10 Anything's possible.

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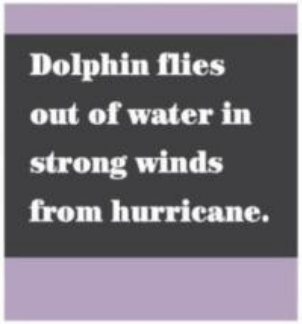
1 Complete the sentences. Use the words in the box.

doctored photo evidence mystery scam prediction rumor myth ~~hoax~~



1. The story wasn't true. It was an elaborate ___hoax___.
2. His fingerprint on the wallet was [ ] that he was the thief.
3. There was no truth in the [ ] that the mayor was going to retire.
4. The picture of the Loch Ness Monster was just a [ ].

5. The [ ] of the missing money was never solved.
6. I don't believe the local [ ] that there are ghosts in this forest.
7. My grandfather's [ ] that the home team was going to win was true.
8. Harry was the victim of an email [ ].

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was true.

2 Choose the correct word.

1. There are people who believe that the moon landing was a *hoax* / *prediction*.
2. It's an *explanation* / *urban legend* that alligators live in city sewers.
3. Helen bought a Picasso for $100, but it was just a *prediction* / *scam*. The painting wasn't real.
4. There is *evidence* / *rumor* that the world is round.
5. The main characters in a *myth* / *scam* are usually gods, demigods, or supernatural humans.
6. Karen made a *prediction* / *mystery* that she would win the lottery, and it came true!
7. Bob showed us a picture of Bigfoot, but it was just a *rumor* / *doctored photo*.
8. No one ever solved the problem. It's still a complete *evidence* / *mystery*.
9. The *rumor* / *hoax* that he cheated on the exam was not true.
10. There is a *conspiracy theory* / *fact checker* that claims Elvis Presley's death was faked.

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