

Test 17



To this silly story, we've added some spice.
Some words can be used not once, but twice!

Directions: Read the story, then match the underlined words to their multiple meanings.

Finally, it was lunch period. Juan wanted to have some fun and forget that he had answered a question wrong on his English test. He should have remembered that a statement ends with a period and not a question mark. It cost him an A.

The special of the day in the cafeteria was chocolate milk. It cost 25¢. Juan got a silly idea.

"Don't drop that glass, young man!" yelled Lucy, the lunch lady, from behind the counter.

"There's only a drop of milk left in it," answered Juan as he balanced the glass on his head while walking backwards. All of a sudden there was a crash! Juan tripped over Tina Tucker's most treasured toy that she'd brought in for Show & Tell. He landed on his behind. "Ouch! That smarts!" moaned Juan as he rubbed his sore spot and wiped the milk off his face.

"Juan, you have no smarts," giggled Tina. "But you sure make lunchtime more entertaining!"



behind

smarts

period

drop

cost

_____ means to allow to fall **or** a small amount of liquid.

_____ means in back of **or** a part of the body also called the bottom.

_____ means intelligence **or** something that hurts.

_____ means the price paid **or** a loss.

_____ means a punctuation mark **or** an amount of time.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Answers

drop, behind, smarts, cost,
and period