

**PURPOSE**

The teacher will assess students' knowledge.

**REVIEW WORDSMITH**  
**PAGE 5 MINUTES**

Consider using a variety of groupings (partner, small group, or whole class) to review student responses for the completed *Wordsmith* page. Refer to answer key on this page.

**ASSESSMENT****10 MINUTES**

**Words:** Say word in bold, read sentence, repeat word for students to spell.

1. We live in the 21<sup>st</sup> **century**.
2. A **decade** is a period of 10 years.
3. A rectangle is a **quadrilateral**.
4. A squat is a good exercise for the **quadriceps**.

**Word Equations:** Print on board:

*dec, cent, quad, meter, (imal), (rant)*

Read each equation. Students write the list word it represents using the affixes from the board. Do not say the word.

5. The word element *ten* + (point to *imal*) is the word \_\_\_\_\_, meaning counted in groups of ten. **decimal**
6. The word element *four* + (point to *rant*) is the word \_\_\_\_\_, meaning one of four quarters of a circle. **quadrant**
7. The word element *hundred* plus the word element *to measure* is the word \_\_\_\_\_, meaning one hundredth of a meter. **centimeter**

**Sentence:** Print on the board: *right, write, rite*. Say, "I will dictate two sentences that have six of your words from the list. One word will be one of these homophones."

8. A **quarter**, or 25 **percent**, of our friends always sends cards in **December**.
9. Is it **right** that a **quart** of milk costs 286 **cents**?

**WORDSMITH**

YOUR NEW WORD IS

**bicentennial**

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**200th year**What is the dictionary definition of *bicentennial*?**a 200th anniversary or its celebration**

Part of speech:

**noun or adjective**

The Declaration of Independence established the United States in 1776. What year did the United States celebrate its bicentennial?

**1976**

Here is a picture of bicentennial coin.



What is the value of the coin?

**Half dollar or 50 cents**

What picture is shown on the coin?

**Independence Hall, where the Declaration of Independence was adopted.**The motto on the left is *200 Years of Freedom*.

What years does this cover?

**1776-1976**

The motto on the right is Latin. *E pluribus unum* means "out of many, one." Out of many states (colonies) came one country.

What year will (or did) your state celebrate its bicentennial?

**Students will need to research when their state was admitted to the union and calculate the year it will (or did) celebrate its bicentennial.**

For example:

Virginia - 1988

South Carolina - 1988

Michigan - 2037

Colorado - 2076

Florida - 2045

**60****LESSON 10****WORDSMITH LEVEL 4**©CR Success Learning, LLC  
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Give one point for each bolded word.

- 11-13** A/Exceeds Expectations  
**8-10** B/Meets Expectations  
**7** C/Approaching Expectations  
**0-6** D/Below Expectations

**Watch PowerPoint presentation after administering the Assessment.**



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