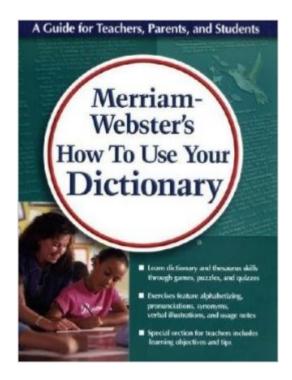
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Synopsis

A guide for parents, teachers, and students, this reference book contains fun activities for students learning dictionary and thesaurus skills. Includes workbook sheets with perforated pages and a bonus section of skill-building exercises.

Book Information

Paperback: 80 pages Publisher: Merriam-Webster; Workbook edition (April 22, 2004) Language: English ISBN-10: 087779670X ISBN-13: 978-0877796701 Product Dimensions: 10.8 x 8.4 x 0.3 inches Shipping Weight: 14.9 ounces Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews (2 customer reviews) Best Sellers Rank: #1,379,050 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #259 in Books > Children's Books > Education & Reference > Reference > Dictionaries #1775 in Books > Parenting & Relationships > Parenting > Teenagers #3196 in Books > Education & Teaching > Studying & Workbooks > Workbooks Age Range: 9 and up Grade Level: 4 and up

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