



Worksheet based on Thank you Ma'am. The Harlem Renaissance.

Guessing Meaning from Context

The words below are in the story. Find the words in the story and try to understand their meanings. Look at the four definitions for each word and circle the correct one.

1. Tug
 - a. Force
 - b. steal
 - c. pull
 - d. shoot
2. Permit
 - a. Allow
 - b. push
 - c. keep
 - d. worry
3. Stoop
 - a. Forget
 - b. bend over
 - c. run away
 - d. fool
4. Frail
 - a. Strong
 - b. athletic
 - c. tall
 - d. delicate
5. Bothering
 - a. Whispering
 - b. stealing
 - c. annoying
 - d. meeting
6. Sweat
 - a. Perspiration
 - b. dessert
 - c. cake
 - d. blasphemy
7. Snatch
 - a. Trick
 - b. grab
 - c. watch
 - d. follow
8. Frowned
 - a. Grimaced
 - b. smiled
 - c. discovered
 - d. laughed