Assessment Preparation: Definitions
Chapters 1-3

Chapter 1	**Chapter 2**	**Chapter 3**
bawl	incredulous	aloofness
disgrace	roguishly	cunning
muttered	scatterbrained	gallantly
reckless	scowled	ornery
unfathomable	winced	quivering

Directions: Using the word lists above and the definitions you have for each, circle the word that best matches the definition given. Note: Not all words will be used.

1. Which word is the closest in meaning to the definition: *acting bravely or nobly*?

   ornery gallantly muttered quivering

2. Which word is the closest in meaning to the definition: *unable to comprehend*?

   disgrace roguishly gallantly unfathomable

3. Which word is the closest in meaning to the definition: *shaking, trembling?*

   quivering cunning ornery roguishly

4. Which word is the closest in meaning to the definition: *skeptical* or *non-believing?*

   incredible incredulous quivering aloofness

5. Which word is the closest in meaning to the definition: *incapable of serious thought?*

   reckless cunning scatterbrained winced

6. Which word is the closest in meaning to the definition: *tensed the body; flinched?*

   winced unfathomable scowled bawl

7. Which word is the closest in meaning to the definition: *cleverness* or *slyness?*

   cunning aloofness winced scatterbrained

8. Which word is the closest in meaning to the definition: *made a gloomy or threatening look?*

   reckless disgrace incredulous scowled

9. Which word is the closest in meaning to the definition: *to cry or wail?*

   winced bawl aloofness muttered

10. Which word is the closest in meaning to the definition: *playfully, mischievously or dishonestly?*

    gallantly incredulous ornery roguishly