

# VOCABULARY CONNECTIONS RESOURCES

## Important Words to Know and Understand in We Are Water Protectors Word List

**Vocabulary Connections** **We Are Water Protectors**  
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**Courses**  
Paths or directions something takes, like a river or a plan

**Foretold**  
Told about something that would happen in the future before it did

**Nourished**  
Given food or something else needed to grow and stay healthy

**Rally**  
To come together to help or work toward a goal, or to cheer each other up.

**Sacred**  
Very special and important, often connected to god or something we respect a lot

**Spoil**  
To ruin something, or to give someone too much so they stop appreciating it

**Stewards**  
People who take care of something important, like land or someone's belongings

**Tracks**  
A path or line left behind, like the trail a tear leaves as it moves down your face

**Unfit**  
Not good enough or not ready for something, like a broken toy that can't be used

**Veins**  
Tiny tubes inside your body that carry blood to your heart

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## Word and Picture Sorting Cards

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<b>Courses</b>	<b>Foretold</b>	<b>Nourished</b>
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<b>Stewards</b>	<b>Tracks</b>	<b>Unfit</b>
People who take care of something important, like land or someone's belongings	A path or line left behind, like the trail a tear leaves as it moves down your face	Not good enough or not ready for something, like a broken toy that can't be used
<b>Veins</b>		
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## Word and Definition Sorting Cards

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<b>Stewards is a/an</b> noun verb adverb adjective	<b>Tracks is a/an</b> noun verb adverb adjective	<b>Unfit is a/an</b> noun verb adverb adjective
Definition of Stewards:	Definition of Tracks:	Definition of Unfit:
Stewards look like this:	Tracks look like this:	Unfit looks like this:
Stewards remind me of:	Tracks remind me of:	Unfit reminds me of:
I saw this word in:	I saw this word in:	I saw this word in:

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**Word Games with Words from We Are Water Protectors**

**True or False**  
Directions: Write T (True) or F (False) next to each statement based on the vocabulary meanings.

- A vein is a part of your body that carries blood to your heart.
- If something is unfit, it means it is ready.
- Tracks are paths or marks left behind by something.
- Sacred things are not important or special.
- Spoiling something means taking good care of it.

**Fill in the Blanks**  
Directions: Use the words from the word bank to complete the sentences.

courses    nourished    veins  
stewards    tracks    unfit

- Farmers are \_\_\_\_\_ of the land and must care for it.
- You can see the animal \_\_\_\_\_ in the mud near the lake.
- The old boat is \_\_\_\_\_ for travel because it has too many holes.
- Plants need to be \_\_\_\_\_ with water and sunlight to grow.
- The river \_\_\_\_\_ through the valley, twisting and turning on its way to the ocean.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Word Games and Answer Key

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A new word that I learned in this book is: \_\_\_\_\_

If I like... \_\_\_\_\_

If I mean... \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Step by Step Directions: 1. Fold on the solid line. 2. Fold on the dotted line. 3. Complete the Vocabulary Card. 4. Add your Vocabulary Card to your notebook or learn it in a notebook.

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## Vocabulary Word Extension Activities

**Vocabulary Connections**

Directions:

- Write a word from your reading that is new to you in the first column.
- Read the sentence before and after the sentence where the word appears. Write what you think the word means in the second column.
- Explain why you think your definition makes sense based on the context clues in the text.
- Write the dictionary definition.
- Place a check mark in the last column if the dictionary definition matches what you thought the word meant.

Word	What I Think the Word Means	Context Clues	Real Definition	✓

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