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K9.5™ -3-WebTunes®



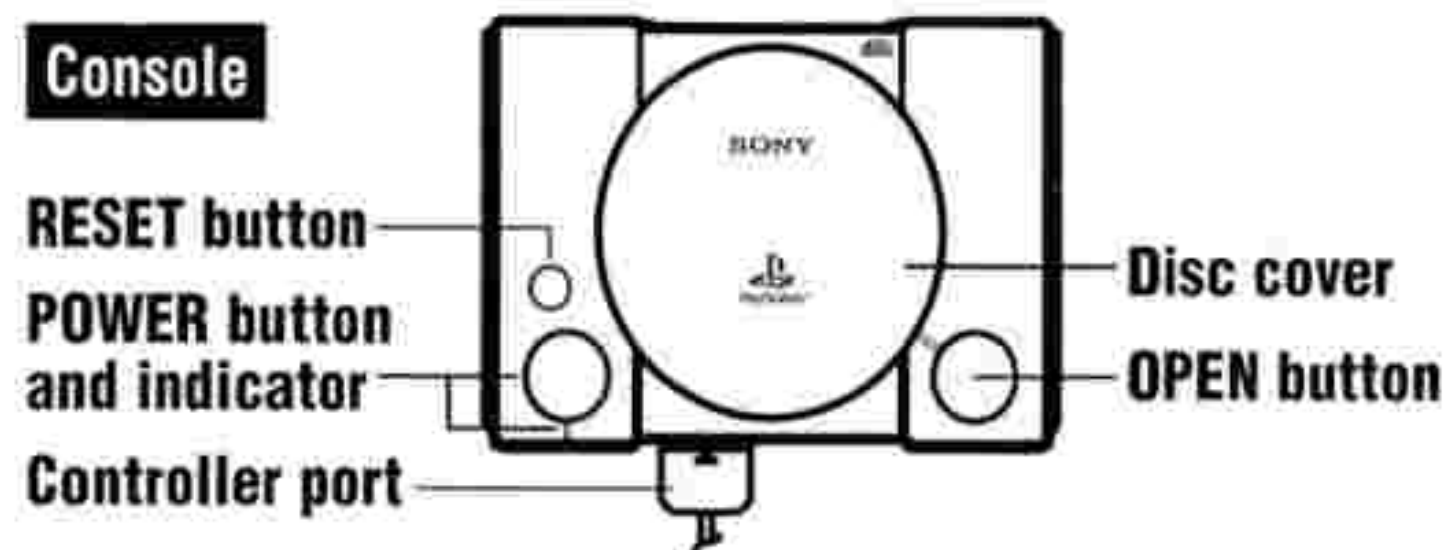
Help Maxine and Riff launch the K9.5 Web site just in time for Ella and Gershwyn's live broadcast performance over the Internet! By completing all nine games, your child will be invited to watch the performance of K9.5's new hit song, "Stepping Out of My Dreams."

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

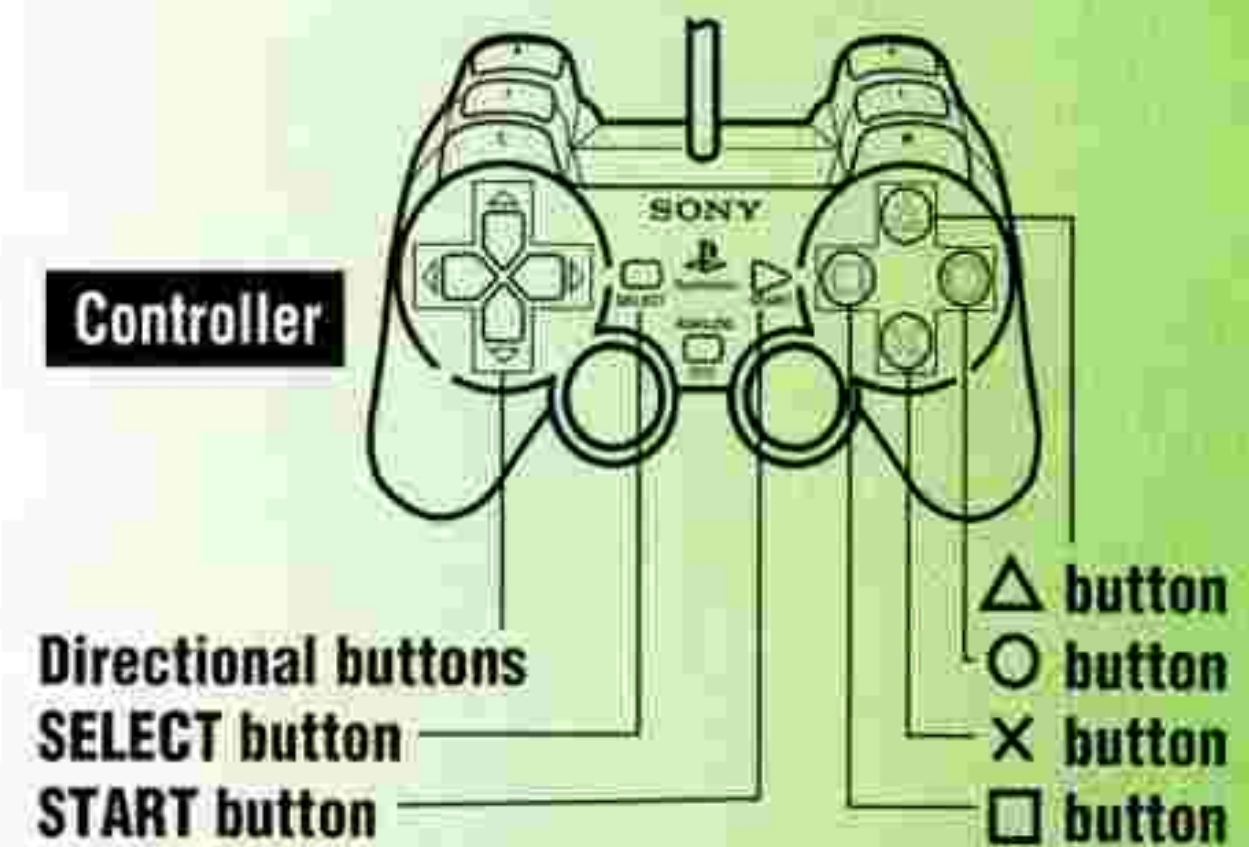
- Identify categories and subcategories
- Understand and create contractions
- Identify possessives
- Identify prefixes and suffixes
- Recognize base words

Getting Started

Console



Controller



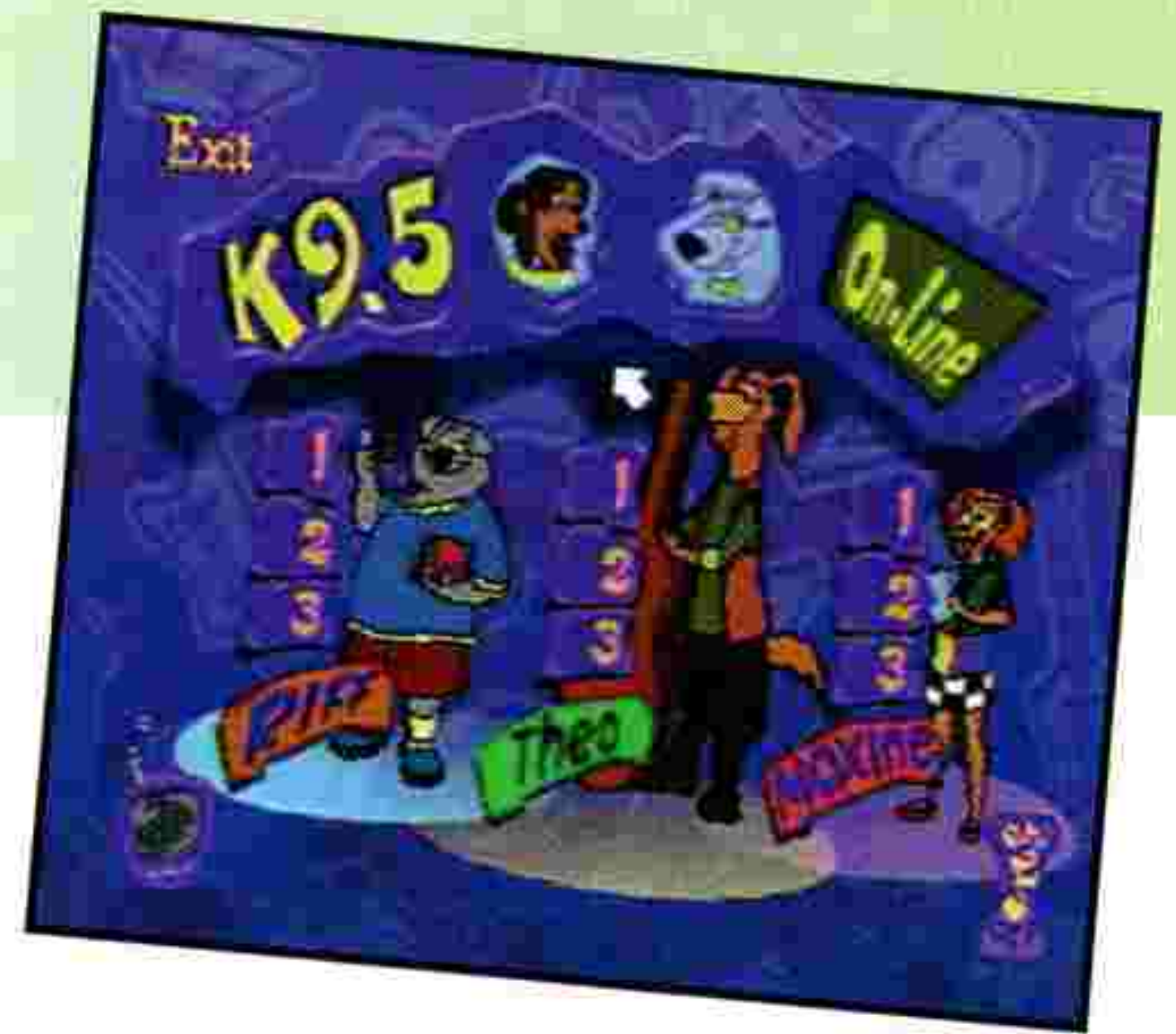
Set up your PlayStation® game console according to the instructions in its Instruction Manual. Make sure the power is off before inserting or removing a disc. Insert the disc and close the disc door. Insert the game controller(s) and turn on the PlayStation game console. Follow the on-screen instructions to start the adventure.



- Use the **arrows** on the game controller to move the pointer.
- Use the **X button** on the game controller for clicking.
- At the opening screen, click the **pictures of the characters** to learn about them and their roles in the band.
- Click **New Game** to view the introductory story and begin the game.
- Click once to skip the introductory story.
- Click **Saved Game** to enter your code and play a previous game.
- Click the **television** in the lower-left corner of the screen to play the introductory story.
- Click the **dog bone** in the lower-right corner of the screen to turn the music on or off.
- Click **Exit** in the upper-left corner of the screen to exit the game.

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K9.5 has just completed its stylish, new Web site! Riff, Theo, and Maxine have each designed an exciting game and a personalized reward page. By playing along, your child can help them make sure all the games work. After completing all three levels of the game, he or she can check out the cool Web page that goes with that game. To begin a game, have your child click **level 1, 2, or 3** on either "Riff's Game," "Theo's Game," or "Maxine's Game."



"Riff's Game"

In this game your child will identify base words, prefixes, and suffixes to help Riff check his game. After successfully completing all three levels, your child will be rewarded by a visit to Riff's "sports activity" Web page. Have your child:

- read the definition
- click the **speaker** next to the definition to hear the definition read aloud
- click **Next** to see the next clue word
- click **Select** to choose the correct word

To exit the game and begin a new one, click the **arrow** in the upper-left corner of the screen.



Challenge your child to quickly name as many words as possible that begin with the prefix "sub." For example, submarine, substitute, and so on.

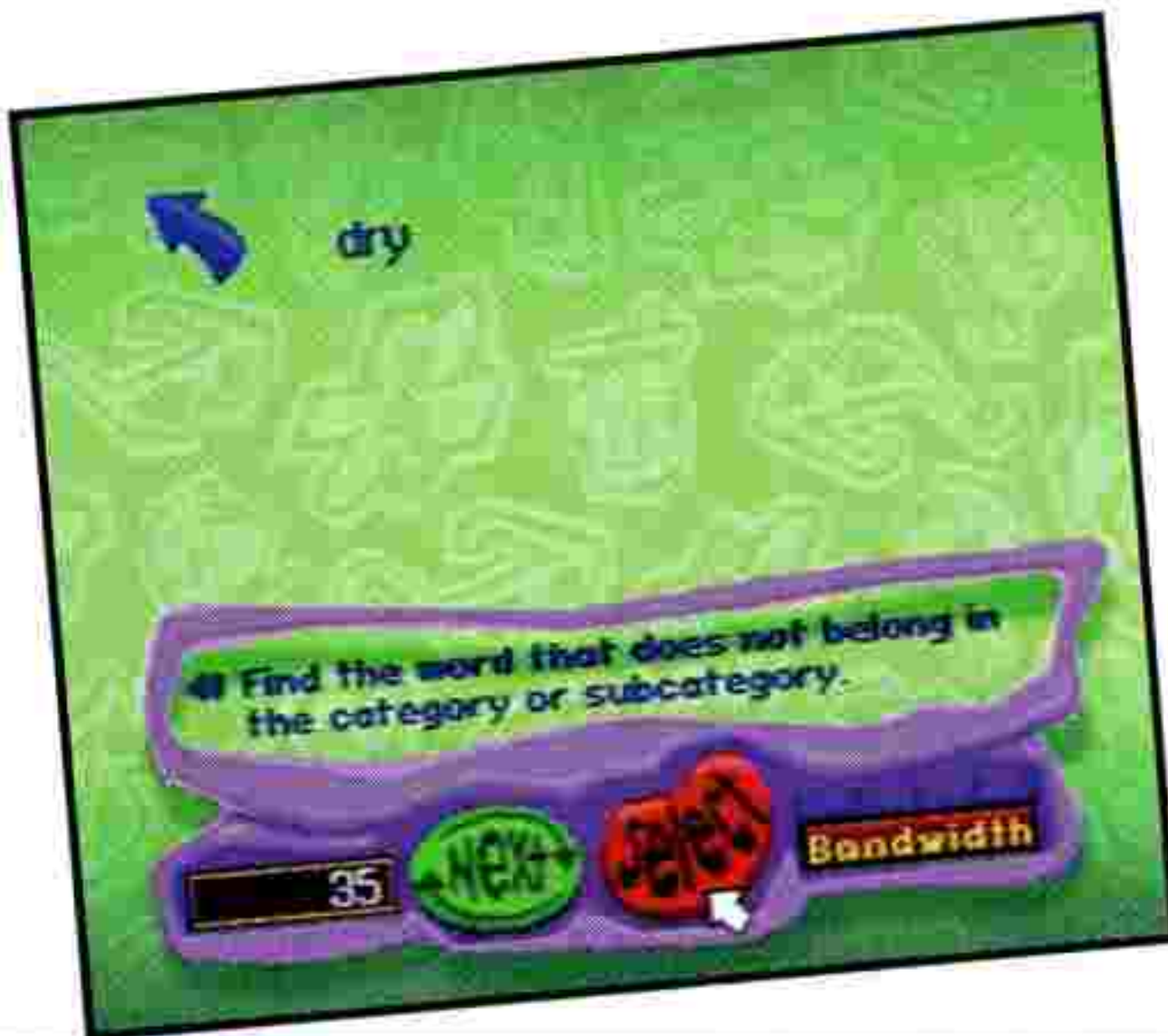
"Theo's Game"

In this game your child will learn about contractions, possessives, and prefixes by matching words together on two sets of spinning wheels in proper combinations. After successfully completing all three levels, your child will be rewarded with a visit to Theo's "base guitar case" Web page. Have your child:

- read the definition at the top of the screen
- click the **speaker** next to the definition to hear the definition read aloud
- click **Spin/Stop** to see and choose the word combinations
- click **OK** at the bottom of the screen to select a word combination



To exit the game and begin a new one, click the **arrow** in the upper-left corner of the screen.



"Maxine's Game"

In this game your child will use his or her critical-thinking skills as he or she determines the category for a group of words and eliminates the word that doesn't belong. After successfully completing all three levels, your child will be rewarded by a visit to Maxine's "scrapbook" Web page. Have your child:

- read the instruction
- click the **speaker** next to the instruction to hear the instruction read aloud
- click **Next** to see the next word
- click **Select** to choose the correct word

To exit the game and begin a new one, click the **arrow** in the upper-left corner of the screen.

Extending the Learning Experience

Family Activities

Play Catch with Contractions

Play a game of "Contraction Catch" with your child. First, you say two full words; then, ask your child to say the contraction. An example would be "I will" and "I'll." Next, have your child say the words; then, you name the contraction. Finally, try to talk without using contractions. You will sound very formal.

Words of a Feather Stick Together

One of the *K9-3—WebTunes* games requires that children think of words in groups or categories. With your child, make word lists for objects that are in the room. For example, start a list of furniture words, color words, and temperature words. Go back and forth saying three words in each category until you can think of no more to say.

Word Puzzles

With your child, make a list of words that begin with a particular prefix, such as "pre," and then make a separate list of words that end in a particular suffix, such as "ful." Help your child cut out the words and then cut them into syllables. An example would be "pre-vi-ous" and "for-get-ful." Have your child put the words back together as a puzzle. Then see if there are any other ways you could put together the word parts to make different words.

WARNING: READ BEFORE USING THE PLAYSTATION® GAME CONSOLE.

A very small percentage of individuals may experience epileptic seizures when exposed to certain light patterns or flashing lights. Exposure to certain patterns or backgrounds on a television screen or while playing video games, including games played on the PlayStation game console, may induce an epileptic seizure in these individuals. Certain conditions may induce previously undetected epileptic symptoms even in persons who have no history of prior seizures or epilepsy. If you, or anyone in your family, has an epileptic condition, consult your physician prior to playing. If you experience any of the following symptoms while playing a video game—dizziness, altered vision, eye or muscle twitches, loss of awareness, disorientation, any involuntary movement, or convulsions—IMMEDIATELY discontinue use and consult your physician before resuming play.

WARNING TO OWNERS OF PROJECTION TELEVISIONS:

Do not connect your PlayStation game console to a projection TV without first consulting the user manual for your projection TV, unless it is of the LCD type. Otherwise, it may permanently damage your TV screen.

USE OF UNOFFICIAL PRODUCTS:

The use of unofficial products and peripherals may damage your PlayStation game console and invalidate your console warranty.

HANDLING THE PLAYSTATION DISC:

- This compact disc is intended for use only with the PlayStation game console.
- Do not bend it, crush it, or submerge it in liquids.
- Do not leave it in direct sunlight or near a radiator or other source of heat.
- Be sure to take an occasional rest break during extended play.
- Keep this compact disc clean. Always hold the disc by the edges and keep it in its protective case when not in use. Clean the disc with a lint-free, soft, dry cloth, wiping in straight lines from center to outer edge. Never use solvents or abrasive cleaners.



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