

Name _____

Compound Words

Directions Identify the two words that make up each compound word. Write the words on the lines.

1. _____ + _____ = sunglasses
2. _____ + _____ = railroad
3. _____ + _____ = haircut
4. _____ + _____ = treehouse
5. _____ + _____ = popcorn
6. _____ + _____ = myself
7. _____ + _____ = greenhouse
8. _____ + _____ = backyard
9. _____ + _____ = rainwater
10. _____ + _____ = sunflower

Directions Choose the compound word to complete each sentence. Write the word on the line. Draw a line between the two words that make up each compound word.

- _____ 11. My (grandfather/uncle) lives on a farm.
- _____ 12. I help him take care of his animals (whenever/when) I visit.
- _____ 13. Last winter I was with him during a terrible (snowstorm/blizzard).
- _____ 14. We had to work (outside/quickly) in the cold and snow.
- _____ 15. It's (sometimes/often) difficult to be a farmer.



Home Activity Your child wrote compound words—words formed by joining two shorter words—such as *homework*. With your child, read advertisements to find compound words (such as *everyday*, *something*, and *everyone*). Have your child identify the two words that make up each compound word.