

# Unit 5 Week 5

# National Geographic

# Reach for Reading

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# Monday Unit 5 Antonyms

Watch Synonyms and Antonyms Brainpop

<https://jr.brainpop.com/readingandwriting/word/synonymsandantonyms/>

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Antonyms = Opposite

Synonyms = similar/same

## Antonyms

**Antonyms** are words with opposite meanings. Look at the pictures below. Read the antonyms. Then compare their meanings.



**BEGIN**



**END**

**begin**: When something starts, it **begins**.  
**Day begins** at sunrise.

**end**: When something stops, it **ends**.  
**Day ends** at sunset.

**Try It Together**

Read the passage from "When the Wind Stops." Then answer the questions.

Later, his mother came to say good night. "Why does the **day** have to **end**?" he asked her. "So night can begin," she said, "look."



1. Find an antonym for **day**. Use it in a sentence.
2. Find an antonym for **end**. Use it in a sentence.

# Monday Worksheet

Write (or cut and paste) the matching antonym next to the correct match.

Antonyms					
Cut out the word files at the bottom of the page. Glue them into the box with the correct antonym.					
long		never		full	
fast		over		sink	
pretty		old		wet	
hot		far		messy	

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always	cold	empty	short	under	dry
slow	close	float	neat	ugly	young

# Tuesday Read Day and Night

Read the article Day and Night

Fill out the KWLQ Chart while you read

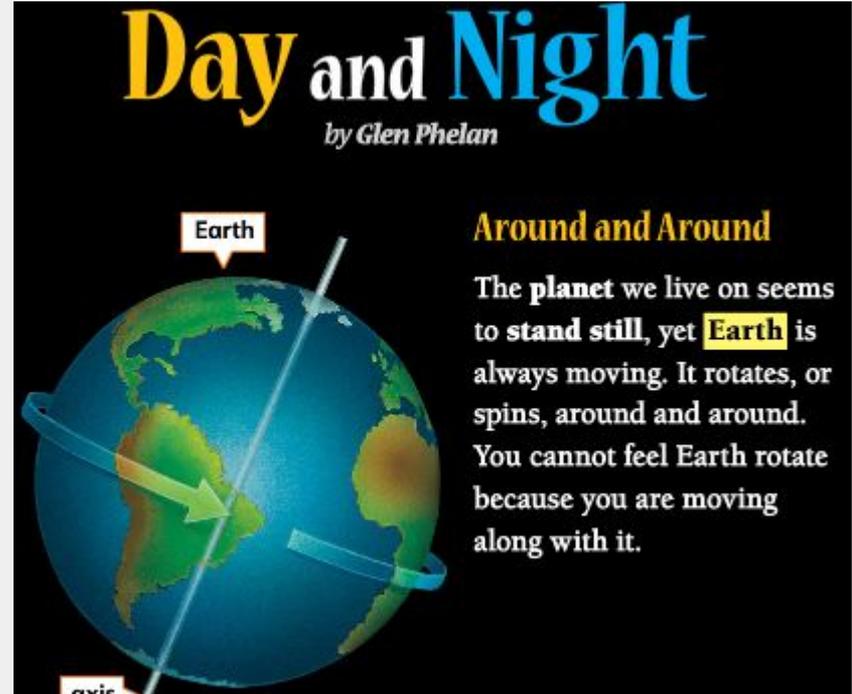
Day and Night 5.8

Reading Options: KWLQ Chart

## Day and Night

Record your ideas as you read "Day and Night."

What I Know	What I Want to Learn	What I Learned	Questions I Still Have



Wednesday

Vocabulary Words

## More Key Words

### affect

(u-fekt) verb



The hot sun **affects** ice cream. It makes ice cream melt.

### explain

(ik-splān) verb



She **explains** the math problem to her student.

### happen

(hā-pun) verb



They watch what **happens** in the game. They see a homerun.

### measure

(me-zhur) verb



He **measures** the doorway to see how big it is.

### reason

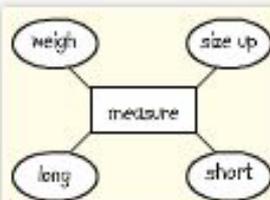
(rē-zun) noun



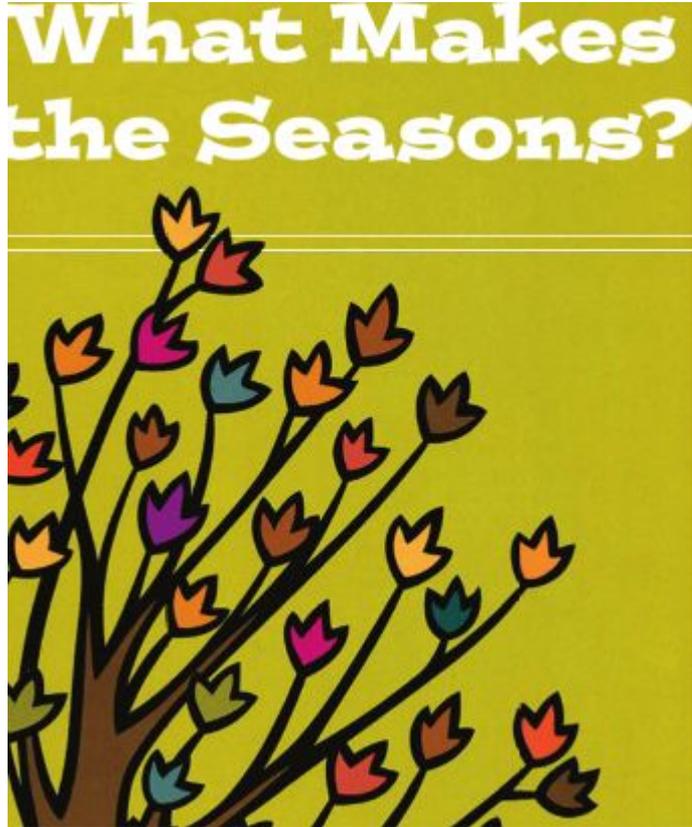
Hard work and practice are the **reasons** she is a good dancer.

### Talk Together

Make a Word Web of Examples for each **Key Word**. Compare your webs with a partner's.



# Read What Makes the Seasons?



# Thursday Reread and Write What Makes the Seasons

## What Makes the Seasons?

Complete the comparison chart below. Show how the seasons are alike and different.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Leaves	sprout			
Raindrops	fall			
Snow	melts			
Days	get longer			

### What Makes the Seasons?



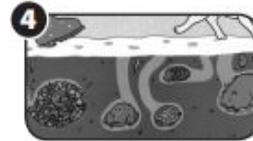
1 Spring melts the snow. It brings rain and leaves begin to bud. Seeds sprout and grow. But spring cannot stay. It leaves on a summer day.



2 Summer brings the growing season. Flowers bloom and trees are green. The days are long, warm, and sunny.



3 When the summer ends, autumn days begin. Cold winds blow. The green leaves change colors and fall from the trees.



4 Winter brings snow. Everything sleeps. Trees and seeds rest. Animals hibernate. The seasons change because of Earth's yearly trip around the sun. When it is summer in one part of the world, it is winter in another.