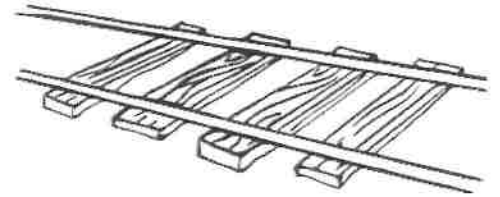


John Henry

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Day 1

Correct these sentences.

1. the knight john henry was borned the sky was as black as coal
The night John Henry was born the sky was as black as coal.
2. this boy is special the preacher declared as folks gathered in the Cabin
“This boy is special,” the preacher declared as folks gathered in the cabin.

Context clues

Use context clues to determine the meaning of the underlined words.

3. All of the toys were disorganized on the playroom floor. They were in disarray. disorganized
4. He will never give up hope in finding his dog. His dedication is enduring. Never giving up
5. William sidled up to their campsite. He came alongside his friends during dinner. Came alongside

Day 2

Subjects and predicates. Underline the simple subject(s) once and the simple predicate(s) twice.

1. John Henry lifted Johnny into the air.

Correct these sentences.

2. when john Henry raised him arm folks gasped and brought there hands to they're faces
When John Henry raised his arm, folks gasped and brought their hands to their faces.
3. they saw that the mightey baby had been born with a hamer in his hand
They saw that the mighty baby had been born with a hammer in his hand.

Progressive Verbs

Change the underlined verb from simple past tense to progressive past tense. Possible answers

4. John Henry hammered faster and faster inside the dark tunnel. Was hammering
5. Early as wás, the sun burned hot. Was burning

Day 3

Correct these sentences

1. John Henry stated a man aint nothing but a man hes just got to do his best
John Henry stated, "A man ain't nothing but a man. He's just go to do his best."
2. as john Henry stared at the steam drill he seed a picture of the fewture
As John Henry stared at the steam drill, he saw a picture of the future.

Adverbs Highlight the adverb(s) below, and draw an arrow to the word it is modifying. What question is the adverb answering? *Where? When? In What Way? To What Extent?*

3. The pastry was **extremely** friable. **Extremely is modifying friable; To what extent**
4. **Soon** John Henry was whistling in the early summer light. **Soon is modifying whistling; When**

Progressive Verbs

Change the underlined verb from simple past tense to progressive past tense. **Possible answers**

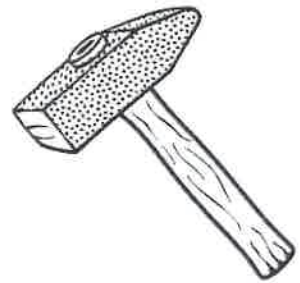
5. Jimmy cheered when the steam drill was dragged out of the tunnel. **Was cheering**
6. He tunneled deeper into the darkness. **Was tunneling**

Day 4

Subjects and predicates.

Underline the simple subject once and the simple predicate twice.

1. All the railroad bosses wanted John Henry.



Which words are not spelled correctly? Fix the spelling errors.

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| 2. omit | terse | daintee | dignety |
| | | dainty | dignity |

Correct these sentences.

3. Id rather dye with a hammer in my hand then let that steam drill run me down henry yelled
"I'd rather die with a hammer in my hand than let that steam drill run me down!" Henry yelled.
4. sweat poured down peoples faces like water down an hill
Sweat poured down people's faces like water down a hill.

ogressive Verbs

Change the underlined verb from present tense to present progressive tense.

5. The men hope for a bright future. **Are hoping**
6. The crowd cheers for John Henry. **Is cheering**