

Proverbs

Grade 5 Vocabulary Worksheet

Complete each proverb with words from the word bank.

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The is mightier than the sword.	
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