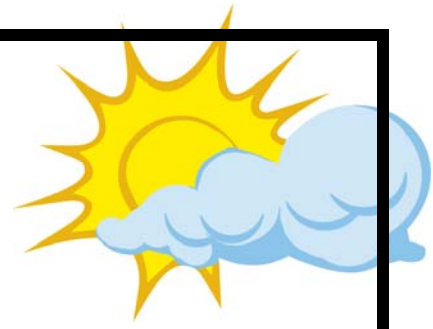


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Context Clues From



Directions: Read the sentences below. One word in each sentence is underlined. From the choices provided, circle the word which means almost the same as the underlined word.

Lily's Picnic

1. It was Lily ladybug's birthday. Lily proposed that her friends join her for a picnic to celebrate.

- a) asked b) hoped c) believed

2. The sun was shining, but there was precipitation in the forecast.

- a) fog b) rain c) wind

3. Lily's friends were reluctant to venture far from home, because they didn't want to get caught in the rain.

- a) unwilling b) happy c) hesitant

4. Lily was dismayed. Her friends tried to make her feel better, but they wouldn't go on the picnic.

- a) angry b) sad c) happy

5. Lily took her picnic out to her favorite spot in the field, and ate a solitary lunch.

- a) big b) cold c) alone

6. When she got back, Lily found her friends had planned a surprise party for her. Lily was astonished!

- a) thrilled b) surprised c) happy

7. "You really deceived me," Lily said. "But it was for a good cause!"

- a) pleased b) fooled b) disappointed

