

Test 22



Read and work with a partner. It's awesome how thinking out loud helps you become a better reader!

Directions: First, read each set of sentences all the way through without stopping. Then, fill in the missing word. Last, underline the word or words that provide clues about the missing word. Answers may vary.

1. Well, I was hoping to have a good _____ year. It would be great to have a year of education in which things went smoothly.
2. However, it looks as if this year Miss Madison's class is going to be strange and _____ like all the others. Something unusual always seems to happen.
3. During the first week of school, my mom mentioned that she knew someone with the same surname as my teacher. She said that she had gone to high school with a girl whose _____ name was Madison.
4. I just let that go in one ear and out the _____. It's a big world and many people have the same name.
5. However, several days later Mom came to school to pick me up for a _____ appointment. I needed to get my teeth cleaned.
6. That's when Mom came face-to-face with Miss Madison. They did know each other after all! As they hugged and laughed, I just wanted to _____. It was so embarrassing!
7. Oh, my gosh, I can't believe my mom and my teacher were high school buddies. Well, it could be worse. At least they were _____ and not enemies.



Name: _____

Date: _____

Answers

1. school—education
2. weird—something unusual
3. surname—last name
4. other—in one ear
5. dentist/dental—teeth cleaned
6. cry—laugh
7. friends—buddies