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SKILL:
Multiple-Meaning
Words

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More Than One Meaning



Multiple-meaning words have more than one meaning. Look at each word below. Then fill in the bubbles of all the definitions of the word.

1. club

- (A) a type of weapon
- (B) a kind of makeup
- (C) a group of people with a special purpose
- (D) a puppy

2. lie

- (A) to eat a lot
- (B) to say something that isn't true
- (C) to be in a horizontal position
- (D) a type of milk

3. limp

- (A) to walk with uneven steps
- (B) to sleep well
- (C) soft, not firm
- (D) very dirty

4. litter

- (A) friendly
- (B) very fast
- (C) a group of puppies all born at once to the same mother
- (D) to leave garbage on the street

5. ring

- (A) a type of jewelry
- (B) the sound a telephone makes
- (C) to push on a doorbell
- (D) to fly

6. row

- (A) to move a boat using oars
- (B) to speak politely
- (C) a vase full of flowers
- (D) a line

7. saw

- (A) did see
- (B) a tool used for cutting
- (C) a tool used for digging
- (D) quiet

8. trip

- (A) a journey, outing
- (B) a hat, cap
- (C) to stumble, fall
- (D) to write a letter

9. trunk

- (A) part of a basketball
- (B) part of an elephant's body
- (C) part of a tree
- (D) a type of box for storage

10. yard

- (A) very smart
- (B) very cold
- (C) a distance of three feet
- (D) an area in front of, or behind, a house