

INSTRUCTIONS

Link Winks are brain teasers with a fun rhyming twist.

Each puzzle contains three clues. Your challenge is to solve the clues with answers that rhyme.

The rhyming answers can be definitions, associations, or interpretations of the clues. Some answers may be proper nouns. All answers within one puzzle will have the same number of syllables. For example, nose, rose and hose could be a correct solution as could jacket, racquet and packet. However, scare, stare and beware could not be a correct solution.

Homonyms and homophones are not considered rhyming words. These are words that sound exactly alike, but have different meanings. Some examples of homophones are pair, pear and pare or read and reed. Some examples of homonyms are bow (a tied ribbon) and bow (a weapon that shoots an arrow).

More than one correct solution may be possible. As long as all three answers rhyme, match the given clues and follow the rules above, a solution should be considered correct even if it differs from the one provided at the back of the book.

All rhyming answers are phonetically pronounced as found in *The Random House College Dictionary*.

Solving Link Winks is as easy as...

- 1 Read all three clues, then stop and THINK.**
- 2 Find three answers that rhyme - that is the LINK.**
- 3 Now that you've solved it, write it in INK!**

EXAMPLE

_____ Seven days
_____ A mountain top
_____ A bird's mouth

Solution: week, peak, beak

1

_____ **Pertaining to the Pope**

_____ **A hardwood tree**

_____ **A wire fastener**

2

_____ **To establish permanently**

_____ **A part of a flower**

_____ **Steel**

3

_____ **A type of cherry**

_____ **A brief romance**

_____ **Dance music made popular in the 1930s**

4

_____ **A sled**

_____ **A spring month**

_____ **To place on a scale**

5

_____ **An upper limit**

_____ **A sense or awareness**

_____ **Removing a fruit's covering**

6

_____ **Shaggy**

_____ **Frightening**

_____ **Joyful**