

English Homework eight

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Term One Week One

Spelling – Animals

1. 1. Write each word once in the space provided with the words covered. Learn the list words on Monday.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
dolphin				
anteater				
springbok				
labrador				
chamois				

2. Choose one word and place it in a sentence that shows its meaning.

3. Rearrange the letters to make a word beginning with the letter a.

icrastco		tceaifir	
atanutdj		oatisemr	
aostnicg		apsoyut	
71elearnab		steareu	
radloilma		aleaza	

4. Re-write the sentence correctly. There are TWO spelling mistakes in each sentence.

- a. The armadillo his under the azaylea.

- b. We were amenable to the austere conditions at the holaday camp.

- c. The atomiser sprayed the perfeume all over the dissmayed adjutant.

Language and Grammar

1. **Symbol** is the term used to describe a word, colour or object that represents a more complex idea. Place the following symbols in a sentence that explains their meaning. The first one is completed for you.

Heart

The heart in literature and art represents love.

Red rose

Lily

Fist

Green

2. Rewrite the sentence so the correct words are capitalised.

a. significant Amounts of calcutta were damaged by Cyclone yule.

b. frequent travellers caught a flight at perth international airport and headed on to geneva.

c. petty Officer charles discovered mount Fuji disappeared in heavy fog despite a perfect view from tokyo.

AMERICAN THEATRE

At the beginning of the twentieth century American theatre was heavily dominated by commercialism. As a reaction to this several amateur groups such as Washington Street Players sprung up in New York City. One of the first key playwrights of the era, Eugene O'Neill emerged from a similar group, -The Provincetown Players. He endlessly searched for a unique theatrical style through his work such as the expressionistic play *Emperor Jones* (1920). He finally found a suitable style in modern tragedy for his autobiographical play *Long Day's Journey into Night* (1941). New York City's Theatre Guild established the extremely successful Art theatre in 1918. This was vital to this era because it was built in the grand European tradition audiences were used to and was a dedicated space for amateur American groups. The Guild became an extremely vital platform for American drama by encouraging American playwrights to experiment with their new plays. Combinations of expressionistic, symbolist and realistic techniques gave great psychological depth to the plays and spurned the following of Stanislavsky's method acting style. This tradition is what Arthur Miller entered into when he began his creating plays. This psychological realism is emphasised by the minimalist sets that are emphasised by props and character. Miller's works have gone on to become standards in American theatre and he is recognised as one of the greats of American theatrical tradition.

⊙ QUESTIONS

1. Amateur groups sprang up as a reaction to?
(A) realism
(B) symbolism
(C) commercialism
(D) tradition
2. The text indicates Eugene O'Neill was a?
(A) actress
(B) actor
(C) playwright
(D) amateur
3. The style of *Long Day's Journey into Night* is?
(A) comedy
(B) romance
(C) tragedy
(D) realism
4. The Guild allowed playwrights to?
(A) experiment
(B) earn a living
(C) stage plays
(D) enjoy a safe space
5. The word spurned in paragraph two can also mean?
(A) accepted
(B) enjoyed
(C) completed
(D) rejected
6. This passage could be found in a?
(A) play
(B) textbook
(C) novel
(D) brochure

Writing and Vocabulary

1. Use at least FIVE of the z words to create a short story in the space below. You may need to use a dictionary to help if you do not know what the words mean. The story may be on any topic of choice but you should plan it to fill the space fully.

zany zilch zinc zot zoo

ZENITH zipper zither zombie

zig zag zone zebra **zucchini** zygote

Blank lined paper with a large, light gray diagonal watermark reading "SAMPLE".

2. Use a thesaurus to find words that are synonyms for the words in the list.

zoo		
zone		
zilch		
zenith		
zany		

3. Place ONE of the words from your synonyms list in a sentence that shows its meaning.

Answers

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Rearrange the letters

icrastco	acrostic	tceaifir	artifice
atanutdj	adjutant	oatsemr	atomiser
aostnicg	agnostic	apsoyut	autopsy
eleamnab	amenable	steareu	austere
radloilma	armadillo	aleaza	azalea

Spelling Sentences

- The armadillo hid under the azalea.
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Capitalised sentences

- Significant amounts of Calcutta were damaged by Cyclone Yule.
- Frequent travellers caught a flight at Perth International Airport and headed on to Geneva.
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Comprehension - Multiple Choice

- C
- C
- C
- A
- D
- B

Synonym Lists – sample responses shown. There are many alternatives.

zoo	menagerie	wildlife refuge
zone	region	district
zilch	nothing	zero
zenith	peak	highpoint
zany	wacky	crazy