## A. Read and complete the gaps.

## Dave

When I was about nine years old, I bought an enormous plastic spider from from a joke shop. It looked very real and had really long legs. I couldn't wait to \_\_\_\_\_\_ my sister with it. One morning, I put it in the shower just before my big sister went into the bathroom. I waited outside the door. I heard \_\_\_\_\_\_ and my sister ran out of the bathroom. I thought it was really funny, but for her it was \_\_\_\_\_\_ ! When she \_\_\_\_\_\_ that I put the spider there, she was really cross and \_\_\_\_\_\_ the house. I feel bad about it now, because I \_\_\_\_\_ just how afraid of spiders my sister is. It \_\_\_\_\_\_ to get over it because she was so shocked.

## Kate

Last February, I sent my brother a Valentine's card. He's quite shy and he didn't have a girlfriend. In the card, I wrote "Be my Valentine! With love from???" and I tried to \_\_\_\_\_\_ my handwriting. When he opened it, he looked carefully at the writing, and I thought for a moment he \_\_\_\_\_ it was from me. But there was a girl in his class who he liked, and he thought the card was from her. He \_\_\_\_\_ really pleased about the card. In fact, he decided to \_\_\_\_\_, and now they're going out! Eventually, he \_\_\_\_\_ the card to her and she said she didn't send it. He immediately \_\_\_\_\_ me, so I \_\_\_\_\_. He was a bit cross, but he \_\_\_\_\_ me because of the happy ending.

## B. Match

enormous	преспедовать
joke shop	крик
scream	пугающий
terrifying	долгое время
find out	выяснять, обнаруживать
chase	огромный
ages	магазин прикопов
get over	преодопеть, справиться

наконец, сразу
признаться
осознать
казаться
незамедлительно, сразу же
прощать
подделать, маскировать