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Listening Comprehension

After School

A. Put a **capital X** in the box next to the correct answer.

1a. What is the story's setting? (1pt.)

Fall

Spring

Summer

Winter

1b. What evidence from the passage suggest your choice in 1 a? (1pt.)

The wind blew slightly.

He ran across the vacant lot.

Each year Rob raked the leaves.

There was a carpet of fallen leaves on the sidewalk.

2. What phrase below best fits the description of the grass as used in the passage, "**the property was overgrown with grass.**" (1pt.)

tall and thick

wet and green

brown and dry

short and prickly

3. "**Rob dashed through the carpet of fallen leaves.**" From this statement we can conclude that: (1pt.)

the leaves were running along the ground

the leaves covered the ground completely

the leaves partially covered the ground

the leaves were sparsely scattered about the ground

4. What is the job that Rob does for his grandmother on an annual basis? (1pt.)

- He swept his grandmother's sidewalk.
- He raked the leaves in his grandmother's yard.
- He weeded his grandmother's yard.
- He put the leaves in the garbage for his grandmother.

5. **“Rob ran across the vacant lot to his grandmother’s house.”**

Which word is the synonym for vacant as used in the above statement. (1pt.)

- available
- crammed
- unoccupied
- unavailable

Use the numbers 1, 2, 3, and 4 to sequence the events as they took place in the story. ( 4pts.)

- He was in disbelief.
- He moved hurriedly.
- He picked up the item.
- He spied the item.

**[ Total Points: 10]**