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# “The Journey of Oliver K. Woodman”

## Reading Packet- Gr. 3

## (Independent Work- Graded Assignments)

**"The Journey of Oliver K. Woodman"**

Spelling-Suffixes -ful, -ly, -er - Study words nightly for weekly test.

Test date- Friday

1. singer
2. loudly
3. joyful
4. teacher
5. fighter
6. closely
7. powerful
8. farmer
9. quickly
10. careful
11. friendly
12. speaker
13. wonderful
14. truly

Challenge Words: 15. listener 16. calmly  
Review Words: 17. hopeful 18. safely

Dictation:

1. Dad's dog walks closely beside him.
2. The flowers are truly beautiful.
3. The choir sang some joyful songs.

Grammar Focus: Possessive Nouns and Pronouns

Phonics Focus: Suffixes -ful, -y, -ous, -ly, -er

Writing Focus: Writing Dialogue

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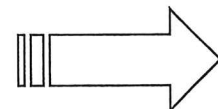
**"The Journey of Oliver K. Woodman"**

Vocabulary Definitions- Study words and definitions nightly for weekly test.

Test date- Wednesday

1. conversations- talks with someone
2. currently- as of now
3. loaded- piled
4. loveliest- most beautiful, most delightful
5. inspired- caused someone to act, think, or feel a certain way
6. managed- succeeded
7. pleasure- enjoyment
8. sincere- honest, truthful

More on back!



# Phonics

Answer Numbers 1 through 10. Choose the best answer for each question.

- 1 Which word means the SAME as the phrase *in a brave way* in the sentence below?

**The knight fought in a brave way against the giant.**

- (A) bravely
- (B) braveous
- (C) braver
- (D) braving

- 2 Which word means the SAME as the phrase *full of sleep* in the sentence below?

**The baby took a nap because he was full of sleep.**

- (F) sleepiness
- (G) sleepless
- (H) sleepness
- (I) sleepy

- 3 Which word means the SAME as the phrase *full of help* in the sentence below?

**The children were being full of help when they cleared the table.**

- (A) helper
- (B) helpful
- (C) helping
- (D) helpless

- 4 Which word means the SAME as the phrase *full of cheer* in the sentence below?

**Dad was full of cheer tonight.**

- (F) cheerful
- (G) cheering
- (H) cheerless
- (I) cheerous

- 5 Which word means the SAME as the phrase *full of fame* in the sentence below?

**Brad became a full of fame singer.**

- (A) fameful
- (B) famey
- (C) famish
- (D) famous

- 6 Which word means the SAME as the phrase *in a quiet way* in the sentence below?

**The students worked in a quiet way during the test.**

- (F) quietly
- (G) quieting
- (H) quietish
- (I) quietly

- 7 Which word means the SAME as the phrase *person who farms* in the sentence below?

**Mrs. White is a person who farms.**

- (A) farmer
- (B) farmfully
- (C) farming
- (D) farmous

- 8 Which word means the SAME as the phrase *person who teaches* in the sentence below?

**Our person who teaches wrote the problems on the board.**

- (F) teach
- (G) teachful
- (H) teacher
- (I) teachest

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- 9 Which word means the SAME as the phrase *full of fun* in the sentence below?

The clown does full of fun tricks to make the children smile.

- (A) funful
- (B) funfull
- (C) funly
- (D) funny

- 10 Which word means the SAME as the phrase *in a bright way* in the sentence below?

The stars were shining in a bright way in the sky.

- (F) brightful
- (G) brightly
- (H) brightly
- (I) brighty



# Grammar

Answer Numbers 1 through 10. Choose the best answer for each question.

- ① Which word is correct and BEST completes the sentence below?

Raymond lost \_\_\_\_\_  
jacket.

- Ⓐ her
- Ⓑ his
- Ⓒ their
- Ⓓ your

- ② Which word is correct and BEST completes the sentence below?

A collar belonging to a dog is called the \_\_\_\_\_ collar.

- Ⓐ dog's
- Ⓑ dogs
- Ⓒ dogs'
- Ⓓ dogs's

- ③ Which word is correct and BEST completes the sentence below?

The locker belonging to Lisa and Lara is called the \_\_\_\_\_ locker.

- Ⓐ girl
- Ⓑ girl's
- Ⓒ girls
- Ⓓ girls'

- ④ Which word is correct and BEST completes the sentence below?

Elise and Joanie left  
\_\_\_\_\_ plates on the table.

- Ⓐ her
- Ⓑ hers
- Ⓒ their
- Ⓓ theirs

- ⑤ Which word is correct and BEST completes the sentence below?

The book belonging to the boy is called the \_\_\_\_\_ book.

- Ⓐ boy
- Ⓑ boy's
- Ⓒ boys
- Ⓓ boys'

- ⑥ Which word is correct and BEST completes the sentence below?

Abby and Jo climbed into  
\_\_\_\_\_ car.

- Ⓐ her
- Ⓑ her's
- Ⓒ their
- Ⓓ their's

- 7 Which word is correct and BEST completes the sentence below?

**The hat belonging to me is  
\_\_\_\_\_ hat.**

- (A) my
- (B) my's
- (C) mine
- (D) mine's

- 8 Which word is correct and BEST completes the sentence below?

**The houses belonging to the  
Smith and Jones families are the  
\_\_\_\_\_ houses.**

- (F) family's
- (G) familys'
- (H) familie's
- (I) families'

- 9 Which word is correct and BEST completes the sentence below?

**The toys that belong to the  
children are the \_\_\_\_\_  
toys.**

- (A) childrens
- (B) children's
- (C) childrens'
- (D) childrens's

- 10 Which word is correct and BEST completes the sentence below?

**The present belonging to Angie is  
\_\_\_\_\_ present.**

- (F) Angie's
- (G) Angies
- (H) Angies'
- (I) Angies's



# Vocabulary

Answer Numbers 1 through 10. Choose the best answer for each question.

- 1 What does the word *reunion* mean in the sentence below?

All of my cousins came to the family reunion.

- (A) arrow
- (B) dedication
- (C) gathering
- (D) terror

- 2 What does the word *inspired* mean in the sentence below?

Who is the hero that has inspired you the most?

- (F) affected
- (G) bundled
- (H) pasted
- (I) struggled

- 3 What does the word *sincere* mean in the sentence below?

I knew my sister was sincere when she said she was sorry.

- (A) cloudy
- (B) damp
- (C) honest
- (D) usual

- 4 What does the word *loveliest* mean in the sentence below?

Mom picked out the loveliest dress to wear for the party.

- (F) happiest
- (G) prettiest
- (H) rockiest
- (I) tastiest



- 5 What does the word *managed* mean in the sentence below?

**I am not sure how Tom managed to move the bed all by himself.**

- (A) changed
- (B) planted
- (C) slept
- (D) succeeded

- 6 Which word BEST completes the sentence below?

**Kim's hair is \_\_\_\_\_ than Lisa's hair.**

- (F) shiner
- (G) shinier
- (H) shiniest
- (I) shiny

- 7 Which word BEST completes the sentence below?

**Celia is \_\_\_\_\_ than Tonya in math.**

- (A) best
- (B) bestest
- (C) better
- (D) gooder

- 8 Which word BEST completes the sentence below?

**Who is the \_\_\_\_\_ athlete of all time?**

- (F) greater
- (G) greaterest
- (H) greatest
- (I) greatliest

- 9 Which word BEST completes the sentence below?

**Your joke was funny, but Michael told the \_\_\_\_\_ joke of the day.**

- (A) funnest
- (B) funnier
- (C) funniest
- (D) funnily

- 10 Which word BEST completes the sentence below?

**Gary's teeth are \_\_\_\_\_ than mine.**

- (F) white
- (G) whiter
- (H) whitest
- (I) whittier



# Comprehension

Answer Numbers 1 through 10. Base your answers on the story “The Journey of Oliver K. Woodman.”

- ① What did Tameka ask her uncle to do in her first letter?
- Ⓐ write a letter
  - Ⓑ come for a visit
  - Ⓒ take her to the rodeo
  - Ⓓ build kitchen cabinets
- ② Which of the following is MOST LIKELY true?
- Ⓕ that Oliver never met Uncle Ray
  - Ⓖ that Uncle Ray never met Tameka
  - Ⓗ that Tameka saw Uncle Ray every single day
  - Ⓘ that Tameka and Uncle Ray had visited before
- ③ Which words help the reader understand how Tameka felt about Uncle Ray?
- Ⓐ “favorite uncle”
  - Ⓑ “favorite niece”
  - Ⓒ “couple of weeks”
  - Ⓓ “left this morning”
- ④ What did Uncle Ray do before he put Oliver on the side of the road?
- Ⓕ He went to visit Tameka.
  - Ⓖ He wrote a letter to “Traveler.”
  - Ⓗ He built all of the kitchen cabinets.
  - Ⓘ He wondered where Oliver could be.

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Comprehension

5 Who was the **FIRST** person to give Oliver a ride?

- (A) Cherry
- (B) Tameka
- (C) Jackson
- (D) Bobbi Joe

6 What happened **AFTER** Oliver visited Cherry?

- (F) He got a ride with Quinn's cousin's boyfriend's aunt.
- (G) He did not say goodbye to Quinn's cousin's boyfriend's aunt.
- (H) He went to a basketball game with Quinn's cousin's boyfriend's aunt.
- (I) He went to Uncle Ray's house with Quinn's cousin's boyfriend's aunt.

7 What word **BEST** describes the language in Cherry's letter?

- (A) formal
- (B) informal
- (C) sad
- (D) serious

8 Which character wrote the **MOST** formal-sounding letter?

- (F) Tameka Schwartz
- (G) Bernard Grape
- (H) Melissa Tso
- (I) Bobbi Jo

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- 9 Which of the following is the BEST example of formal writing?
- (A) "Knock, knock. Who's there?"
  - (B) "Guess who came to dinner? Oliver! We had so much fun!"
  - (C) "He hung out with us for a couple of days, and all the girls liked him better than Quinn."
  - (D) "My sisters and I had the distinct pleasure of entertaining Mr. Oliver K. Woodman for the past 23 days."
- 10 Which of the following is the BEST example of informal writing?
- (F) "Dear Sir:"
  - (G) "He's an easy fella to travel with."
  - (H) "Our family, currently on vacation, picked up the above-named person in what I thought was a goodwill gesture."
  - (I) "With the deepest and most sincere gratitude, we plan to deliver him to the doorstep of Tameka Schwartz within the next two days."

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Sequence of Events, Formal and Informal Language,  
Anchor Text

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