

Spelling and word choice

Choose precise spellings and distinguish similar words.

Name: _____ Date: _____

1. Choose: The equipment is necesary / necessary.

2. Choose: She gave useful advice / advise.

3. Choose: The teacher will advice / advise us.

4. Choose: I bought pens from the stationary / stationery shop.

5. Choose: The car remained stationary / stationery.

6. Complete: independ__t.

7. Which letter is silent in knowledge?

8. Choose: The committee / commitee reached a decision.

Answers: Spelling and word choice

Try the questions first. Use these notes to check your thinking.

1. **necessary**

One c and double s.

2. **advice**

Advice is a noun; advise is a verb.

3. **advise**

The sentence needs the verb.

4. **stationery**

Stationery means writing materials.

5. **stationary**

Stationary means not moving.

6. **independent**

The ending is -ent.

7. **k**

The opening k is not pronounced.

8. **committee**

Double m, double t and double e.

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