

Multiple-Meaning Words

Read each question. Fill in the circle next to the answer you think is correct.

In which sentence does the word . . .

1. *watch* mean “something you use to tell time”?

- ☐ Let's watch a baseball game.
- ☐ Watch out for that puddle.
- ☐ My watch isn't working.

2. *sign* mean “to write your name”?

- ☐ Remember to sign the form for the trip.
- ☐ Ice on the pond is a sign of winter.
- ☐ The sign said there is a gas station ahead.

3. *box* mean “to fight”?

- ☐ This box is too small for the gift I bought.
- ☐ My brother learned to box in college.
- ☐ You can use this ruler to draw a box.

4. *coat* mean “something you wear”?

- ☐ Put another coat of paint on this wall.
- ☐ Use this brush for the kitten's coat.
- ☐ Put your coat on before you go outside.

5. *act* mean “be in a play”?

- ☐ The first act of the play is almost over.
- ☐ Act your best when you go to the museum.
- ☐ Randy loves to act, sing, and dance.

6. *back* mean “part of your body”?

- ☐ Mr. Miller hurt his back lifting that log.
- ☐ The back door is locked.
- ☐ Let's go back to the other trail.