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# INTERACTIVE ACTIVITIES

## ADJECTIVE INTERRUPTER PHRASES

Adjective interrupter phrases provide additional information about a noun. An interrupting phrase is separated from the rest of the sentence with commas either side of where it interrupts a sentence. Cut out the activity and put glue tabs on the back. Write an adjective on the top flap, then glue the flap under the words under the flaps.

Wilbur

Templeton

Fern

Mr. Zuckerman

Name: Answer Key Editing Assessment Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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1. Circle the adjective interrupter phrase in the sentence correctly: \_\_\_\_\_

2. The web, love, made a pattern of mystery.

3. The blackberries, ripe for picking, were never made into jam.

4. Fern, who was nearly as pleasured.

5. Templeton, grumpy from his third trip to the dump, finally brought a worm in the clean straw.

6. Wilbur, the pig, was nearly as pleasured.

# QUIZZES

# WITH

# ANSWER

# KEYS

Monday – possibilities of things to notice  
 \*adjective interrupter phrase  
 commas separate noun from adjective phrase – descriptive  
 proper noun – Charlotte  
 possessive – night's  
 plural – exertions  
 complex sentence  
 past tense

Tuesday – label the sentence  
 Charlotte, exertions  
 sleepy – adjective  
 after – preposition  
 her – possessive pronoun  
 night's – possessive noun  
 smiled, watched – verbs  
 as – subordinating conjunction  
 she – pronoun

Charlotte, sleepy after her night's exertions, smiled as she watched.

complete subjects complete predicates

Wednesday  
 Charlotte, sleepy after her long night's exertions, smiled favorably as she watched.  
 (added adjective and adverb)

Thursday – possibility of imitation sentence  
 Mr. Zuckerman, amazed by the web's message, forgot to work while he entertained visitors.

# FIVE

# DETAILED

# LESSONS

Mentor Sentences from CHARLOTTE'S WEB

mini-unit for GRADOS 3-5