

Choose the Correct Meaning

Homographs are pairs of words that have the same spelling, but different meanings.

DIRECTIONS: Choose the correct meaning for the homograph in each sentence.

____ 1. My mother put a **can** of tuna in my knapsack.

- A. preserve in a sealed container B. have permission

____ 2. I put all of my **change** in a jar on my dresser.

- A. to transform or convert B. coins

____ 3. I don't think that Kenny and Laura are a very good **match**.

- A. go together B. a slender piece of wood to start a fire

____ 4. I hope that tomorrow is **clear** so we don't have to cancel the picnic.

- A. cloudless B. easily understood

____ 5. John decided to **tear** up Donna's note when she broke up with him.

- A. cry B. rip

____ 6. We stood and watched the boat **sink** into the river.

- A. an indoor basin for washing things B. to move lower down (under water)

