Name: _____ **Extra Comprehension Questions**

Reading 9B: *High-Flying Helpers*
Choose the best answer for each question.

PARAPHRASE
1. Which of the following sentences best restates this statement?

In the African nation of Rwanda, for example, several remote health clinics do not have sufficient quantities of blood and other healthcare products.

a. In Rwanda, for example, there are not enough remote health clinics to serve the people.
b. For instance, some rural Rwandan health centers lack blood and important medical supplies.
c. Rwanda, for example, has fewer medical supplies than other African countries.
d. For example, in Rwanda, it is very difficult to transport people to places where there are sufficient medical supplies.

VOCABULARY
2. The use of the phrase *treatable illnesses* (Paragraph A, line 10) indicates that that these illnesses _____.
a. are very dangerous
b. may be cured
c. are infectious
d. are only minor illnesses

REFERENCE
3. The word *They* in paragraph C, line 14 refers to _____.
a. crops
b. drones
c. roads
d. workers

VOCABULARY
4. The word *vulnerable* in paragraph D, line 1 is closest in meaning to _____.
a. valuable
b. domestic
c. defenseless
d. scattered

DETAIL
5. The author begins paragraph F with the word *Ironically* because drones _____.
a. were initially developed as a weapon, but can help save lives as well
b. can be used not only for law enforcement but also for criminal purposes
c. may someday replace the need for researchers for many scientific projects
d. were once thought to be useless, but have proved to have many uses

Thanks!

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