

Choose from the words below to complete these sentences.

sprinted jogged dashed

1. The boy _____ quickly out of the way.
2. The woman _____ along the path.
3. The girl _____ to the finish line.

Can you write your own sentence?

Use a thesaurus to find synonyms for 'ran' that would fit into each sentence.

1. The man _____ along the shore.
2. The dog _____ to its owner.
3. The children _____ over the hill.

Can you improve the sentences and re-write them by adding a describing word or an 'ly' word?

Use a thesaurus to find five synonyms for the word 'ran'. Be brave and use words you do not normally choose in your writing.

Now write a sentence using each of them. Try to include a describing word and an 'ly' word.

Re-write this sentence 7 times using a different synonym for 'ran' each time. Try to add different adverbs and adjectives to each one.

The girl ran down the road to the shop.

raced sprinted jogged
sped pelted hurried flew

Re-write this sentence as many times as you can using appropriate synonyms for 'ran'. Don't forget to liven your sentences up by adding adjectives, adverbs and a sentence ending.

The boy ran to the bus stop...

Re-write this sentence as many times as you can using appropriate synonyms for 'ran'. Don't forget to liven your sentences up by adding adjectives, adverbs and a sentence ending.

The man ran to the exit...

After each sentence, comment on how the different choice of words changes the meaning of the sentence or how it affects the reader.

Choose from the words below to complete these sentences.

strolled trudged crept

1. The lady _____ through the snow.
2. The cat _____ up the stairs.
3. The man _____ around the park.

Can you write your own sentence?

Use a thesaurus to find synonyms for 'walked' that would fit into each sentence.

1. The people _____ through the town.
2. The boy _____ through the forest.
3. The girl _____ up the steps.

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The lady walked to the town centre.

sauntered marched staggered
traipsed plodded strode
strolled

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The woman walked along the path...

Re-write this sentence as many times as you can using appropriate synonyms for 'walked'. Don't forget to liven your sentences up by adding adjectives, adverbs and a sentence ending.

The man walked to work...

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Choose from the words below to complete these sentences.

pounced leapt hopped

1. The cat _____ on the mouse.
2. The frog _____ on the lily pad.
3. The boy _____ over the stream.

Can you write your own sentence?

Re-write this sentence 5 times using a different synonym for 'jumped' each time. Try to add different adverbs and adjectives to each one.

The children jumped over the wall.

leapt sprang hopped
vaulted pranced

Use a thesaurus to find synonyms for 'jumped' that would fit into each sentence.

1. The horse _____ over the hedge.
2. The robber _____ over the wall.
3. The boy _____ on his sister.

Can you improve the sentences and re-write them by adding a describing word or an 'ly' word?

Re-write this sentence as many times as you can using appropriate synonyms for 'jumped'. Don't forget to liven your sentences up by adding adjectives, adverbs and a sentence ending.

The boy jumped over...

Use a thesaurus to find five synonyms for the word 'jumped'. Be brave and use words you do not normally choose in your writing.

Now write a sentence using each of them. Try to include a describing word and an 'ly' word.

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The horse jumped...

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perched relaxed settled on

1. The bird _____ on the branch.
2. The boy _____ on the sofa.
3. The cat _____ the rug.

Can you write your own sentence?

Re-write this sentence 5 times using a different synonym for 'sat' each time. Try to add different adverbs and adjectives to each one.

The child sat on the grass.

relaxed lounged rested
settled on remained on

Use a thesaurus to find synonyms for 'sat' that would fit into each sentence.

1. The stereo was _____ on the cabinet.
2. The lady was _____ on the couch.
3. The man _____ on the bench.

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Re-write this sentence as many times as you can using appropriate synonyms for 'sat'. Don't forget to liven your sentences up by adding adjectives, adverbs and a sentence ending.

The cat sat...

Re-write this sentence as many times as you can using appropriate synonyms for 'sat'. Don't forget to liven your sentences up by adding adjectives, adverbs and a sentence ending.

The girl sat...

After each sentence, comment on how the different choice of words changes the meaning of the sentence or how it affects the reader.

Choose from the words below to complete these sentences.

slipped tripped tumbled

1. The dog _____ on the ice.
2. The toddler _____ over the curb.
3. The boy _____ down the hill.

Can you write your own sentence?

Re-write this sentence 5 times using a different synonym for 'fell' each time. Try to add different adverbs and adjectives to each one.

The lady fell down the stairs.

slipped plummeted stumbled
tripped tumbled

Use a thesaurus to find synonyms for 'fell' that would fit into each sentence.

1. The man _____ over the carpet.
2. The girl _____ down the stairs.
3. The boy _____ on the floor.

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Re-write this sentence as many times as you can using appropriate synonyms for 'fell'. Don't forget to liven your sentences up by adding adjectives, adverbs and a sentence ending.

The boy fell..

Re-write this sentence as many times as you can using appropriate synonyms for 'fell'. Don't forget to liven your sentences up by adding adjectives, adverbs and a sentence ending.

The man fell..

After each sentence, comment on how the different choice of words changes the meaning of the sentence or how it affects the reader.