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# 3 Build Vocabulary: Word Meaning and Spelling

**Directions:** Reprint the vocabulary words on the lines provided.

1. **maneuver:** a planned movement or strategy \_\_\_\_\_

2. **saunter:** to walk casually, to stroll \_\_\_\_\_

3. **assert:** to make a claim \_\_\_\_\_

4. **garbled:** difficult to understand \_\_\_\_\_

5. **quell:** to calm \_\_\_\_\_

6. **turmoil:** confusion \_\_\_\_\_

7. **wounded:** badly injured \_\_\_\_\_

8. **environment:** surroundings \_\_\_\_\_

9. **derogatory:** insulting \_\_\_\_\_

10. **scientific:** related to science \_\_\_\_\_

**Directions:** Find the vocabulary words that fit into these sentences.

1. "He wasn't hurt very badly when he fell down in front of the entire class.

Only his pride was \_\_\_\_\_."

2. "Though it's gone down in history as a great moment for all mankind, some people

\_\_\_\_\_ the moon landing never happened."

3. "My little sister was afraid of going to the dentist, so to \_\_\_\_\_

her fears, I told her that he will give her a new toy when the appointment is over."