



Mountain Journey

Purpose: To select appropriate vocabulary when writing

Remember – Synonyms are words that have the same or very similar meaning.

Activity 1

Can you find 5 synonyms for each word? Add them to the table below.

look	good	clever

Activity 2

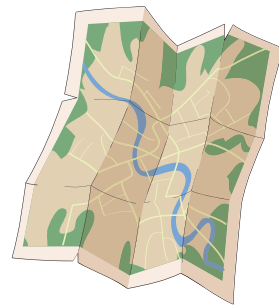
How does the word in **bold** in each sentence change the meaning for the reader?

Jake had started **powering** up the side of the hill.

Explain how **powering** shows how Jake is moving.

Jake had started **dawdling** up the side of the hill.

Explain how **dawdling** shows how Jake is moving.



Activity 3

Draw lines to match the synonyms

run

job

peer

look

task

fortunate

lucky

sprint

Antonyms are words that have the opposite meaning

Draw lines to match the antonyms

upset

ugly

beautiful

pleased

expensive

late

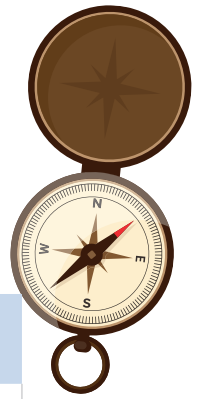
punctual

cheap



Activity 4 – Writer’s Craft

Make a list of synonyms and antonyms for the word run.



synonyms of run	antonyms of run

Write a description of a group of children walking through a hilly landscape on a school trip.

Use your list of synonyms and antonyms to show how different children are travelling along the path.
