



VOCABULARY LESSON

Purpose: Provide students with necessary background vocabulary to enhance understanding of the play.

Timeframe: 1 period

Materials:

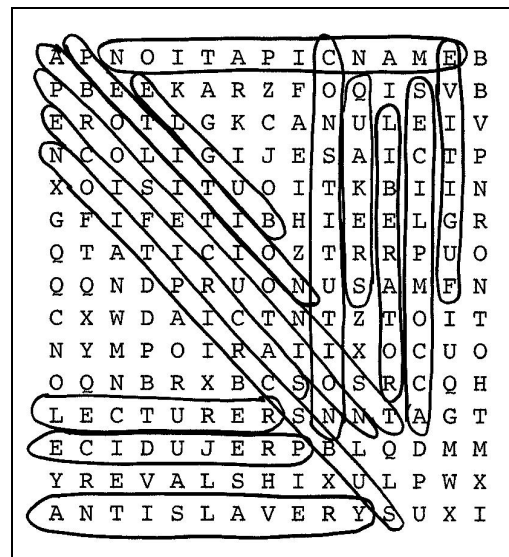
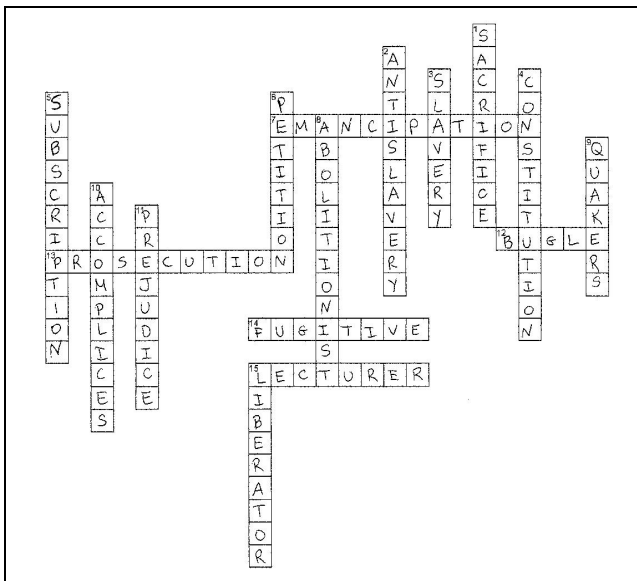
- Dramatization Vocabulary Words
- Dramatization Vocabulary Word Search
- Dramatization Vocabulary Crossword Puzzle

Procedure:

1. Read and discuss vocabulary words with students.
2. Practice the words using the word search and crossword puzzle.

Extension: Make flashcards of vocabulary words.

Answers:





VOCABULARY

Abolitionist – any person who wanted to put an end to slavery in the United States before the Civil War

Accomplices – those who help another in wrongdoing

Anti-Slavery – against slavery

Anti-Slavery Bugle – abolitionist newspaper printed in Ohio to ensure faster communication in the West. It took several weeks for Garrison's Boston based *Liberator* and the New York City based *National Anti-Slavery Standard* to travel from east coast.

Constitution – supreme law of a nation or state

Emancipation – the freeing from slavery or strict control

Fugitive – a runaway

Lecturer - one who talks about a particular topic to an assembled group

Liberator – William Lloyd Garrison's abolitionist newspaper

Petition – to ask

Prejudice – (1) an opinion formed without knowing the facts or by ignoring the facts; an unfair or unreasonable opinion
(2) dislike or distrust of people just because they are of another race, religion, country, etc.

Note: prejudice is a feeling, while discrimination is an act of prejudice.

Prosecution – the act of beginning and continuing criminal proceedings; due process under the law

Quakers – those who belong to the Society of Friends, a Christian religious sect that believes in a plain way of life and worship and is against violence of any kind, including war (they are pacifists)

Sacrifice – to give something up for the sake of something else

Slavery – the practice of holding another in servitude (forced service) as their property

Smite – hit suddenly

Subscription – a payment to receive a magazine/newspaper for specified period of time

Underground Railroad – a secret group that helps slaves escape from their masters in the South



VOCABULARY: Word Search

ABOLITIONIST	CONSTITUTION	LIBERATOR	
ACCOMPLICES	EMANCIPATION	PETITION	QUAKERS
ANTISLAVERY	FUGITIVE	PREJUDICE	SACRIFICE
BUGLE	LECTURER	PROSECUTION	SUBSCRIPTION

A P N O I T A P I C N A M E B
 P B E E K A R Z F O Q I S V B
 E R O T L G K C A N U L E I V
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CROSSWORD

ACROSS

7. to free from the power of another
12. antislavery newspaper printed in Ohio
13. the act of beginning criminal proceedings
14. runaway
15. one who talks about a particular topic to an assembled group

DOWN

1. to give something up for the sake of something else
2. against slavery
3. the practice of holding another in servitude as their property
4. supreme law of a nation
5. payment to receive a newspaper
6. to ask
8. person who wants to end to slavery
9. those who belong to the Society of Friends
10. those who help another in wrongdoing
11. dislike of something without sufficient knowledge
15. Garrison's abolitionist newspaper

