Thank You, M'am

Vocab

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Sentences
1. He looked as if he were fourteen or fifteen, frail and ________, in tennis shoes and blue jeans.
   Presentable  barren  willowwild
2. If you think that that ________ is not going to last awhile, you got another thought coming.
   Willowwild  contact  presentable
3. Mrs. Jones stopped, jerked him around in front of her, put a ________ about his neck.
   half-nelson  barren  contact

Matching - Terms and Definitions
1. Willowild       a. Touching; communication
2. Contact         b. empty; bare
3. Half-Nelson     c. neat
4. Kitchenette-furnished room d. wrestling hold
5. Presentable     e. Thin and unruly
6. Barren          f. small apartment with tiny kitchen

Sentences
4. When she got her door, she dragged the boy inside, down the hall, and into a large ________ at the rear of the house.
   Contact  Presentable  Kitchenette furnished room
5. You might run that comb through your hair so you will look ________.
   Presentable  Barren  Kitchenette furnished room
6. He couldn't even say that as he turned at the foot of the ________ stoop and looked up at the large woman in the door.
   Willowild  Contact  Barren
Tell Me - Willowwild or not Willowwild

A.  
B.

Examples and Nonexamples

Not Presentable

Presentable

Examples and Nonexamples

Barren  
Not Barren

Partner Deep Questions

If I am making contact with a person am I talking and communicating or ignoring?

Does a half-nelson feel comfortable and cozy?

How many people can live in a kitchenette-furnished room? 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10