

## Practice: Sir Gabriel and the King's Riddle

### Match the synonyms:

announce	to speak unclearly
command	to find the answer
riddle	happy
clever	to order
stern	be careful
solve	to say to a big group of people
mumble	a difficult question, puzzle
beware	intelligent
joyful	strict

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### Match the synonyms:

eager	to get smaller
patient	yell angrily
just	right, not wrong
nonsense	to find something new
reach	fair and honest
risky	happy about something in the future
shrink	words that mean nothing
hopeless	dangerous
boom	waiting calmly
discover	to come to, arrive
howl	without hope
correct	to say loudly

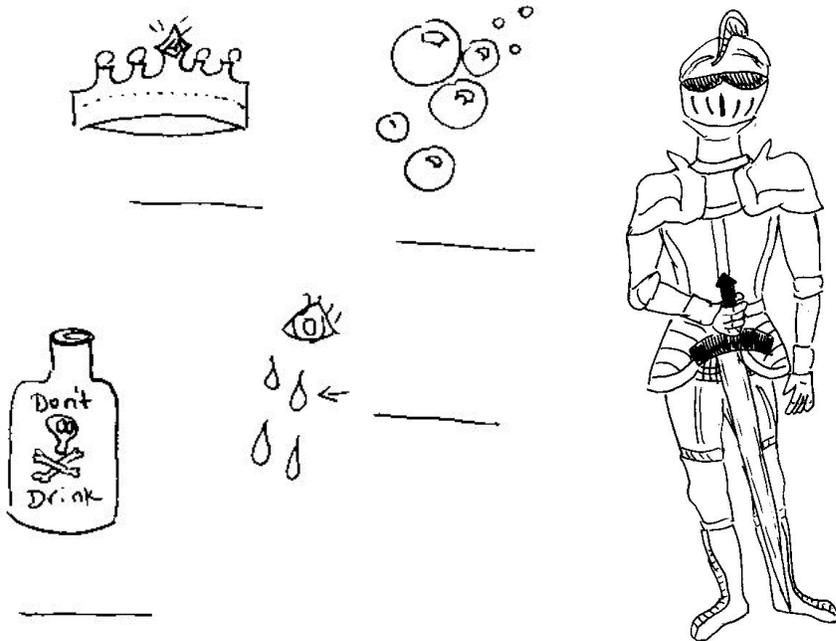
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### Finish the sentences with these words:

[ **determined** - **waste** - **rotting** - **try** - **except** - **recognize** ]

1. I don't know if I can help you, but I will \_\_\_\_\_.
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ you because I saw you yesterday at the park.
3. He is \_\_\_\_\_ to learn English. He studies five hours every day.
4. I couldn't go to the party, but all my friends went. Everyone was at the party \_\_\_\_\_ me.
5. This apple has been on the table for three weeks and now it is \_\_\_\_\_.
6. My mother says watching TV is a \_\_\_\_\_ of time.

**Match with the pictures:**  
**[ tears – crown – knight – bubbles - poison ]**



**Finish the sentences with these words:**  
**[ mumbles - beware - announced - stern - excited - poison - crown ]**

1. The president \_\_\_\_\_ that the war is over.
2. Tomorrow is my birthday, so I am very \_\_\_\_\_!
3. The princess wore a beautiful \_\_\_\_\_ on her head.
4. I can never understand what he says because he \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The teacher makes us work very hard and we never play games. She is \_\_\_\_\_.
6. If you drink \_\_\_\_\_, you will die.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ of the big dog! It is dangerous.

**Finish the sentences with these words:**  
**[ risky - solve - bubble - clever - sighed - reached - joyful - shrink ]**



8. The boy knew the answer to every question. He was very \_\_\_\_\_.
9. I don't want to go bungee jumping. I think it's too \_\_\_\_\_.
10. We had a \_\_\_\_\_ celebration for the new year.
11. Don't wash your sweater because it will \_\_\_\_\_.
12. Tonight I must do math, English, science, and history homework. I sat down at my desk, looked at my books, and \_\_\_\_\_.
13. When the soup got very hot, it began to \_\_\_\_\_.
14. We walked for two hours and finally we \_\_\_\_\_ the river.
15. I have a problem. Can you help me \_\_\_\_\_ it?