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Instructions

**Read each question carefully. Select the word that most nearly defines the given definition. Print the letter of the correct answer next to the question.**

Part I: Word Matching to Definition

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| 1) |  | Pleasing, admirable; generally agreeable; being friendly, sociable, and congenial. |
|  | a. | mentor |
|  | b. | amiable |
|  | c. | adversaries |

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| 2) |  | Contrary to nature, reason, or common sense: absurd. |
|  | a. | inexplicable |
|  | b. | dissent |
|  | c. | preposterous |

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| 3) |  | Small common harmful or objectionable animals (as lice, fleas, mice or rats) that are difficult to control |
|  | a. | vermin |
|  | b. | entrails |
|  | c. | tesserae |

Part II: Definitions/Meanings

**Read each question carefully. Select the definition that most clearly defines the given word. Print the letter of the correct answer next to the question.**

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| 1) |  | predators |
|  | a. | Animals or things that prey, destroy, or devour |
|  | b. | Bowels, viscera; broadly : internal parts |
|  | c. | The act, process, or result of replacing one thing for another. |
|  | d. | An animal that only eats plants |

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| 2) |  | condone |
|  | a. | In a mistaken way : wrongly |
|  | b. | Being at fault **:** deserving blame |
|  | c. | To regard or treat (something bad or blameworthy) as acceptable, forgivable, or harmless |
|  | d. | To withhold assent; to differ in opinion. |

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| 3) |  | deteriorated |
|  | a. | Incapable of being explained, interpreted, or accounted for. |
|  | b. | To make better or more tolerable |
|  | c. | Cutting with a sickle or scythe; harvesting. In The Hunger Games, this was what the event was named when individuals were chosen as tributes. |
|  | d. | Made inferior in quality or value : impaired; disintegrated. |

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| 4) |  | arbitrarily |
|  | a. | The manner of existing or coming about seemingly at random or by chance or as a capricious and unreasonable act of will. |
|  | b. | Beyond remedy; hopelessly; |
|  | c. | The manner or process of being arranged, characterized by, or performed with method or order |
|  | d. | Excessively eager : insatiable |

Part III: Matching the Blank

**Read each question carefully. Select the word that most clearly matches the missing word in the sentence. Print the letter of the correct answer next to the question.**

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| 1) |  | Above all I am hoping for trees which may afford me some means of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and food and shelter. |
|  | a. | tesserae |
|  | b. | districts |
|  | c. | herbivores |
|  | d. | concealment |
|  | e. | predators |

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| 2) |  | If you lift a finger, we will destroy every last one of you. Just as we did in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Thirteen. |
|  | a. | tesserae |
|  | b. | district |
|  | c. | capitol |
|  | d. | area |
|  | e. | tribute |

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| 3) |  | As for the pudding, I can’t even guess what’s in it. Days of hunting and gathering for this one meal and even then it would be a poor \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for the Capitol version. |
|  | a. | area |
|  | b. | tesserae |
|  | c. | entrail |
|  | d. | substitution |
|  | e. | offering |

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| 4) |  | On May 8th, I went to the Justice Building, signed up for my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and pulled home my first batch of grain and oil in Prim’s toy wagon. |
|  | a. | entrails |
|  | b. | vermin |
|  | c. | barbarism |
|  | d. | mentor |
|  | e. | tesserae |

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| 5) |  | The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ system is unfair, with the poor getting the worst of it. You become eligible for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the day you turn twelve. That year your name is entered once. |
|  | a. | inciting |
|  | b. | reaping |
|  | c. | condoning |
|  | d. | mentoring |
|  | e. | deteriorating |