

*Answer Key*

**Synonyms**

1. Darkness
2. Plentiful
3. Graceful
4. Distantly
5. Rapidly
6. Amazement
7. Rancher
8. Catcher
9. Government
10. Forgiveness

**What Do Illustrators Do?**

11. voice
12. noise
13. coins
14. joyful

**Review Test**

15. fair
16. louder
17. ice
18. years
19. bought
20. piece
21. giant
22. water
23. nice
24. city
25. states
26. flies

**RFC-C-44**

27. A
28. D
29. D
30. B
31. C
32. D

**RFC-C-49**

33. B
34. B
35. C
36. C
37. B

38. The kudzu vine has hairy stems and is adorned with striking purple, red, and yellow flowers. Its fruit carries a grape-like fragrance and contains numerous seeds.
39. The intentions were to use the plant's deep-rooted structure to prevent soil erosion and to utilize it as fodder for livestock.
40. The rapid growth rate of kudzu resulted in vines engulfing entire trees, creating an agricultural conundrum that proved difficult to manage.
41. Farmers need to utilize the advantages of kudzu in soil conservation and animal feed while vigilantly managing and trimming its exuberant growth to prevent it from becoming invasive.
42. The rapid and unchecked growth of kudzu, once introduced to combat soil erosion, has transformed it into a potential menace, engulfing trees and creating agricultural challenges. This cautionary tale highlights the importance of managing the growth of beneficial plants to prevent them from becoming invasive and problematic.

**RFC-C-21**

43. D
44. C
45. D
46. C
47. C
48. A fortunate gold discovery could lead to unimaginable wealth for a miner, transforming their life from one of uncertainty to potential prosperity.

# Answer Key

**The Adventures of Pinocchio**

1. B
2. C
3. D
4. C
5. B
6. B
7. A
8. C
9. C
10. B
11. B
12. C
13. C
14. B
15. B

**Synonyms**

16. Poppycock
17. Bamboozle
18. Polliwog
19. Dillydally
20. Bonkers
21. Slugabed
22. Scalawag
23. Hobnob
24. Ballyhoo
25. Gobbledygook

**Antonym**

26. B
27. A
28. D
29. A
30. A
31. A
32. A

**Smart Word Choices**

33. D
  34. A
  35. C
  36. B
  37. D
  38. D
  39. C
- RFC-I-11**
40. B
  41. A
  42. C
  43. D
  44. C
  45. Left to the student.
- RFC-I-20**
46. B
  47. A
  48. D
  49. C
  50. A
  51. Left to the student.

# Answer Key

## Synonyms

1. Tributary
2. Archipelago
3. Gorge
4. Oasis
5. Plateau
6. Strait
7. Isthmus
8. Peninsula
9. Delta
10. Valley

## Synonym Replacement

11. C
12. C
13. B
14. C
15. A
16. B
17. D
18. A
19. D
20. B
21. C
22. C
23. C
24. D
25. A
26. B
27. C
28. C
29. C
30. C
- A Single Shard**
31. magician
32. official
33. solemnity

34. prejudicial
35. prejudice
36. create
37. muscle
38. reject
39. rejection
40. solemn  
\_\_\_ TFB-T2-S3-31
41. D
42. A
43. C
44. C
45. A  
\_\_\_ TFC-TEST-0-59
46. C
47. B  
\_\_\_ TFC-TEST-B-41
48. A
49. D
50. D
51. B
52. C  
\_\_\_ TFD-T2-13
53. A
54. D
55. B
56. C
57. A
58. D
59. A
60. B
61. C
62. A

## Answer Key

### Vocabulary Questions:

1. B) Suffering
2. B) Hurry
3. B) Prevent
4. A) A magical potion
5. B) Noisy and agitated
6. B) Sells goods
7. C) Created
8. B) Holding back feelings
9. B) Begging earnestly
10. C) Persistent requests

### Reading Comprehension: “The Interlopers” Compared to “The Story of an Hour”

1. B) Her husband has died in an accident.
2. A) To explain her reaction to her husband's death.
3. B) She weeps immediately.
4. B) Signs of spring and new life.
5. B) Joy for her newfound freedom.
6. B) Free and full of opportunities.
7. A) It reveals a misunderstanding about his death.
8. B) She dies suddenly.
9. A) Heart disease due to overwhelming joy.
10. B) The oppressive nature of marriage.

### Reading Comprehension: “The Interlopers” Compared to “The Story of an Hour”

1. A) The unpredictability of life and sudden changes in circumstances
2. C) They both confront unexpected events that drastically change their outlook
3. B) It emphasizes the unexpected and tragic outcomes
4. B) One takes place indoors; the other outdoors in a forest
5. B) Both involve strained relationships that lead to pivotal events
6. B) They face unforeseen and fatal consequences
7. A) Mrs. Mallard views freedom as an internal emotional release, while Ulrich and Georg see it as the resolution of external conflicts.

# Answer Key

## Sentence Completion

1. B
2. A
3. B
4. C
5. B
6. A

## Reading

7. B
8. A
9. B
10. C
11. C
12. D
13. D
14. D
15. A
16. C

\_\_\_ TFB-T2-S3-48

17. B
18. A
19. D
20. A
21. C
22. D

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23. D
24. C
25. A
26. D
27. C