

# The Word Wizard's Tower

Context Clues, Roots & Figurative Language

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle the best answer for 1 and 2. Answer 3 in complete sentences.

**1. What does the prefix "pre-" mean?**

- (A) Again
- (B) Not
- (C) Before
- (D) Under

**2. Using word parts, what does "unbreakable" mean?**

- (A) Easy to break
- (B) Not able to be broken
- (C) Broken again
- (D) One who breaks

**Read:** "After the storm, the yard was in disarray: branches were scattered, chairs were flipped over, and trash was everywhere. Dad sighed. 'This yard is a jungle,' he said."

**3. What does "disarray" mean, and what kind of figurative language does Dad use? Support your answers with evidence.**

Use RACE: Restate, Answer, Cite, Explain.

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## The Word Wizard's Tower: Exit Ticket

Total: 5 points. Mastery: 4 or more.

| # | Answer                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Points                                                                                             |
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| 1 | (C) Before                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | 1 point                                                                                            |
| 2 | (B) Not able to be broken                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 1 point                                                                                            |
| 3 | R: In the passage, "disarray" and Dad's words describe the yard after the storm. A: Disarray means messy and out of order, and Dad uses a metaphor. C: The text gives examples: "branches were scattered, chairs were flipped over, and trash was everywhere." Dad says, "This yard is a jungle." E: This shows the example clues explain that disarray means a mess, and Dad compares the yard to a jungle without using like or as, which makes it a metaphor. | 3 points: Correct meaning of disarray; Identifies metaphor; Cites the example clues and the quote. |