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Word Building (Pair work)

Name _____



Some words have more than one meaning.

For example, point—

Meanings : noun a dot in print or writing, full stop, decimal, the number you score in a game

verb to show or call attention to something

Look up the following words in the dictionary. They may have more than one meaning. List these meanings.



Date of Submission _____

ground _____

survey _____

scrap _____

sternly _____

tempting _____

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Match the following phrases with their meanings.

(a) in a fix	(i) what a surprise
(b) lo and behold	(ii) spreading about
(c) by hook or by crook	(iii) occasionally
(d) at times	(iv) in a difficult situation
(e) in the air	(v) by any means

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Make new words by adding/dropping a few letters from the root word. Some are done for you.



	– ed	– ing	– er	– est
pound			×	×
try	tried		×	×
large	×	×		
new	×	×		
tasty	tasted	tasting	tastier	
wise	×	×	×	×
share				
clean				



Do any of these words use all of four endings ?