

Unit 4 Review- Vocabulary

Autobiography: a story of a person's life written by that person

Captions: words that explain pictures

Point of view: how the story is told 1st person and 3rd person

Biography: a story of someone's life written by someone else

Singular pronoun: no one, nothing, nobody, anyone, anything, anybody, someone, something, etc

Plural pronoun: them, they, their, us

1st person: written using I, me, we, us, etc.

3rd person: written using he, she, they, them, etc

Legend: a fiction story passed down from parents to children based on traditions

r-controlled vowel: bossy r-gives the vowel before it a new sound

simile: comparing two things using like or as

metaphor: comparing two things NOT using like or as (you're the apple to my eye)

cause: why something happens

effect: what happened

idiom: an expression that doesn't exactly mean what the words say

possessive pronoun: indicating possession: mine, yours, hers, theirs

problem: something that needs to be dealt with or overcome

solution: HOW you solve a problem

plot: the plan of a story- beginning, middle, and end events

fact: a thing that is true

opinion: what someone believes about something (not always true)

suffix- or: suffix meaning person who does something

suffix- er: 1. When added to an adjective means more; 2. To a noun means a person who does something

suffix- est: suffix meaning most

draw conclusions: to use clues or hints within a story to figure something out

suffix- ful: suffix meaning full of

suffix- less: suffix meaning without

suffix: a word part added to the end of a word

folktale: a fiction story passed on by word of mouth

syllable: a chunk of a word having only one vowel sound

transition words: words used to move from one thought or idea to another

preposition: words that show the position of something (by, under, inside, above, etc)

compare: to tell how things are alike

contrast: to tell how things are different

onomatopoeia: A word that sounds like the sound it names (buzz, bam, bang)

parentheses: symbols put around a group of words that is separate from the main part