



Vocabulary Note-taking Template

Selection: "What It Like Up There"				
Target Word	Student Friendly Definition	Can take the place of this common word	Examples	Non-Examples
dominates (p 658)	<i>To tower over, to overlook, to overshadow something</i>	overpower	<p>My brother always <u>dominates</u> me at baseball because he is three years older than me and he has a private batting coach.</p> <p>I think that a shark <u>dominates</u> a lot of animals in the ocean because they are scary.</p>	<p>I am not worried that my three year old niece will dominate the remote control on the TV because I can move faster than she can to grab it!</p> <p>I think that the Mini-Cooper cars are not dominant on the road because they are so tiny.</p>
veneer (p 658)	<i>A cover of a thin material over another kind of material</i>	covering		
exhilarating (p 660)	<i>To make cheerful or give lots of energy to a person</i>	exciting		
fabulous (p 660)	<i>Almost impossible to believe, incredible</i>	great		



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