Homographs

Homographs are words with two or more meanings.

Homographs are spelt and said the same, but can mean more than one thing.

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Pretend you are holding a bat.

- Describe the bat.
- What does it look like? What does it do?
- Write this down on your Worksheet to share with your teacher.

Look at the sentence you wrote.

- The word ‘bat’ has more than one meaning. It is a homograph.

An animal that flies.

Not good at sports.

An object used in sports.

Not good at flying.

- What would be different if you were holding the other type of bat?
- Write this down in your Worksheet to share with your teacher.

Turn to page 6.

HINT: the word is also in the glossary!

- Try to find the homograph in the middle of the page.
- Write a sentence for each of the two meanings of the word on your Worksheet to share with your teacher.

ASKING ALL AGENTS!

How can you tell which meaning the author has used?

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