



THE INVENTION OF HUGO CABRET



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Objectives: ... draw on experience to bring meanings to words in context such as figurative language
... study word meanings systematically such as across curricular content areas
... acquire an extensive vocabulary through reading and systematic word study

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in parentheses.

Vocabulary by Chapters

Often, good readers encounter new vocabulary and deal with it as they read. They look for context clues and may use a dictionary or other reference materials to help them understand the word or idea it represents better. If that is your preference, write new words in your dialectical journal as you come to them. **Occasionally, your teacher may give you a surprise vocabulary test but will allow you to use your dialectical journal as reference during the test. So, keep your eyes open for words you don't know to record in your vocabulary section.**

You may find that researching some of the vocabulary before reading will help you read with better understanding. If that is the case, the following list will help. Skip the words you know and understand. Choose words you do not know. Decide the best way for you to remember the word by adding it to the vocabulary section of your dialectical journal. You might write a definition, draw a picture, or copy the sentence and explain what it means. Discuss the words with your partner or group and practice using them in your everyday conversations to make the words your own.

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