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DIY Vocabulary

Welcome to do-it-yourself vocabulary! We're leaving it to you to teach yourself the meanings of new words you encounter in a *Scope* article or story.

Directions: First, in the space provided, write the name of the article or story you are working on. Then find three to seven words in that article or story that are new to you, or whose meanings you are not sure about. Write each word in one of the gray tabs, followed by the page number where it appears. Then write what you think the word means, based on context clues. After that, look up the word in a dictionary and write down its dictionary definition. Finally, use the word in a sentence.

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Dictionary definition:

Example sentence:

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