

Name _____



Quick Retell Blanks

Directions: Read the passage aloud in **one minute**, focusing on accuracy, speed, and expression. After reading, complete the **Fill-in-the-Blank Retell** by inserting the missing key words into the summary. Use the passage to recall the details, but try not to look back unless needed. This builds both **fluency** and **comprehension recall**.

1. Liam rushed out of class, eager to catch the bus. Halfway across the courtyard, he realized his backpack was missing. He raced back inside and found it leaning against his desk. Relieved, he slung it over his shoulder and hurried once more, this time making it onto the bus just in time.

Liam forgot his _____ in the classroom. He ran back and found it by his _____. He caught the _____ just in time.

2. On Saturday, Nora and her family visited an apple orchard. They carried baskets and picked shiny red apples from the trees. Nora climbed a ladder to reach the highest branches. At the end of the day, the family returned home with baskets full of apples, ready to bake pies and make cider.

Nora went to an _____ with her family. She used a _____ to reach apples. They brought home baskets of _____.

3. The gym buzzed with excitement as students displayed their science fair projects. Some showed models of volcanoes, while others presented posters with colorful charts. Emma demonstrated her solar-powered car, which impressed the judges. At the end of the fair, Emma won a ribbon for her creative invention.

Students presented projects at the _____ fair. Emma built a _____ car. She won a _____ for her invention.