Sophisticated Words   Name _____

Read the paragraph below. Then, on the next page, replace the underlined words with their more sophisticated synonyms.

It was a long day at school. I was <u>tired</u> because I did not sleep <u>well</u>. I had a <u>big</u> science test and wasn't <u>ready</u> for it. As I <u>went in to</u> the classroom and began the test I <u>knew</u> I would <u>do</u> <u>badly</u>. <u>I also</u> forgot my lunch and was <u>hungry</u> by 1:00. The <u>rest</u> of the day did not <u>get better</u>. I lost my backpack, started feeling sick, and missed my bus. There is always tomorrow!

Sophisticated words:

remainder
prepared
entered
starving
improve
Furthermore, I
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poorly
properly
colossal
exhausted

perform

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Answers

It was a long day at school. I was <u>exhausted</u> because I did not sleep <u>properly</u>. I had a <u>colossal</u> science test and wasn't <u>prepared</u> for it. As I <u>entered</u> the classroom and began the test I <u>realized</u> I would <u>perform</u> <u>poorly</u>. <u>Furthermore, I</u> forgot my lunch and was <u>starving</u> by 1:00. The <u>remainder</u> of the day did not <u>improve</u>. I lost my backpack, started feeling sick, and missed my bus. There is always tomorrow!