Chapter 5

Target Vocabulary (Underlining indicates a word or word form from the Academic Word List)

**appreciate** v.: to be grateful to someone who has done something for you

**blush** v.: to feel shy or embarrassed and have one’s face become red as a result

**complicated** adj.: difficult to understand; not simple or easy

**convince** v.: to make someone believe something is true

**doubt** n.: a feeling of uncertainty; feeling unsure about whether something is true or not

**guilty** adj.: to feel bad because of something you’ve done wrong

**hardly** adv.: barely; only with difficulty

**homey** adj.: feels or looks like a home

**pass away** v.: to die

**predict** v.: to know something before it actually happens; to say that something will happen in the future

**presence** n.: a person or creature that you cannot see, but that you can feel is there

**pretend** v.: to act as if something is true, even though it isn’t. Serena acted like she wasn’t at home, even though she was.

**realize** v.: to become aware of something; to know

**supposed to**: intended to

**survive** v.: to continue to live or exist

Activity 1: Definitions

Look at the way the underlined words are used in each sentence. Match each word with the correct definition.
1. She **appreciated** all the cards and phone calls on her birthday.

2. The solution to the math problem was too **complicated** to understand.

3. He tried to **convince** her that he was telling the truth.

4. I had no **doubt** we would win the game.

5. I **predict** that those two will get married this year.

6. If the boys wanted to **survive**, they had to keep warm until someone found them.

_____ 1. appreciate  a. uncertainty

_____ 2. complicated  b. to know or say that something will happen in the future

_____ 3. convince  c. continue to live

_____ 4. doubt  d. be thankful or grateful for something

_____ 5. predict  e. difficult to understand; not simple

_____ 6. survive  f. make someone believe something is true

**Activity 2: Definitions**

Complete each sentence with one of the words or phrases below. Change the word form by adding –s, -ed, -ly or –ing if necessary.

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1. When I opened the door, I __________ how cold it was outside.

2. We’re __________ be there by six-thirty.

3. There was a __________ in the room, but I couldn’t see anything.

4. He was so tired he could __________ keep his eyes open.

5. I felt __________ for buying another pair of shoes that I didn’t really need.
6. She _________ to be interested, but I knew she was bored.

Activity 3: Word Families

Use the words given below to fill in the word family chart. The first one has been done for you.

appreciate  blush (2x)  complicated  convince  doubt (2x)  guilty
appreciation  complicate  convinced  doubtfully  guilt
appreciative  complication  convincingly  doubtful  guiltily

homey  predict  presence  pretend  realize  survive
(2x)

hominess  predictable  pretender  realization  survival
predictably  pretense  pretense  survivor
prediction  pretended

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Activity 4: Word Forms

Complete each sentence with the correct word.

1. She showed her _________ by inviting us over for dinner.
   appreciate          appreciated          appreciation          appreciative

2. He seemed __________ that he would finish on time.
   doubt          doubtful          doubted          doubtfully

3. The new chairs and rug made the room look __________ and comfortable.
   homey          homely          hominess          homliness

4. We’ll all be sad when grandmother __________.
   pass away          passed away          passes away

5. The weatherman is __________ rain this weekend.
   predict          predicting          prediction          predictable
6. Only one person __________ the terrible accident.

   survive  survivor  survival  survived