequently
- b. nearly
- c. rarely
- d. always



Antonyms

29

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Alison and Shelley constructed a giant sand castle.

- a. built
- b. wanted
- c. created
- d. destroyed



Antonyms

30

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

The cowardly dog ran away with its tail between its legs.

- a. courageous
- b. frightened
- c. friendly
- d. disobedient



Antonyms

31

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Our car was damaged in the accident.

- a. destroyed
- b. dented
- c. bumped
- d. repaired



Antonyms

32

Select the antonym for the underlined word.

Sasha wants to be a professional figure skater someday.

- a. graceful
- b. champion
- c. amateur
- d. horrible



Name _____

Antonyms Answer Sheet

1.	2.	3.	4.
5.	6.	7.	8.
9.	10.	11.	12.
13.	14.	15.	16.
17.	18.	19.	20.
21.	22.	23.	24.
25.	26.	27.	28.
29.	30.	31.	32.

Name _____

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25.	26.	27.	28.
29.	30.	31.	32.

Check your work!

Antonyms Answer Key

1. c	2. a	3. b	4. c
5. d	6. c	7. b	8. a
9. d	10. b	11. c	12. b
13. d	14. c	15. a	16. d
17. b	18. d	19. a	20. c
21. b	22. b	23. d	24. a
25. d	26. a	27. b	28. c
29. d	30. a	31. d	32. c

Antonyms Task Cards



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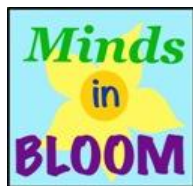
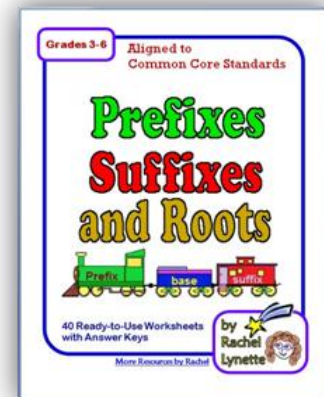
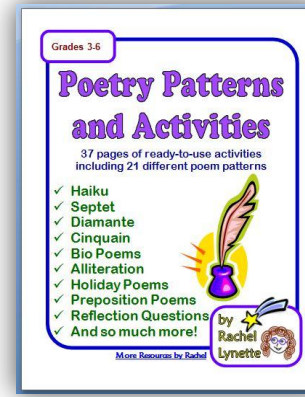
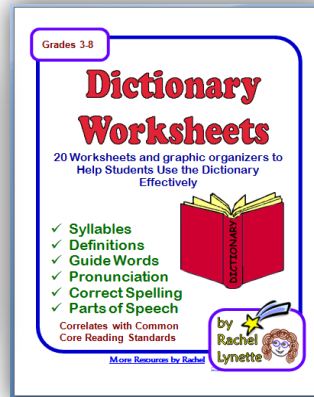
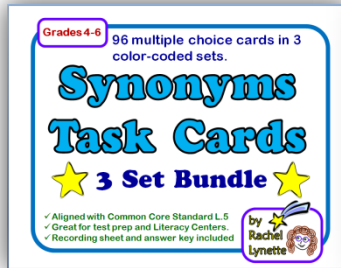
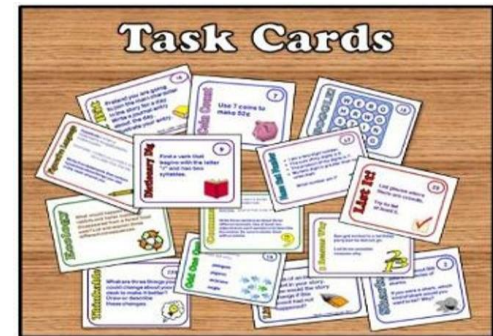
Challenge Card

Use the underlined word
in a new sentence.



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