



Literacy and Intervention

SAMPLE LESSON

Claims to Fame[®]

Short Biographies Develop Comprehension and Writing Skills

Grades 2–5



Book 2: Answer Key

Claims *to* Fame

Fourteen Short Biographies

BOOK
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Teacher's Key: Biography of Jerry Yang

Thinking about What You Have Read

1. Jerry was born in Taiwan.
2. This year was important for Jerry because it was the year that he and Dave decided to turn their hobby into a business.
3. He wanted to build a guide to the World Wide Web so that he could find information quickly.
4. Their friends passed the guide on to other people. The people using the guide often sent advice and encouragement.
5. They passed their favorite links back and forth.
6. Answers will vary but may include the idea that he loves what he is doing.
7. Answers will vary.

Working with Words

Synonyms: Possible answers are small, little, teeny, undersized, minute.

Categories: Answers will vary.

Word meanings:

Raise means to bring up and take care of. Other meanings for this word and the following words will vary.

Well means being successful.

Good means close.

Cool means outstanding in some way, as in style.

Fall means the season of autumn.

Writing Skills: Answers will vary.



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