

e-future Art Classic Stories

ACS 01

The Great Big Turnip

through the Art Style of Paul Gauguin



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A Write the correct words and match the words to their definitions.

delicious weeds seeds impossible pull turnip

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| 1. |  | _____ • | • a. can't be done or can't happen |
| 2. |  | _____ • | • b. a round, light-colored vegetable |
| 3. |  | _____ • | • c. to hold something and move it toward yourself |
| 4. |  | _____ • | • d. wild plants that you don't want in your garden |
| 5. |  | _____ • | • e. small things from which new plants can grow |
| 6. |  | _____ • | • f. having a very good taste |

B Complete the sentences using the words in the box.

leaves sight shout certainly continue

- Please don't _____! You'll wake up the baby.
speaking very loudly
- The rain isn't going to stop soon. It will _____ to rain all day.
keep doing (something)
- In September, the _____ start to change color.
small green parts of a tree
- Melanie is _____ the smartest person in our class.
for sure; definitely
- The mountains in winter are a beautiful _____.
something that is seen

C Circle Yes or No.

1.  The farmer and his wife had a son. Yes / No

2.  The wife pulled the farmer, and the farmer pulled the turnip. Yes / No

3.  The mouse helped to pull the turnip out. Yes / No

4.  The turnip did not taste good. Yes / No

D Unscramble the sentences. Capitalize the first word.

1.  as happy / one day / as he / could be / the farmer / was
→ _____.

2.  and pulled / they / their / with all / pulled / might
→ _____.

3.  funny / sight / it / was a / certainly
→ _____.