

Name _____ **Lexical Ambiguity**



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DIRECTIONS: Write the letter of the unambiguous sentence.

- _____ 1. A The hunter only shot five bucks.
B The hunter only got five bucks.
- _____ 2. A I got a battery without a charge.
B I got a free battery.
- _____ 3. A The principal sat on the complaint for three months.
B The principal ignored the complaint for three months.
- _____ 4. A The children are not hungry.
B The children are not ready to eat.
- _____ 5. A The lightening hit me in the back of the head.
B The bolt hit me in the back of the head.
- _____ 6. A The director decided to ax the play.
B The director decided to cancel the play.
- _____ 7. A What happened to Jenny's part?
B What happened to the part in Jenny's hair?

