# Language Arts Week 21 Activity Sheet

## A: Dictation Passage<sup>1</sup>

Faith is being sure of what we hope for. It is being certain of what we do not see. That is what the people of long ago were praised for. We have faith. So we understand that everything was made when God commanded it.

#### 5-Minute Mechanics

Circle the linking verb in each sentence. Then identify each underlined word as either a predicate noun (pn) or predicate adjective (pa). Write your answer in the space provided.

- The baby is quite happy. \_
- We are American citizens.
- Tayler is worried. \_\_\_
- 4. **Challenge:** Government is not reason \_\_\_\_ it is not eloquent \_\_\_\_\_; it is force \_\_\_\_\_.²

### **B: Dictation Application**

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Using the dictation passage as inspiration, write your own definition of faith:

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#### C: Words of Wisdom

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<sup>1.</sup> Hebrews 11:1-3 (NIrV®).

<sup>2.</sup> Taken from the Week 17 dictation; a George Washington quote.



# Language Arts Week 26 Activity Sheet

## A: Dictation Passage<sup>1</sup>

Give thanks to the Lord, because he is good. His faithful love continues forever. He gives those who are thirsty all of the water they want. He gives those who are hungry all of the good food they can eat.

### **B: Eliminate Being Verbs**

Rewrite these sentences, replacing being verbs with action verbs (create a subject if you need to):

1. A faint trail used by people and animals was followed.

Camp would be made early.

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3. Soon the whole story was told.

- Buffalo were sighted.
- 1. Psalm 107:1,9 (NIrV®).

#### C: In a Nutshell

Pick out a story you have read recently and summarize it. Which details are important and which details are not important to the plot? Use the questions below to guide you as you try your hand at summarizing:

1. Who are the main characters?

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When and where does the story take place?

What problem did the characters in the story face? What steps did they take to solve it?

- How was the problem resolved? What was the outcome of the story?

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