

Vocabulary Words:

Burglaries	There were so many <u>burglaries</u> in the neighborhood that we hired a security guard.
Speculated	The boy <u>speculated</u> that his sister was the one stealing his slippers.
Suspect	The <u>suspect</u> was caught by the police after the crime.
Innocent	The girl claimed to be <u>innocent</u> was she was accused of cheating on her test.
Regretfully	The boy <u>regretfully</u> admitted that he cannot solve the problem.

After reading the sentences for each word, use context clues to figure out the meaning of the word. Match the word with its definition.

1. Burglaries

Someone who may have committed a crime

2. Speculated

Feeling sorry or sad

3. Suspect

To have good intentions, not guilty

4. Innocent

Crimes that involve stealing

5. Regretfully

Guessed or thought over ideas