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## EXERCISE 31

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marks

Read the passage carefully. Choose the correct answer from the words given and write its answer (A-K) in the space provided. The letter (I) has been omitted to avoid confusion during marking.  
(10 x 1 = 10 marks)

USE EACH WORD ONLY ONCE.

(A) disturb	(E) sheepishly	(H) bewildered
(B) tiptoed	(F) charged	(J) peered
(C) screamed	(G) imagination	(K) avoid
(D) burst		

It was late at night. I was reading alone in my room when I thought I heard noises downstairs. Was it my 1 \_\_\_\_\_? Putting my book aside, I crept out quietly to have a look. I held a baseball bat tightly in my hand as I 2 \_\_\_\_\_ down the stairs. Standing against the wall, I 3 \_\_\_\_\_ into the living room. No one was there.

For fear of being seen, I tried to 4 \_\_\_\_\_ the windows. I took to crawling towards the kitchen to have a look. No one was there too. Suddenly, the storeroom door opened and

someone walked out. I got a fright and 5 \_\_\_\_\_ out loud. Holding the baseball bat in front of me and with my eyes shut, I 6 \_\_\_\_\_ towards the person blindly.

"STOP!" my sister yelled out. The kitchen light came on. My parents stood there, looking at us 7 \_\_\_\_\_. "What's going on here?" my father asked. I pointed at my sister. Grinning 8 \_\_\_\_\_, my sister told us that she was feeling hungry and had crept down to the kitchen to have something to eat. Not wanting to 9 \_\_\_\_\_ us, she had hid herself in the storeroom to eat the chicken pie.

Finding the whole situation amusing, we looked at one another and 10 \_\_\_\_\_ out laughing.