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# 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 clamor incredible catastrophe parka thermosphere impostor villain swashbuckler shuttle ambiguous buccaneer sensational stupendous habitat opportunity juggle incredible happenstance yield



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### Fitzgerald's Fill-in-the-Blank

Fill in the blanks with a word of your choice to finish the story!

### The Ambiguous Alien

The night of Ebene	zer and Fitzgerald's first slee	pover was	and
			ctive
, whe	en they heard mysterious sou	unds coming from Ebe	enezer's backyard. They
adjective			
quickly	out of their beds and das	hed outside to see wh	nat could be causing such a
verb (past tense)			
ruckus. They couldn't belie	ve their	! A huge spaces	hip had landed right in the
	body part		
middle of Ebenezer's	and they	<sup>,</sup> could see an alien sit	ting right inside! They
	noun		
	vard to get a closer look, wh	en they noticed that t	his creature looked nothing:
verb (past tense)			
like they had ever seen bef	ore. This was definitely one a	ambiguous alien! Fitz	gerald was so
bed	cause he couldn't wait to wri	te a story about what	he saw, but Ebenezer
adjective		•	
was	He would rather be	tł	nan trying to talk to this
adjective		verb (ing)	
alien. Nevertheless, Fitzger	rald wouldn't give up. He		over to the door of the
		verb (past tense)	
spaceship and started to ye	ell, "	!"	
	exclamation		
Suddenly, the door	started to lower and a		alien
walked towards them. Fitzg	gerald walked right up to the	alien to introduce hir	mself, when all of the
sudden the alien changed	form! Now it was a		creature with
		adjective	color
	! The boys w	ere so	that they almost
number ran awav. Before they coul	body part d leave, the alien smiled at t	adjectiv hem and said. "Hello.	<sup>re</sup> mv name is
, , ,	,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	•
, t	he ambiguous alien. They ca	II me that because I c	hange shape so much, so it
name	,		
is unclear what species I be	long to." Now, Fitzgerald an	d Ebenezer realized th	ne alien was very

	, so they decided it would b	e kind of them to invite i	nim for a
adjective			
	before he had to continue	on his journey. The alie	en was so grateful, the
noun			
alien gave them a	and a	before leavi	ng. Lying in bed once
	noun	noun	
again and ready to go t	o sleep, the boys decided that	t this night was the most	
			adjective
night and they would n	ever forget it.		

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### **Story Word Find**

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 each word in the story.

linguine	page:
jukebox	page:
catastrophe	page:
clamor	page:
habitat	page:
incredible	page:
opportunity	page:
villain	page:
	What are some of your favorite words? Write them down here!  Don't forget to include where in the world you saw them.
1	
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3	
4	
5	

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### **Ebenezer's Word Match**

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

- junction\_\_\_\_\_\_
   charlatan\_\_\_\_\_
   happenstance\_\_\_\_\_\_
   ambiguous\_\_\_\_\_
   clamor\_\_\_\_\_
   thermosphere \_\_\_\_\_\_
   linguine\_\_\_\_\_
   jukebox\_\_\_\_\_
   decathlon\_\_\_\_\_
   parka\_\_\_\_\_
- A. (adjective), unclear
- B. (noun), a warm coat with a hood
- C. (noun), a large machine that plays music
- D. (noun), the area above the Earth and below outer space
- E. (*noun*), an athletic competition consisting of ten events
- F. (noun), a bad guy who's sneaky too
- G. (noun), a narrow, flat noodle
- H. (noun), something that happens when you don't expect it to
- I. (noun), a place where two or more things meet
- J. (noun), a lot of noise

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- 1. junction\_\_l\_
- 2. charlatan\_\_F\_\_\_
- 3. happenstance\_\_H\_\_\_
- 4. ambiguous\_\_A\_\_
- 5. clamor\_\_J\_\_
- 6. thermosphere \_\_D\_\_
- 7. linguine\_\_G\_\_
- 8. jukebox\_\_C\_\_
- 9. decathlon\_\_E\_\_
- **10.** parka\_\_B\_\_

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### **Ebenezer's Word Scramble**

Unscramble the letters to read some of Ebenezer's favorite words!

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s u u o d n e p t s	_stupendous_
nunigile	_linguine_
e h r r h o p s m t e e	_thermosphere_
ubenaccer	_buccaneer_
b m a i o u g s u	_a _mb _ i _g _u _o _u _s_
krapa	_p_ ar_ k_ a_
b e x o j u k	_jukebox_
bnrceeiild	_incredible_
taarlhnca	_charlatan_
tnnsalioeas	_sensational_
rathptcosae	_catastrophe_
moaclr	_clamor_
tcoujinn	_junction_
snpeenhtaacp	_happenstance_
lgugje	_juggle_