

COLORADO KIDS: WORD BANK

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“Roadster races to 60 mph in 4 seconds”

convertible – a car with a roof that can open and close

founder – someone who starts a company or group

dependence on foreign oil – having to buy oil for gasoline
from countries like Iran and Venezuela

zero emissions – does not give off fumes

“Author publishes after 11 years”

manuscript – an author’s ideas in written form

rewrite – to improve your written work

“Germs stay past check-out time”

linger – stay behind

virus – a kind of germ or disease

pediatrician – doctor who takes care of children

disinfectant – a cleaning product that kills germs

hygiene – keeping oneself clean

“New NBA ball up for grabs, grips, and gripes”

gripe – complain

synthetic – not natural, made from man-made materials

microfiber – material made of exceptionally thin, tightly wound strands

component – a part of something

“Brother raises brother”

custody – legally in charge

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Word game below ▼

MIX AND MATCH

Name _____ Grade _____

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