

Words Their Way 11: Context Clues

Use context clues to determine the meaning of the **bold** word. If times allows, can you identify the part of speech (noun, adjective, verb, adverb)?

All	<p>She used a microscope to view the small bacteria in science class.</p> <p>He checked his horoscope in the newspaper to see what may happen.</p> <p>She measured the width of a dime in millimeters.</p> <p>In the U.S. we measure distance in miles, other countries use kilometers.</p> <p>He enjoys reading mythology from ancient Greece and Rome.</p>
Blue	<p>The doctor used a stethoscope to listen to the patient's heart.</p> <p>Measure the diameter of the watermelon.</p> <p>Your task is to estimate the perimeter of the school.</p> <p>She wants to learn more about organisms and the environment, she should study ecology.</p> <p>If you enjoy learning about animals, you should consider a career in zoology.</p>
Green	<p>How many pieces of luggage will you take with you on your trip?</p> <p>Does your grandmother live in a village or small town in rural Mexico?</p> <p>The skilled surgeon had to repair the torn heart muscle.</p> <p>She required a lot of courage to rescue her sister from the earthquake.</p> <p>He puts himself on a budget each month to make sure he has enough money for groceries.</p>
Yellow	<p>Did you read about the giant in the story? He was enormous!</p> <p>Can you guess how many piece of rice are in the jar?</p> <p>If someone else is talking, you should cease your conversation.</p> <p>Can you tell me how many cents I have in my hand?</p> <p>The mother cow had a baby calf late last night!</p>