Choose the Word

**Parent Directions:** Have your child read the sentences and choose the word that is spelled correctly AND makes sense in the sentence. Have your child write the correct word in the blank.

1. We went to the aquarium on a school trip and saw a shark and an
   ________________.
   octave octopus quintave centopus

2. Mom’s favorite ________________ for music is the 1980s.
   quadrer quarter centade decade

3. On the ________________ scale of temperature, water freezes at zero degrees.
   quadrennial octigrade centennial centigrade

4. A cat is an example of a ________________ because it has four feet.
   quadruped quadtet quartet octruped

5. We were able to ________________ the size of the plant by giving it lots of sun and water.
   quintimeter quadruple decimeter quaruple

**Parent Directions:** Have your child read the sentences, choose the word from the word bank that best completes each sentence, and write the word in the blank.

**Word Bank**
quintessential decathlon quintet quart pentameter

6. In the ________________, athletes must compete in ten different events.

7. A line of poetry written in ________________ contains five metrical feet.

8. Hector plays the clarinet in a woodwinds ________________.

9. To halve the recipe, we needed to know that there are four cups in a ________________.

10. Sylvia is so dramatic and funny; she is the ________________ actress.

**Take-Home Activity (BLM 8)**

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