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Sentence Switch Synonyms Answer Key

Answers may vary slightly, but students should use the Word Bank synonyms.

1. I am **glad** to see my grandma.
2. The **small** mouse ran across the floor.
3. Please **begin** your math work now.
4. My brother was **angry** when he lost his toy.
5. We walked very **quick** to the bus.
6. The baby feels **sleepy** after playing outside.
7. The classroom is **quiet** during reading time.
8. She will **toss** the ball to her friend.
9. It was **chilly** on the playground this morning.
10. You keep your desk very **neat**.

Teacher's Guide

- **Skill focus:** Understanding and using **synonyms** to strengthen vocabulary and sentence meaning. Students learn that words can have similar meanings and can be swapped to keep the sentence sense.
- Preview the Word Bank by asking students to share what each word means or to give a short example sentence. This builds confidence before the rewrite task.
- For students who need extra support:
 - Read each sentence aloud and underline the key context clues with them.
 - Model one example together, thinking aloud as you choose a synonym.
 - Allow them to orally say the new sentence before writing it.
- For engagement, let partners read their original and swapped sentences to each other and decide which word sounds more interesting or precise. Highlight how synonyms can make writing stronger.