VOCABULARY

The Meaning of Words

We can get the meaning of a word by how it is used in a sentence.

Read each sentence and work out the meaning of the word in colour. Select the box next to the correct answer.

1) My uncle offered to help paint the house.
   - ☐ to carry away; remove
   - ☐ to show a desire to do or give something

2) The boy claimed that someone else broke the window, but all the other children said it was him.
   - ☐ a sentence that asks for a reply
   - ☐ to state or demand as one's right

3) Studying for the test wasn't easy, but it was worth the effort.
   - ☐ slow to move or react
   - ☐ a hard try; attempt

4) I shared the cake with my friends.
   - ☐ to divide and give out to others while keeping a portion for oneself
   - ☐ to put or store

5) He only wears a suit on special occasions.
   - ☐ out of the ordinary; better or more important than the usual
   - ☐ usual or normal

6) The telephone was invented by Alexander Graham Bell.
   - ☐ to think of, come up with, or create something new
   - ☐ to ruin completely

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