

Writing BackWords!

“BackWords” are words that mean one thing spelled forward and another thing spelled backwards. For example: BAT and TAB, STEP and PETS, and STRAP and PARTS. Can you complete each of these sentences with a pair of ‘BackWords’? Good luck!

1. I don't think my pet _____ would be smart enough to play a game of tic-_____-toe.
2. After I rode the _____ to school, I discovered that our teacher was sick and that we had a _____.
3. I woke up from my _____ when Dad dropped the _____ he was using to fry bacon.
4. When we went to the swimming _____, I tied a _____ of string around my inner tube so I wouldn't lose it.
5. _____! I was disappointed because I didn't see the shooting _____ flash across the night sky.
6. Sue caught only nine fish using a fishing pole, but I caught _____ using a _____.
7. I accidentally got some chewing _____ stuck to the coffee _____ that my mother drinks from every morning.
8. When the tired zookeeper went to _____, the monkeys threw banana _____ all around the cage.
9. He was running so fast that he could not _____, and he knocked over a stack of _____ and pans.
10. The _____ began to howl when the water started to _____ into his den.

Can you think of more pairs of “BackWords”?