Ebenezer Has a Word for Everything
Fitzgerald’s Create-a-Story

Be like Fitzgerald! Use your imagination and choose 18 of the words below to create any story you like.
Circle the words used in your written story.
Use the back of this page and add any additional pages you might need.

linguine  jukebox  catastrophe  parka  clamor  incredible  thermosphere  shuttle  impostor  villain  swashbuckler  buccaneer  sensational  ambiguous  stupendous  habitat  opportunity  juggle  incredible  happenstance  yield
Fill in the blanks with a word of your choice to finish the story!

The Ambiguous Alien

The night of Ebenezer and Fitzgerald’s first sleepover was _______ and ________, when they heard mysterious sounds coming from Ebenezer’s backyard. They quickly _______ out of their beds and dashed outside to see what could be causing such a ruckus. They couldn’t believe their ________! A huge spaceship had landed right in the middle of Ebenezer’s ________ and they could see an alien sitting right inside! They _______ forward to get a closer look, when they noticed that this creature looked nothing like they had ever seen before. This was definitely one ambiguous alien! Fitzgerald was so _______ because he couldn’t wait to write a story about what he saw, but Ebenezer was _______. He would rather be _______ than trying to talk to this alien. Nevertheless, Fitzgerald wouldn’t give up. He _______ over to the door of the spaceship and started to yell, “_______!”

Suddenly, the door started to lower and a _______ _______ alien walked towards them. Fitzgerald walked right up to the alien to introduce himself, when all of the sudden the alien changed form! Now it was a _______ _______ creature with ________, ________! The boys were so _______ that they almost ran away. Before they could leave, the alien smiled at them and said, “Hello, my name is ________, the ambiguous alien. They call me that because I change shape so much, so it is unclear what species I belong to.” Now, Fitzgerald and Ebenezer realized the alien was very
so they decided it would be kind of them to invite him for an _ adjective_ before he had to continue on his journey. The alien was so grateful, the _noun_ alien gave them a _noun_ and a _noun_ before leaving. Lying in bed once again and ready to go to sleep, the boys decided that this night was the most _adjective_ night and they would never forget it.
Can you find these words in the book, *Ebenezer Has a Word for Everything*?
In the blank space, write down the page number where you found each word in the story.

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What are some of your favorite words? Write them down here!
Don’t forget to include where in the world you saw them.

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Ebenezer’s Word Match

Match the words to the definitions of Ebenezer’s favorite words.

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3. happenstance______  C. (noun), a large machine that plays music
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Unscrambled Words:

**s_t_u_p_e_n_d_o_u_s**  
**l_i_n_g_u_i_n_e**  
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**b_u_c_c_a_n_e_e_r**  
**a_m_b_i_g_u_o_u_s**  
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**c_l_a_m_o_r**  
**j_u_n_c_t_i_o_n**  
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