PIKE PLACE MARKET WORDS & IDEAS

Objective: To understand the terms used to describe the Market as a unique historical district and community.

Supplies: Market Glossary list, Market Vocabulary worksheet.

Class Time: 45 minutes

Lesson Opening: Because the Market is a historical district, many regulations apply in this neighborhood that do not apply in other Seattle neighborhoods. For example, Market stores must be owner-operated to continue the tradition of "Meet the Producer" that began in 1907. The glossary handout with this lesson explains some of the many words and ideas unique to Market people, products, and history. Glossary words are listed below.

Arcade Historical District

Busker Market

Consumer Market Foundation
Craftsperson Meet the Producer"

Daystall Organic

Farmer Owner-Operated Farmtables Preservation

Farmtables Preservation
Growing Season PDA
Handmade Produce

Helping Services Producer
Highstall Rachel
Historical Commission Tradition

Directions: How to Use the Glossary Worksheets

1) Have class read silently or aloud the Market Glossary list.

2) Students then can fill in the blanks on the Vocabulary list (as homework or together in class...this may be an ideal opportunity to divide the class into small groups). As a lesson extension, have students determine the meaning of these Market "Bonus" words: craftsperson, fishmonger, international, arcade, residents, street performers, social services.

Discussion Questions: What words or phrases are unique in describing your neighborhood?



