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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]