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Lesson 21
READER'S NOTEBOOK

Penguin Chick
Independent Reading

Read page 220. Draw and write about what happened today.



Four horizontal lines for writing.

Read page 222. Draw and write about what happened today.



Four horizontal lines for writing.

Read page 224. Draw and write about what happened today.



Four horizontal lines for writing.

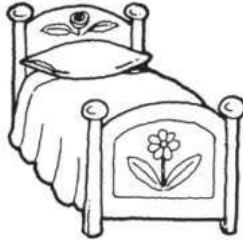
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 Spelling: Words with *er*

Words with *er*

Write the Spelling Word that means almost the same as each word.



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| 1. blanket _____ | 4. below _____ |
| 2. above _____ | 5. group _____ |
| 3. share _____ | 6. dad _____ |

Write the Spelling Word that rhymes with each word.



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| 7. worm _____ | 10. curb _____ |
| 8. turn _____ | 11. clever _____ |
| 9. daughter _____ | 12. plaster _____ |

Spelling Words
Basic Words

1. father
2. over
3. under
4. herd
5. water
6. verb
7. paper
8. cracker
9. offer
10. cover
11. germ
12. master

Review Words

13. fern
14. ever

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 Grammar: What Is an Adjective?

How Things Feel and Sound



Write the adjective from the box that best fits each sentence. Use the clues in ().

howling	icy	loud	slippery
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1. Penguins stand in the _____ wind. (sound)
2. The father penguin has a _____ voice. (sound)
3. Penguins swim in _____ oceans. (feel)
4. They catch _____ fish with their beaks. (feel)



Find the adjective in each sentence. Write the word that tells more about the underlined word.

5. The penguins hear splashing water.

6. They step on the pointy rocks.

7. Penguin chicks have fluffy feathers.

8. The penguins make whistling sounds.

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 Vocabulary Strategies:
 Dictionary Entry

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Read each sentence. Use the dictionary entries to help you decide what the word means. Write the definition on the line.

creature **1.** an animal **2.** a strange or imaginary living thing
shuffle **1.** to walk without picking up your feet **2.** to mix cards or papers so they are in a different order
swallow**1** to make food or drink go down your throat
swallow**2** a small bird with pointed wings and a tail with two points
webbed **1.** having skin that connects the toes or fingers **2.** made of something that looks or feels like a web: *My purse has a webbed strap.*

1. Kim had to swallow her food before she could talk.

2. I will shuffle the cards before we start the game.

3. We saw a silly blue creature on TV.

4. Frogs have webbed feet to help them swim and hop.

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Proofread for Spelling

Circle the misspelled words in the items below. Then write the correct spellings on the lines.

Make a Good Snack

1. Wash your hands with soap and wotter. You do not want to get a jerm on your snack.

2. Cuver a craker with peanut butter. Place another one on top.

3. Put a payper napkin undr your snack. Pour a glass of milk.

4. You are now the mayster of snacks! Why not ofer one to your mother or fathr?


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Unscramble the letters to spell a Basic Word.

5. berv _____ 7. dher _____

6. ervo _____

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Grammar: Spiral Review

Reflexive Pronouns



Circle the correct pronoun to complete each sentence.

Then write the sentence.

1. I bought (ourselves, myself) a book about the South Pole.

2. My partner and I wrote a report by (ourselves, myself).

3. We taught (ourselves, myself) a lot about penguins.

4. I surprised (ourselves, myself) by how much I learned.

5. The teacher said we should be very pleased with
(ourselves, myself).

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 Grammar: Connect to Writing

Connect to Writing

Short, Choppy Sentences	Longer, Smooth Sentence
The penguins were hungry. The penguins were tired.	The penguins were hungry and tired.



Read each pair of sentences. Join the sentences using and between the two adjectives. Write the new sentence.

1. The penguin was cold.

The penguin was wet.

2. The rain was heavy.

The rain was pounding.

3. The egg was warm.

The egg was covered.

4. The sky was cloudy.

The sky was dark.
