

Play Ball!

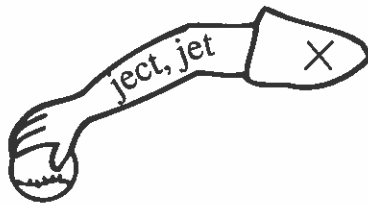


Cut out the pitcher's arm below and attach it at the X with a metal fastener. Turn the arm to make ten correct *ject*/*jet* words. You will discover they all have something to do with "throwing." Check your answers with a dictionary.

1. in + _____ + ion n., the throwing of medicine into flesh by a needle

2. e + _____ v., to throw out

3. _____ + tison v., to throw goods overboard to lighten



4. sub + _____ v., to throw under another's power

5. de + _____ + ion n., a feeling of being thrown down in spirit



6. tra + _____ + ory n., the curved path of an object thrown into space

7. re + _____ n., an object thrown out because it is defective

8. pro + _____ + ion n., a long-range plan thrown out for analysis and discussion

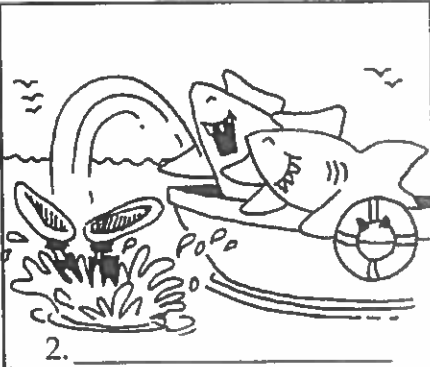
9. inter + _____ + ion n., a word thrown into a sentence or conversation

10. pro + _____ + ile n., an object thrown into the air with great force

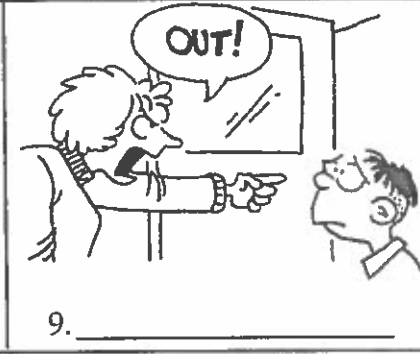
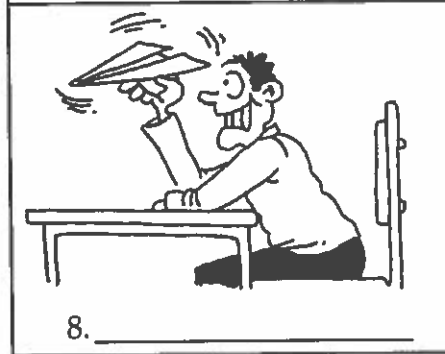
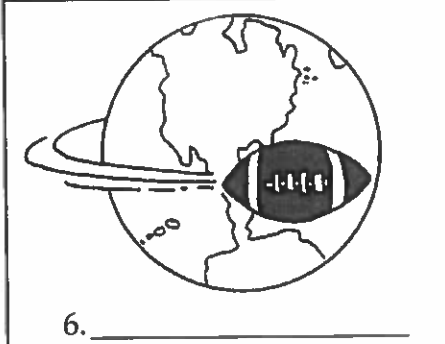
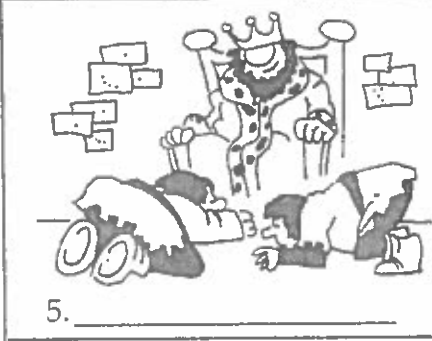


Wow! Rats! Yike!

Match each cartoon with the correct vocabulary word. Write the words on the lines.



reject
 projection
 projectile
 eject
 trajectory
 interjections
 jettison
 injection
 subjects
 dejection



Flotsam and Jetsam



Flotsam and *jetsam* are nautical terms that refer to things a sailor might throw overboard—trash, heavy cargo, the captain. Here's a scavenger hunt for the flotsam and jetsam you find at school. Fill in the blanks with vocabulary words, then split into teams and play the game.

1. Find five homework assignments with answers that have been _____.
2. Make a paper _____. Prove that it really works.
3. Name three behaviors that would get you _____ from school.
4. Launch an empty milk carton outside. Estimate the _____.
5. For what communicable diseases do teachers at your school get _____? Survey three different teachers.
6. _____ the trash from your bookbag into a paper bag. Present it with a smile to your favorite teacher.
7. Locate a texture with _____ on it.
8. List as many G-rated _____ as you can.
9. Interview the happiest person you know. Find out when he/she last felt _____ and why.
10. List the _____ to which all students in your grade must _____ themselves in order to be promoted at the end of the year.

Now write ten new scavenger clues using this week's vocabulary words. Make them as different from the ones above as possible. Play the game again.

