

Worksheet 1

Story starter!

It had been many years since the shrill shriek of a steam train puffing along the the track had been heard in these parts.

The Northern Railroad had been discontinued after the great disaster on June 11th, 1911. Ever since that day, the Railroad company had been nothing but a distant memory, a story to be told around the campfire late into the night.

As the group sat around their newly constructed camp, listening to the crackle of the flames as they licked up into the night, their minds wandered back to the stories they had heard from their fathers. So absorbed were they in the moment, and the mesmerizing glow of the fire, that it was hard to tell if the shrill shriek coming from the distance was part of their imaginations...



Question time!



Describe the events of the great disaster of 1911.

They didn't imagine the shrill shriek! Who made it? Were they being attacked or was it a shriek of joy? Describe the persons setting.

Can you write a story that one of their fathers might have told them about the great disaster?

Worksheet 2



Bravely, Jimmy urged his bike to an even greater speed. The engine beneath him roared angrily as it responded to his touch. Clouds of dust flew up into his face, dirt grazing his chin painfully.

Use your adverb word bank to help you finish this story. Here are some ideas to help you:

- Jimmy is in a frantic race against the bully at school.
- Jimmy has challenged his teachers at school to

How?

angrily
anxiously
cautiously
cheerfully
courageously
crossly
cruelly
defiantly
doubtfully
elegantly
enthusiastically
foolishly
frantically
gently
gladly
gracefully
happily

hungrily
inquisitively
irritably
joyously
loudly
madly
merrily
nervously
quickly
sadly
safely
shyly
solemnly
weakly
well
wildly

When?

afterwards
again
before
beforehand
early
lately
never
now
often
punctually
recently
soon
then
today
tomorrow
yesterday

How often?

always
annually
constantly
daily
hourly
monthly
never
occasionally
often
once
regularly
repeatedly
sometimes
usually
yearly

Where?

above
around
away
below
down
downstairs
everywhere
here
inside
outside
there
up
upstairs
wherever

How much?

almost
completely
entirely
little
much
rather
totally
very

More useful adverbs

additionally
fittingly
insufficiently
appropriately
hence
suitably
consequently

Worksheet 3



Question time!

The little tortoise on top of his mother's head is Rosabeth.

How did she get up there?

Why is she up there?

Where are Rosabeth and her mother going and what are they going to do there?

Can you write a story about the adventure that Rosabeth and her mother are going to have.