Chapter 6 Vocabulary Questions

1. What does 'buzzed' mean in 'excitement and nerves buzzed through them'?

a) Flew away

b) Made a soft humming sound

c) Filled with excitement

d) Cried out loud

2. What does 'thoroughly' mean in 'explore the mansion's interior more thoroughly'?

a) Quickly

b) In a detailed and careful way

c) Lazily

d) From far away

3. What does 'embedded' mean in 'a small, rusted keyhole embedded in the panel'?

a) Floating

b) Hanging loosely

c) Fixed firmly into something

d) Written on top

4. What does 'ornate' mean in 'the ornate hawk key'?

a) Simple

b) Plain and ugly

c) Very fancy or decorated

d) Broken

5. What does 'panel' mean in 'the panel creaked open'?

a) A type of door or wall section

b) A floor rug

c) A backpack

d) A curtain

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

a) Going up

b) Staying still

c) Leading downward

d) Spinning around

7. What does 'cellar' mean in 'a hidden cellar'?

a) A kitchen

b) A basement room

c) A bedroom

d) An attic

8. What does 'taste the suspense' most likely mean?

a) Literally tasting food

b) Feeling nervous anticipation

c) Seeing something scary

d) Talking softly

9. What does 'faded' mean in 'a faded map'?

a) Bright and new

b) Folded and sharp

c) Worn and hard to see

d) Loud and colorful

10. What does 'creaked' mean in 'the panel creaked open'?

a) Opened silently

b) Made a groaning sound

c) Slammed shut

d) Lit up

Chapter 6 Answer Key

1. c

2. b

3. c

4. c

5. a

6. c

7. b

8. b

9. c

10. b