Use Intensive Pronouns

Part A

Rewrite each sentence to use an intensive pronoun.

1. Katelynn painted the entire bathroom.

Katelynn painted the entire bathroom herself.



Student answers will vary

2. Philip counted all the jelly beans.

Philip counted all the jelly beans himself.

3. Rodrigo and I want to solve the 1000-piece puzzle.

Rodrigo and I want to solve the 1000-piece puzzle ourselves.

4. Although the outside of the thermos was cool, the soup was hot and steaming.

Although the outside of the thermos was cool, the soup itself was hot and steaming.

5. We were surprised to learn that the musicians loaded the instruments onto the bus.

We were surprised to learn that the musicians themselves loaded the instruments onto the bus.

6. I decoded the secret message in less than an hour.

I decoded the secret message myself in less than an hour.

Part B

Write your own sentences using the given intensive pronoun. Make sure it is intensive and not reflexive.

1. herself

Gabriela composed, practiced, and performed the music herself. Student answers will vary

- 2. myself
- 3. yourself
- 4. himself
- 5. ourselves
- 6. themselves