Chapter 3 Vocabulary Questions

1. What does 'tangled' most likely mean in 'overgrown with weeds and tangled vines'?

a) Trimmed and neat

b) Twisted together

c) Colorful and tall

d) Soft and smooth

2. What does 'gleaming' mean in the sentence 'spotted something gleaming'?

a) Dull and dirty

b) Faintly glowing

c) Shiny and bright

d) Sticky and broken

3. The word 'symbol' in 'the hawk was the Hawthorne family symbol' most likely means:

a) A person

b) A picture that represents something

c) A secret

d) A game

4. What does 'cozy' mean in 'a small but cozy building'?

a) Uncomfortable and cold

b) Warm and comfortable

c) Large and empty

d) Dirty and crowded

5. What does 'ledger' most likely mean in 'an old ledger'?

a) A notebook or record book

b) A blanket

c) A backpack

d) A lantern

6. In context, 'sealed' in 'sealed with a metal lid' means:

a) Cracked open

b) Painted

c) Closed tightly

d) Hidden away

7. What does 'disappearance' mean in 'after the mysterious disappearance of Eleanor'?

a) A sudden arrival

b) A fun trip

c) A vanishing without explanation

d) A hiding game

8. What is meant by 'scanning' in 'scanning the surrounding streets'?

a) Avoiding

b) Looking carefully

c) Ignoring

d) Drawing a picture

9. What does 'obvious' mean in 'less obvious than the front'?

a) Hidden

b) Clear or easily noticed

c) Locked

d) Dangerous

10. What does 'frowned' mean in 'Leo frowned'?

a) Smiled brightly

b) Laughed

c) Looked happy

d) Showed concern or disapproval

Chapter 3 Answer Key

1. b

2. c

3. b

4. b

5. a

6. c

7. c

8. b

9. b

10. d