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**Name:**

**“The Sun Parlor” by Dorothy West  
Vocabulary Builder**

**Word List**

cajoling      convalesce      lavished      rejuvenation      subordinate      succinct

**Make sure that you use a distinctively different font color for your answers!**

A. DIRECTIONS: Think about the meaning of the italicized word in each item below. Then, answer the question and explain your answer.

1. If the director of a school play lavished praise on his cast and crew after opening night, did the performance go well or did it go poorly?
2. Is a coach subordinate to his team?
3. Would having an argument with your best friend bring a sense of rejuvenation?
4. Which person would be more likely to experience cajoling in her job: an actress or a firefighter?
5. If a family member must convalesce for a month after being ill, did she have a severe case of the flu or a mild cold?
6. If you gave a succinct answer to your father, were you speaking for a long time or did you say just a few words?

B. WORD STUDY: The Latin prefix suc- means “under” or “less or lower than.” Answer each of the following questions using one of these words containing suc-: succor, succumb, successor.

1. Why would a person give succor to someone who was hurt?
2. What will you be doing if you succumb to the temptation of chocolate cake?
3. Why might the successor to the team captain be unsure of herself?