

FARMER TICE'S VOCABULARY PRACTICE BK.4.3

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- 7} form of oxygen, O₃; powerful oxidizing agent; in upper atmosphere it absorbs ultraviolet rays. *The Nutria want to make cows & people who fart wear fart arrestors on their butts to save the _____ layer.*
- 8} Branch of philosophy that deals with knowledge; i.e., how we know something for certain. *In book #4 Farmer Tice studied _____ to discover the sources of knowledge.*
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- 19} to regain vim & vigor; re-energized; regain health. *Farmer Tices crops were nearly trampled to death by the Nutria but miraculously _____ themselves to being even better than before.*
- 20} a building where sporting events take place. *The Nutria literally gave Farmer Tice the red carpet treatment when he went to give a speech at the Bum Park _____.*
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- 22} a group of geese, or a group of noisy or silly people. *When Farmer Tice returned home, he found a _____ of Nutria in his cornfield all wearing rainbow colored clothes.*
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- 24} resembling a waterfall. to fall in a steplike pattern. *A _____ of fireworks lit up the sky.*
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- 27} planning; figuring; contriving; inventing; making; creating. *The aliens were given the assignment of _____ a way of making an unintelligent person intelligent.*
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Liberace, Brigade, cascade, rogue, demoted, derogatory, devising, diabolical, enlighten, epistemology, brimstone, gaggle, Helen of Troy, inculcated, IQ, mariachi, vows, mused, Nutria, ozone, Pavilion, prosperity, rejuvenated, reprimand, sermons, stratagem, Little Bighorn, tribulations, incinerator, Sacagawea

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*Farmer Tice's wife is
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