

Activity Name	“ The Goulburn Valley” (Cambridge FCE Reading)
Language	English
Level	Intermediate (7 th to 9 th semester)
Objective	Analyze the reading and identify the correct words to complete the text.
Linguistic Competence to Develop	Vocabulary Reading comprehension
Strategies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Identify the words that are missing in the reading. - Use words given to complete a text - Discriminate the words that give sense to the reading.
Activities	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Look at the words given and guess their meanings. 2. Read the text and decide the best word to fill each gap is. 3. Write the words in the spaces.
Feedback	When you finish look at the “Answer Key” and check your answers. Keep your worksheet in your portfolio of evidence.

-Write the correct word from the box in each gap.

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