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Homographs

Homographs are words that are identical in spelling, but different in meaning and origin. They slightly differ in pronunciation too.

Example: Carson City is the capital of Nevada.

a) Investment

b) city where the government is based in

Identify the meanings of the underlined homographs, using contextual clues.

1) She was content with her job.

a) the inform

2) Gary's bike ha

a) hoop that

3) Wendy visited

a) marked b

4) Grandma rose

a) past tense

5) My duffel bag

a) to provide

6) Summer is the

a) correct

b) direction

7) Maria took another bow as the audience applauded.

a) the act of bending your head in respect

b) a weapon used to shoot arrows

8) A gust of wind scattered the piled up leaves.

a) third person singular of leave

b) a part of a plant

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