

Appendix 6C: Sample Diagnostic Activity

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Directions: Read through the list of words carefully. For each word, check (✓) choices from Scale 1, 2, 3, 4, & 5. An example (0) is provided.

No.	Word	Scale 1	Scale 2	Scale 3	Scale 4	Scale 5
		I don't remember having seen this word before.	I have seen this word before, but I don't know what it means.	I have seen this word before, and I think it means ___ (definition/synonym).	I know this word. It means ___ (definition or synonym).	I can use this word in a sentence: ___ (Write a sentence.).
0	Emit			✓ - to release something, like a sound		Cars emit a lot of harmful substances into the air.
1	System					
2	Equation					
3	Value					
4	Flow					
5	Hoil					
6	Force					
7	Method					
8	Mass					
9	Thrattle					
10	Surface					
11	Figure					
12	Menit					
13	Component					
14	Determine					
15	Constant					