Three Syllable Riddles

Directions: Write a three-syllable word that solves each riddle.

1. What is black and white and read all over?

2. I never was, am always to be. No one ever saw me, nor ever will. What am I?

3. Glittering points that downward thrust, Sparkling spears that never rust. What is it?

4. What jumps when it walks and sits when it stands?

5. What goes up when the rain comes down?

6. Mr. Blue lives in the blue house, Mr. Pink lives in the pink house, and Mr. Brown lives in the brown house. Who lives in the white house?

7. What has 88 keys but cannot open any doors?

8. What’s high in the middle and round on both ends?

9. What do you call a tyrannosaurus that talks, and talks, and talks?

10. What geometric figure is most like a lost parrot?
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Answer Key

1. newspaper
2. tomorrow
3. icicle
4. kangaroo
5. umbrella
6. President
7. piano
8. Ohio
9. dino-bore
10. polygon