

English

Cloze - Select a Word

What do I do?

Choose the best words that completes the passage below. You will have a choice of a selection of words and you can only use one of them.

Top Tips!

- Read the whole passage first to get a feel of the text. You might find yourself guessing words as you go.
- Look at the word options and fill in the ones you're certain of first. If you're undecided between two, make a note of both.

What skills do I need to improve?

Doing lots of practice questions will help with becoming familiar with question types but what else can you do to improve in this area?

- You can create your own cloze questions at home by choosing a page from a book and asking a friend or relative to blank out some words out for you. Try this with a range of genres.
- Revise more cloze type questions that may not have the same format at this one. Some cloze questions have missing letters or a word bank.

Practice Questions

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Answers

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'Dormant' means inactive or inoperative. When using it to describe an animal, it refers to a deep sleep.