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5 Read the dictionary entry below.

- **Noun:** ease of movement
- **Noun:** liberty

Which of the following words is defined in the entry above?

- (A) flight
- (B) float
- (C) focus
- (D) freedom

6 What does the word *fresh* mean?

- (F) old
- (G) spoiled
- (H) new
- (I) stale

7 Which word means “make suitable”?

- (A) accuse
- (B) adapt
- (C) admit
- (D) advise

8 Which word means “weather conditions”?

- (F) history
- (G) geography
- (H) culture
- (I) climate

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Sled Dogs Run—Comprehension

Read the following questions carefully. You may look back at the selection to help find the answer to each question.

- 1 Who are Skookum, Hawk, and Bamboo?
 - A dogs
 - B kids
 - C rabbits
 - D wolves

- 2 What do Skookum, Hawk, and Bamboo do for the first time in the fall?
 - F They run.
 - G They pull a cart.
 - H They pull as a team.
 - I They chase each other.

- 3 What causes the hair on the dogs' necks to stand up?
 - A the sight of a moose
 - B the sound of lake ice
 - C the sound of the wind
 - D the sight of a snowshoe hare

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- 4 When the musher gets lost on the run, what does she do?
- Ⓕ She starts to panic.
 - Ⓖ She retraces her tracks.
 - Ⓗ She looks for the lights of her house.
 - Ⓘ She remembers what her father told her.
- 5 Which word BEST describes the musher at the end of the story?
- Ⓐ anxious
 - Ⓑ cold
 - Ⓒ happy
 - Ⓓ tired

