**Is That Right?**

*sedate* (se-dāt) *adj* 1. Calm, dignified, unhurried.  
*SYN* relaxed, leisurly, easy-going *adj*. 2. Quiet and rather dull. *SYN* boring *verb* 3. To calm someone or make them sleep by giving them a drug. *SYN* tranquilize

**DIRECTIONS**: Use the dictionary entry above to answer the questions.

1. Which meaning of *sedate* do you find in the following sentence: Maggie was hysterical, so her doctor decided to sedate her.

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2. True or false? The word *sedate* has three syllables. _____________

3. What part of speech is the word *sedate*? _________________________

4. Which meaning of *sedate* do you find in the following sentence: My parents loved the sedate old neighborhood, but it looked pretty boring to me.

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5. Which meaning of *sedate* do you find in the following sentence: The queen was very sedate as she stood on the platform, waving to the crowd.

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