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1 Pandemonium

"You've got to be kidding me," the bouncer _____, folding his arms across his massive chest. He stared down at the boy in the red zip-up jacket and shook his shaved head. "You can't bring that thing _____ here." The fifty or so teenagers in line outside the Pandemonium Club leaned _____ to eavesdrop. It was a long wait to get into the all-ages _____, especially on a Sunday, and not much generally happened in line. The bouncers were fierce and would come down instantly _____ anyone who looked like they were going to start trouble. Fifteen-year-old Clary Fray, standing in line _____ her best friend, Simon, leaned forward along with everyone else, hoping _____ some excitement. "Aw, come on." The kid hoisted the thing up over his_____. It looked like a wooden beam, pointed at one _____. "It's part of my costume." The bouncer raised an eyebrow. "Which is what?" The boy grinned. He _____ normal-enough-looking, Clary _____, for Pandemonium. He had electric blue dyed hair that stuck _____ around his head like the tendrils of a startled octopus, but no elaborate facial tattoos or big _____ bars through his ears or lips. "I'm a vampire hunter." He pushed down on the wooden thing. It bent _____ easily as a blade of grass bending sideways. "It's fake. Foam rubber. See?" The boy's wide eyes _____ way too bright a green, Clary _____: the color of antifreeze, spring _____. Colored contact lenses, probably. The bouncer shrugged, abruptly bored. "Whatever. Go on in." The boy slid past him, quick as an eel. Clary liked the lilt to his shoulders, the way he tossed his hair as he went. There was a word for him _____ her mother would have used- insouciant. "You thought he was cute," said Simon, sounding _____. "Didn't you?" Clary dug her elbow _____ his ribs, but didn't answer.

to eavesdrop	Lift shoulders, raise, twitch, hunch, gesture
the bouncer	Bones, framework, cage
to hoist something up	Carefree, nonchalant, casual, indifferent
a beam	Listen in, spy, overhear, snoop, intercept
startled	Lift, raise, elevate, heave, boost
to shrug	Suddenly, unexpectedly, hastily, promptly
abruptly	Throw, fling, hurl, cast, chuck
the lilt	Melody, tune, rhythm, cadence, intonation
an eel	Girder, bar, support, plank, strut
to toss	Snake, serpent, wriggler, elongated fish
insouciant	Surprised, shocked, alarmed, taken aback
ribs	Doorman, guard, sentinel, keeper, gatekeeper