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Cooking Vocabulary Answer Key

1. Whisk. To beat or mix ingredients quickly with a utensil.
2. Fold. To gently mix one ingredient into another.
3. Simmer. To cook a liquid just below boiling.
4. Sift. To shake dry ingredients through a tool to remove lumps.
5. Chop. To cut food into small pieces.
6. Stir. To mix by moving a spoon around in a circle.

Bonus Challenge Answer: The soup should **simmer** on the stove for ten minutes.

Teacher's Guide

- This worksheet builds **recipe vocabulary**, **context understanding**, and **written expression** for Grades 3 to 5.
- For differentiation, allow emerging writers to choose from a definition word bank while advanced students write original examples without support.
- Increase engagement by acting out each cooking word with hand motions before students write.
- As an extension, have students read a short recipe and highlight every vocabulary word they find.