

Context Clues: Comparison Clues

1. The girls languidly put on their jackets as if they had no energy at all.

Using the comparison clue, the word **languidly** in this sentence means

<input type="radio"/> A energetically	<input type="radio"/> C energy-less
<input type="radio"/> B quickly	<input type="radio"/> D actively

2. The mother was determined to prove her son's innocence; the father was resolute as well.

Using the comparison clue, the word **resolute** in this sentence means

<input type="radio"/> A wavering	<input type="radio"/> C not determined
<input type="radio"/> B determined	<input type="radio"/> D unsure

3. Some people feel perplexed by brain teasers, while others figure them out quickly.

Using the comparison clue, the word **perplexed** in this sentence means

<input type="radio"/> A troubled or confused	<input type="radio"/> C calm
<input type="radio"/> B at ease	<input type="radio"/> D relaxed

4. After being unable to get a good night's sleep for many days, Allyson became lethargic. She didn't have the energy to get out of bed.

Using the comparison clue, the word **lethargic** in this sentence means

<input type="radio"/> A active	<input type="radio"/> C exhausted
<input type="radio"/> B bubbly	<input type="radio"/> D lively

5. Instead of climbing into bed, she decided to take a nap on the chaise.

Using the comparison clue, the word **chaise** in this sentence means

<input type="radio"/> A sleeping bag	<input type="radio"/> C chair
<input type="radio"/> B bed-like furniture	<input type="radio"/> D floor

6. The unsubstantial story was as if she were retelling a dream.

Using the comparison clue, the word **unsubstantial** in this sentence means

<input type="radio"/> A realistic	<input type="radio"/> C unreal
<input type="radio"/> B true	