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	Mary the creature that came into her yard and her dog.		We planted a vegetable garden to help our family. But many of the plants before we could eat them.
•	A) scared / cursed B) cursed / scared		A) rotted / nourish B) nourish / rotted
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	I don't like to walk in the I always think about the that are under the ground there.		The poor family was after all of their food
	A) skeletons / cemetery B) cemetery / skeletons		A) spoiled / starvingB) starving / spoiled
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			Tim loves being an of that town after he moved there, he made many friends.
4.	A) fancy / hood B) hood / fancy	glishtes	A) inhabitant / shortlyB) shortly / inhabitant
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	When my friend stayed at my house, we sat with a Instead of sleeping, we sat and told for an hour!		I entered a contest that was in my favorite Imagine the when I won!
5.	A) riddles / flashlight B) flashlight / riddles	10.	A) publication / thrillB) thrill / publication
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	Judy wanted to find a that was scary. Finally, she decided to dress like a witch.		Christie me with her city's library. Since then, have read every book they have about
	A) disguise / wicked B) wicked / disguise		A) acquainted / piratesB) pirates / acquainted



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11. Choose the answer that best fits the question.

Which of the following best describes an evil person?

- A) Shortly
- B) Curse
- C) Fancy
- D) Wicked

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Which one is a feeling?

- A) A thrill
- B) A hood
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Which one can you wear?

- A) A cemetery
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- A) Spoil
- B) Acquaint
- C) Starve
- D) Nourish

15. Choose the answer that best fits the question.

Which of the following is most commonly related to the ocean?

- A) Rot
- B) Scare
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Which of the following is the most popular disguise?

- A) Hood
- B) Skeleton
- C) Creature
- D) Pirate



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Why did souls need food?

- A) Theirs rotted
- B) They were starving
- **C)** For their long journey to heaven
- D) To obtain new bodies

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What did the souls do when they left cemeteries?

- A) Got new bodies
- B) Dug up skeletons
- C) Went to heaven
- **D)** Got acquainted with people



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Why do children perform riddles when they trick-or-treat?

- A) To get candy
- B) To get flashlights
- C) To get costumes
- **D)** To get a thrill





Answer Key:

14 : C
15 : D
16 : B
17 : B
18 : B
19 : A
20 : A
21 : B
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23 : C
24 : C
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