To Kill a Mockingbird

Vocabulary

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Definition:

Synonym/Antonym:

Original Sentence:

Visual Example:

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Definition: puzzled; confused

Synonym/Antonym: bewildered,

enlightened

<u>Original Sentence</u>: He looked perplexed by the questions on the test.

Visual Example:



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Perplexed

Adj. (adjective)

Chapter 1

- 1. assuage: to soothe, to ease
- 2. apothecary: pharmacist, druggist
- 3. taciturn: reluctant to speak
- 4. quaint: old-fashioned
- 5. flivver: a junky old car
- 6. malevolent: having bad intentions
- 7. profound: of deep meaning

Chapters 2-5

- 1. fractious: disorderly, divided, uncontrolled
- 2. diminutive: small
- **3. auspicious:** fortunate, favorable, promising success
- 4. tacit: unspoken, but understood
- **5. benevolent:** having good intentions (Latin roots: *bene*-well, *vol*-wishes)
- 6. irk: to annoy

Chapters 6-11 Vocabulary

- malignant: wanting to do evil, likely to cause harm
- 2. perpetual: never-ending
- 3. unfathomable: unknowable; not understandable
- 4. perplexity: confusion
- 5. induce: to persuade or arouse, to bring about
- 6. analogous: comparable to; alike in some ways
- 7. articulate: speaking clearly

Chapters 12-17 Vocabulary

- 1. altercation: a heated argument
- 2. frivolous: foolish, silly
- 3. austere: strict, stern
- **4. elusive**: hard to catch
- 5. placid: calm, peaceful
- **6. venerable**: worthy of respect
- 7. indigenous: native to, originally present in a region
- 8. tedious: long and boring

Chapters 18-22 Vocabulary

- 1. ruefully: sadly
- 2. caliber: quality
- 3. impudent: rude, contradictory
- 4. effect: (v.) to cause
- 5. volition: one's own will

Chapters 23-31 Vocabulary

- vehement: strongly and passionately believing/speaking
- 2. brevity: briefness
- 3. remorse: sorrow
- 4. poise: confidence
- 5. notoriety: fame; bad reputation
- 6. staccato: repeated, short, rapid, distinct sounds
- 7. acquiescence: willingness to give in