The Hawthorne Mystery - Chapter 1 Sequencing Worksheet

Directions: Number the following events from Chapter 1 in the correct order (110):

1. ____ The children find a man slumped at the bottom of the staircase.

2. ___ Emma, Max, and Leo enter the Hawthorne mansion through a side door.

3. ___ Emma finds a locket near the man's hand with the initials 'E.H.'

4. ___ The group discovers a key and a note saying 'Find the truth where shadows lie.'

5. ___ Max tries to call the police but has no signal on his phone.

6. ___ They notice a creaking gate and sneak quietly through the overgrown grass.

7. ___ They discover the man's name is Joseph Hawthorne from his ID.

8. ___ Emma finds a torn piece of a map near the man's shoe.

9. ___ They hear strange noises and decide to investigate the sound.

10. ___ The kids leave the mansion and agree to solve the mystery themselves.

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Answer Key - Chapter 1 Sequencing

- 1. 6. They notice a creaking gate and sneak quietly through the overgrown grass.
- 2. 2. Emma, Max, and Leo enter the Hawthorne mansion through a side door.
- 3. 4. The group discovers a key and a note saying 'Find the truth where shadows lie.'
- 4. 9. They hear strange noises and decide to investigate the sound.
- 5. 1. The children find a man slumped at the bottom of the staircase.
- 6. 7. They discover the man's name is Joseph Hawthorne from his ID.
- 7. 3. Emma finds a locket near the man's hand with the initials 'E.H.'
- 8. 5. Max tries to call the police but has no signal on his phone.
- 9. 8. Emma finds a torn piece of a map near the man's shoe.
- 10. 10. The kids leave the mansion and agree to solve the mystery themselves.