

name _____



Part A: Read the words.

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| found | mouse | stout | ouch | bout | our |
| prouder | nouns | loudly | mouthful | scouring | grounded |
| south | couches | soured | counting | grouchy | fouled |

Part B: Write each word in a sentence. Write three questions and three statements. Begin with capital letters and use the correct punctuation.

1. mouse _____

2. ouch _____

3. south _____

4. loudly _____

5. mouthful _____

6. couches _____

Part C: Read about the Rockefeller Center Christmas Tree tradition.

This Christmas tradition dates back to 1931, when Depression-era construction workers decorated a 20-foot tree on Christmas Eve. They placed it on the center plaza block, where the tree is now raised every year. There was no Rockefeller Center Christmas tree in 1932. The official Christmas tree tradition at Rockefeller Center began in 1933, the year the 30 Rockefeller Plaza opened. Each year the Norway Spruce tree is donated, and usually measures at least 75 feet tall and 45 feet in diameter. The tallest Christmas tree at Rockefeller Center was a 100-foot spruce that was donated in 1999.

The tree arrives in the middle of November, and a giant crane will hoist it into position in front of 30 Rockefeller Plaza. Once the tree is in place, it will be decorated with more than 30,000 multi-colored LED lights, and topped with a Swarovski star. It is lit the week after Thanksgiving.

The decorated Christmas tree remains lit at Rockefeller Center through January 6, which is the Christian feast of The Epiphany. Some churches celebrate this holiday. After the Christmas tree is taken down, it is removed from the center and recycled. Recently, the tree has been turned into lumber, used by Habitat for Humanity house construction.

Part D: Read the sentences. Write the correct pronoun on the line.

- I
- you
- he
- she
- it
- we
- they

1. Mom found a new blue couch at the shop.

_____ found a new blue couch at the shop.

2. The flying bug landed on the ground.

_____ landed on the ground.

3. Trish was so proud of her son when her son hit a home run in the baseball game.

Trish was so proud of her son when _____ hit a home run in baseball.

4. Chip and I are resting at our house.

_____ are resting at our house.

5. The birds will migrate south for the winter.

_____ will migrate south for the winter.

6. Luke went out the back door and started to count the clouds.

_____ went out the back door and started to count the clouds.

7. Sarah said, "Sarah has a mouthful of bubble gum."

Sarah said, "_____ have a mouthful of bubble gum."

8. Tom and Jack hit too many foul balls and fouled out.

_____ hit too many foul balls and fouled out.