Chapter 4 Vocabulary Questions

1. What does 'crept' mean in 'Emma crept closer and picked it up'?

a) Ran quickly

b) Moved slowly and quietly

c) Jumped over

d) Flew past

2. The word 'scrawled' most likely means:

a) Written neatly

b) Painted beautifully

c) Written quickly and messily

d) Drawn carefully

3. What does 'flickered' mean in the phrase 'a shadow flickered near the window'?

a) Disappeared suddenly

b) Waved a light

c) Moved quickly and unsteadily

d) Crashed into view

4. What does 'mysterious' most likely mean in 'a mysterious figure'?

a) Funny

b) Easy to understand

c) Strange and unknown

d) Very familiar

5. What does 'creaked' mean in 'the wooden door creaked'?

a) Glowed

b) Made a soft cracking sound

c) Fell off

d) Closed quietly

6. What does 'trust' most likely mean in 'Trust no one'?

a) Depend on

b) Ignore

c) Lie to

d) Spy on

7. What is meant by 'noticed' in 'Leo spotted footprints'?

a) Cleaned them

b) Walked over them

c) Saw or observed

d) Covered them

8. What does 'narrow' mean in 'a narrow staircase descending into darkness'?

a) Wide

b) Curved

c) Very tight or thin

d) Tall and steep

9. What does 'hesitate' mean in 'Emma hesitated'?

a) Acted immediately

b) Waited briefly with uncertainty

c) Ran quickly

d) Spoke loudly

10. What does 'scanned' most likely mean in 'Emma scanned the window again'?

a) Wiped clean

b) Looked at quickly but carefully

c) Closed tightly

d) Hit with light

Chapter 4 Answer Key

1. b

2. c

3. c

4. c

5. b

6. a

7. c

8. c

9. b

10. b