Informational Vocabulary

Grade 2 Reading Worksheet

Name _____ Date _____

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   race to beat each other work together as a team work alone on a job

2. hatched: "The baby turtle hatched and crawled out of its egg."

   came out of an egg

   dug a hole in the sand

   went to sleep for the winter

3. sprouted: "The seed sprouted, and a tiny green shoot poked up."

   dried up began to grow fell off the plant

4. scarce: "Food is scarce in winter, so deer search a long time to find any."

   a place that keeps you safe and dry

   hard to find because there is little

   easy to find everywhere

5. dissolves: "Sugar dissolves in warm tea until you cannot see it at all."

   mixes in and seems to disappear

   sinks and stays at the bottom

   pick crops when they are ready

6. extinct: "Dinosaurs are extinct; none of them are alive anywhere today."

   no longer living anywhere on Earth

   living only deep in the ocean

   move to another place for a season

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