

Vocabulary Practice

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A. Directions: Complete each sentence with the correct word from the box. The boxed letters will spell out what Heather tried to do.

- If you have a bad cold, your sense of smell might be _____
- If your cousin were cute and lively, you might say that she was _____
- If your friend told a corny story that was full of clichés, you might call it _____
- If you hang up all your clothes in your closet, people might use this word to describe how neat your room is. _____
- Mystery word: _____

B. Directions: Use a thesaurus or synonym finder to find two synonyms for each word.

- generic _____
- pert _____
- accusation _____

C. Writing Option: Imagine that Heather and Risa became friends. On a separate sheet of paper, write a letter that Heather might send Risa, reminding her of how they met. Use at least **three** of the vocabulary words from the box.