

Lesson Vocabulary

Words to Know

Knowing the meanings of these words is important to reading *Seeing Stars*. Practice using these words.

Vocabulary Words

shine to give off light

gas a naturally occurring fluid, often used for fuel

gigantic very large

dim poorly lit

temperature measure of heat or cold

patterns regular formations

ladle spoon with a long handle and a deep bowl

Conventions

Subject-Verb Agreement

The **subject** of a sentence tells who or what performs the main action. The **verb** tells what the main action is. The subject and verb must **agree**. A singular subject gets a singular verb. A plural subject gets a plural verb.

The actor speaks his lines loudly and clearly.

The actors speak their lines loudly and clearly.

	Subject	Verb
Singular	actor	speaks
Plural	actors	speak

Activity

Agree or Disagree? Play a game with a partner. One player writes down a subject on a card. The other writes down a verb. On a signal, turn the two cards face up. Call out “Agree” if subject and verb agree and “Disagree” if not. The first player to shout the correct answer gets 2 points.

Practice Tested Spelling Words

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