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Context Clues Worksheet (L.7.4a Part 3)

Using context clues means to use the overall meaning of a sentence or paragraph; a word's position or function in a sentence, as a clue to the meaning of a word or phrase.

Directions: Write the meaning of the underlined word using context clues.

Example A: I sped to the market to pick up my favorite chips.

Answer: sped- hurried quickly

1. The teacher mislead the class into believing they were going to have a Christmas party. _____

2. The school was deficient in textbooks. _____

3. The big man decided to inflict some pain on the small forward.

4. The crowd had to mourn the loss of their leader.

5. It was a family custom to hug each other when they greeted one another.

6. The two men had to negotiate a deal before the purchase of the television.

7. The consumer at the store was not happy with the higher prices.

8. The anchor of the boat gave way and detached.

9. The team was on the brink of disaster because of too many selfish players.
