

Complete the sentences using the correct form of the words in the boxes. In some cases there may be more than one answer.

Trick prank joke

1. My brother told me a **joke** but I didn't get it **straightaway**.
2. Jack pretended to be ill as a **trick** to stay at home and **not to go to school**.
3. We hid Julie's things just for a laugh, but she saw it as a cruel **prank**.

Notice recognise observe

4. Scientists have **noticed** a drastic rise in the global temperature over the past 100 years.
5. Nobody **noticed** that Wendy hadn't arrived till after the meeting began.
6. I hadn't seen Sally since she was ten so I didn't **recognise** her when she entered the room.

Report**announce****claim****comment**

7. The mayor was asked to **comment** on the issue.

8. The surfing instructor **announced** that all lessons would be cancelled due to bad weather.

9. Martha **claimed** that nobody has ever managed to trick her on April Fool's Day.

10. The event was widely **reported** in media.

Deceptive**fake****false**

11. The police arrested man because he had a **false** Passport.

12. Mrs. Roberts gave **false** information to the police and now she's in serious trouble.

13. I know that he looks innocent but don't forget that **appearances can be deceptive**.