

Unit 3 Vocabulary Worksheet

The Definition Side

Word	<i>Predicted Meaning</i>	Sentence	Definition
to alter		Jimmy changed to zero period PE, so his schedule needed to be <i>altered</i> .	
affluent		Larry has a big house with a swimming pool and a tennis court. His parents are apparently quite <i>affluent</i> .	
lax		The kids in Maria's class are always out of control because the teacher is too <i>lax</i> in enforcing the rules.	
animosity		Jenny broke up with Jimmy and started dating Larry. Jimmy was very angry and felt great <i>animosity</i> toward Jenny and Larry.	
catastrophe		This week's big earthquake was a greater <i>catastrophe</i> than last year's tornado.	
to falter		Jimmy was close to winning the race when he got tired, began to <i>falter</i> and was passed by Larry.	
to attain		It is not easy to <i>attain</i> college acceptance.	
a source		Maria could not find the <i>source</i> of the water leak.	
1. un- 2. ir- 3. dis- 4. il- 5. non-		1. <i>unaware, untidy</i> 2. <i>irresponsible, irrelevant</i> 3. <i>disorganized, dishonest</i> 4. <i>illiterate, illegible</i> 5. <i>nonfiction, nonsense</i>	

