

Vocabulary Quest

Amy Cahill remembers almost everything she reads—including a lot of great words! In this activity, you will use a dictionary and your brain to match the words below to their definitions.

Directions: Match the words on the left to the definitions on the right. Then choose four of the words and write a sentence using each one.

assured	edge of something
brink	what someone is capable of in the future
influential	a living thing that grew differently than expected
mutant	move through something slowly or with difficulty
podium	a platform someone stands behind to speak
potential	promised, guaranteed
vital	necessary or very important
wade	having power to change or affect something

Sentence 1: _____

Sentence 2: _____

Sentence 3: _____

Sentence 4: _____