Stage 5		'Grammar Hammer'				Skill Check 6	
Name:				Class:		Date:	
1. Write the <b>prefix</b> which can be added to all the words below and which means 'not' or 'the opposite of'.				2. Underline the suffix that turns the noun into a verb.			
trust allow		allow	claim	motive	-ise	-ate	-ify
3-4. Underline	any silent letter	<b>rs</b> in these words	•	1			
echo		sound		school		shop	
5-6. Underline	d to use in each	use in each sentence. Use a		a dictionary if you need to.			
Can you ( alter / altar ) my dress?				I put the rubbish down the ( shoot / chute )			
7. Use a dictio	nary to find the	meaning of this v	word.				
custom	ary						
8-9. Number th	nese words to sh	ow their <b>alphabe</b>	etical order.	1			
friend		frank		flinch		frame	
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10-11. Underline two adverbials that might help signal number or frequency in a piece of writing.							
sometimes		secondly		currently		perhaps	
nevertheless		uls that can be used to compare of luckily		including		in contrast	
		erb tenses to complete the senter				iii contrast	
I just ( saw / seen ) a squirrel in the tree.				Did you ( saw / see ) it?			
16. Underline the correct <b>verb</b> to <b>agree</b> with the <b>subject</b> .				17. Underline the correct <b>verb</b> to <b>agree</b> with the <b>subject</b> .			
There	e ( is / are )	some butte	r left.	t. But there ( is / are			gs.
18-19. Underli	ine the correct v	erb to make thes	e sentences cor	rect.			
He (took / taken) the boys ice-skating.				He has (took / taken) the boys ice-skating.			
20-21. Circle t	he <b>adjectives</b> in	this sentence and	d underline the	expanded noun p	phrase.		
The boy returned the crab to the deep, cool water.							
22. Underline the adverb which shows the highest degree of possibility.							
probably		possibly		perhaps		unlikely	
23. Underline the <b>relative clause</b> in this sentence.							
The small boy, whose bike had been stolen, was crying loudly.							
24. Use a comma to punctuate this sentence and make the meaning clear.							
When the lightning struck the tree caught fire.							
25. Punctuate this sentence with dashes - to show parenthesis.							
I passed my test I cheated but I passed.							
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