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Name _____

1. Circle the nouns. Underline the verbs.

Twelve million tourists from all over the world visit Niagara Falls each year.

2. Write the misspelled words correctly.

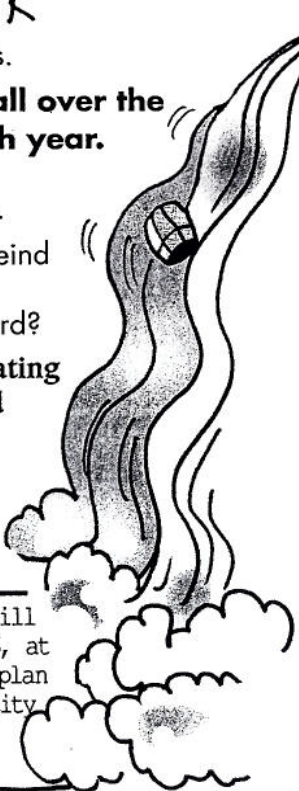
receive beleive weigh freind

3. What is the meaning of the bold word?

Boaters are cautioned against floating too close to Niagara Falls to avoid a **calamity**.

4. Who is the intended audience for this announcement?

The council of the city of Niagara Falls will hold an open session Wednesday, December 6, at 7:00 pm. The city engineer will present a plan for creating a by-pass around the center city between Peach and Niagara Streets. Public discussion will follow the presentation.



5. Describe a technique that the writer uses in writing this passage.

Did you know that Walt Disney invented Niagara Falls in 1947? Some business people in Western New York invited him to make their area less boring. They had only the Niagara River to attract tourists, but it was just a short, flat ditch. Disney strung a huge silver screen across the river. Then he made a movie of a falls somewhere in Africa. His workers hid a projector in the top floor of a hotel downstream. Some plumbers hooked up hoses that shot sprays of water in front of the movie screen and they created fake fog with dry ice. Then he turned on the movie. People have gone there for years now to see the "mighty" falls while enjoying their honeymoons.

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1. Which word completes the analogy?

brave : cowardly :: lie : _____

a. falsehood b. deceive c. truth d. rest

2. Edit the sentence.

zip up your jacket and get that hood up scolded mom as we locked the car and walked toward the edge of the falls

3. Choose the correct words.

The first (**person, persons**) to go over Niagara Falls in a barrel and survive was (**a, an**) elderly female schoolteacher.

4. Correct the error.

Over the years thousands of authors have wrote stories about the amazing Niagara Falls.

5. What kind of book would have this index?

a. history b. science
c. geography d. vocabulary



Index

erosion...314-325, 475
icebergs...132-140
Lakes, Great...345-352
power, hydroelectric...212
rock formations...300-305
River, Niagara...90-110
volume, of water...112-120

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1. Circle the literary device used in the following sentence?

rhyme alliteration imagery simile

With an air-splitting roar, the riotous Niagara River rolls over the spillway.

2. Rewrite each word, adding the **-ed** ending:

manage _____ rub _____

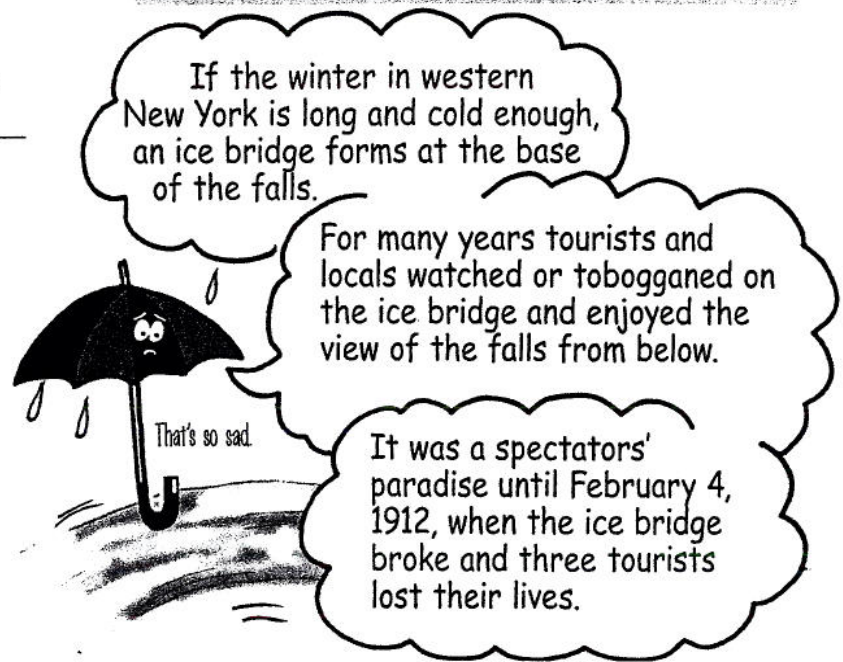
3. Circle the subject of the sentence.
Underline the predicate.

Blondin, a tightrope walker, carried his manager across Niagara Falls on his shoulders!

4. Choose an antonym for **luminous**.

☐ dull ☐ shining
☐ brilliant ☐ glowing

5. Why are visitors no longer allowed to walk on the ice bridge?



Name _____

1. Add apostrophes to the bold words to show possession.

Tourists cameras often fall over the railing and crash on the rocks below. Spectators must never get close to the **waters** edge.

2. Explain the meaning of each word:

weight **wait**

3. Remove unnecessary words.

The amazing, wondrous natural spectacle attracts and beckons visitors to observe.

4. Number the words in alphabetical order.

_____ sounds _____ spillway
_____ sensational _____ splendid
_____ scenes _____ sights



5. Predict the outcome.

Martha Barnard managed the Niagara Falls gift shop. Business was usually good, and books, postcards, and souvenirs sold quickly. One day last November, however, she had looked around and realized the card rack was overflowing with postcards. There was no room for the holiday assortment due to arrive any time. "I need to get rid of some of these postcards," she said to herself. Ms. Barnard took out a large sheet of paper and some markers.

READ

Read the signs. Then answer the questions.

1. What is the purpose of the signs?
2. Who is the intended audience?
3. What word is an antonym for **permitted**?
4. What word means **thick**?
5. Which word is not used correctly?

BOATS ARE
PROHIBITED ON
THE RIVER PAST
THIS POINT.

Expect
DENSE MIST
on the
FALLS VIEW TRAIL
ahead.

Be Aware of
Slippery Paths
and Lose
Falling Rocks!

Dangerous Precipice!
Stay behind this
fence.

WE ADVISE YOU -
DO NOT ATTEMPT
TO EXPERIENCE
THE FALLS IN A
BARREL.

WRITE

Edit the passage below for punctuation, capitalization, and proper grammar. Cross out unnecessary words and replace any words that are used incorrectly.

Believe It Or Not!

Niagara falls, it actually stopped flowing! not once, but twice the first time was an act. of nature. On march 29 1848 an ice Jam formed in the upper niagara River. This stopped the flow of the water so that it didn't flow. Some people say that the river froze over that day, but this wasn't never true. The river would of flowed, accept for the ice jam. That there jam held back the River for several hours many brave people they took the opportunity to walk out and explore the Riverbed. then In 1969: authorities they stopped the American Falls stopped for several months. This was intentionally done on purpose to study the possibility, of removing some of the rocks at the base of the Falls

