



SEPTEMBER WORKSHEETS

Name: _____ Date: _____

The Septem**Bear** issue just printed. Use **Bear Essential News** to complete these activities!

News Highlights & In the Spotlight (page 5)

News stories are supposed to cover the 5W's & H—the Who, What, Why, Where, When and How of the story. But certain facts may play a more important role than others. Pick one of the News Highlights stories to read, and figure out the most important fact to tell whether it's a Who, What, Why, Where, When or How story.



Headline of News Highlights story:

I think this is a _____ story.

In August, President Biden designated almost a million acres around Grand Canyon National Park as a national monument in Arizona. It's an effort to protect thousands of Native American and historic sites in the area. Do you think this is important? Why or why not?

Main Feature: The NEW Generation! Answer these questions.

1. Generation Alpha were just about born with technology in their hands. What technology do you use the most and for what?



Boomer Bear's Field Trips & Family Outings for 2023–24

From the listings "Field Trips & Family Outings," pick your top two destinations you'd like to experience with your class and explain why you want to go!



1. _____

Why? _____

2. _____

Why? _____



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VOCABULARY

Power Word Missing Letters & End-of-Year Riddle!

Below are this month's **Power Words**, which appear capitalized and in bold face in this month's Generation Alpha feature on and **Bear's** News Highlights/In the Spotlight page. Figure out the missing letters in each word and write them in order left to right, in the spaces at the bottom to reveal the answer!

RAV **N**

n.—a small, narrow and steep-sided valley

INK

v.—to tie together; to make an association

ESIGNA **ION**

n.—a special title or appointment

UBIQU **TY**

n.—a common presence or a presence everywhere

LAIN **TIFF**

n.—in a court case, the people who file a lawsuit

These are far-out fun for just about everyone:

F _____ **R** _____ !

Power Word Bank: (in case you need more help)

ubiquity, link, plaintiffs, designation, ravine