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Read the passage and answer the following questions:

The **Discontented** Tree

In a **lush** green forest, there stood a tall oak tree named Oliver. Oliver was unlike the other trees – he wasn't happy with his appearance. He wished he had bright flowers like the roses or colorful leaves like the maples. Day after day, he watched the other trees with **envy**.

One sunny morning, a friendly squirrel named Shona climbed Oliver's branches. Shona asked, "Why do you look so sad, Oliver?"

"I'm not as beautiful as the other trees," Oliver replied sadly.

Shona chuckled, "But you are kind. You provide shade to the animals, shelter to the birds, and a place to play for us squirrels. That's your beauty, Oliver."

Oliver's heart warmed. Gradually, he began to see himself differently. He realized he had a unique **purpose** that made him special.

Glossary:

1. **Discontented:** Not satisfied or unhappy with something.
2. **Lush:** Thick and healthy growth of plants.
3. **Envy:** Feeling of wanting what someone else has.
4. **Purpose:** the reason for which something is done or created.

Questions and Answers:

1a. Was the tree unhappy? (Tick) **Ans.** Yes No

1b. Justify your answer.

Ans:
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2. Describe various qualities of Oliver with examples.

Ans:.....
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3. Identify the parts of speech for the underlined words:
 "In a lush green forest, there stood a tall oak tree named Oliver."
 Ans:

Noun	Pronoun	Verb	Adverb	Adjective	Preposition	Conjunction

4. Which lines tell us that Oliver was discontented? (Tick the correct option)

- Ans: a) He wished he had bright flowers like the roses or colorful leaves like the maples.
- b) He wished he had black flowers like the roses or thorny leaves like the cactus.

5. Identify and write the synonym of “distinctive or special” from the above passage: **Ans.**

6. Punctuate the following sentence:

there stood a tall oak tree named oliver.
 Ans.....

7. Identify and write the antonym of “contented” from the above passage:
Ans.

- 8a)Add a suitable prefix for : appear -
- 8b) Add a suitable suffix for - bright -

8. Make a sentence using the given word: “ **envy**”
 Ans.....
