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Reader's Workshop

Identify Word Meanings

Directions: Circle the words that complete the sentences.

1. "Use your head to figure this out," said Sid. "Just use logic."
"Logic" means _____.

reason

emotions

guesswork

2. Our hypothesis is that chickens come before eggs. We must test it.
"Hypothesis" means _____.

rooster

science

theory

3. Jess is going to technical school. She wants to be a mechanical engineer.
"Technical" means related to _____.

philosophy

teaching

mechanics

4. Barbara's baby is thriving on good food and fresh air.
A thriving baby looks _____.

ill

healthy

cold

5. When you ride in an airplane, you sit in the part called the fuselage.
The fuselage is the _____.

wing

body

propeller

6. Al doesn't want a permanent position. He's looking for something temporary.
"Temporary" means _____.

lasting a short time

lasting a long time

lasting forever