

Vocabulary From the Reading

Use Context Clues to Determine Meaning

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Word Web, Vocabulary Log

Word Connections

bragging (boasting, exclaiming, alleging)

heal (cure, aid, recover, recuperate)

proud (sure, certain, hopeful, confident)

shrink (diminish, shrivel, reduce, constrict)

Use a **Word Web** to help students study synonyms and antonyms.

Identify antonyms Point out simple words that have opposite meanings. **Ask:** *What words mean the opposite of proud (ashamed; embarrassed), heal (hurt, injure), shrink (grow)?*

Vocabulary From the Reading Answers

1. boasting
2. make feel better
3. feeling good about
4. get smaller

Checkpoint Sample Answers

1. When objects have human qualities.
2. I am proud when I get a good grade on a test.