

Answer: _____

Context Clue – Circle the correct choice in the sentences. Then choose the word or words that give the meaning of the underlined word.

1. Brian looks an extremely gloomy customer with very few expressions.
a. hard
b. sunny
c. green
d. pleasant
2. She ordered a light meal for her late work and they could eat what she wasn't eating the rest.
a. healthy
b. excellent
c. small
d. unhealthy
3. Brass is an alloy of copper and zinc.
a. type of plastic
b. mixture of metals
c. kind of metal
d. kind of liquid
4. The continents are slowly drifting apart. Since they are not gossamer, North and South America will one day separate entirely.
a. paper to write letters
b. staying in one place
c. land
d. melting slowly
5. They kept the bones in the eggs while they were being washed and fed.
a. bones
b. made
c. thick opening
d. they filled the hole
6. Lucy was making jam. Before she finished filling the jars and putting on the lids, she used goggles so that her nose wouldn't touch the jam.
a. juice from fruit
b. was used for cooking
c. paper
d. hot water
7. The fifty pound penelope was gossamer in size.
a. small
b. huge
c. average
d. colorful
8. The gossamer boy continued on continuously as he told his mother about his day at school.
a. talkative
b. nervous
c. crazy
d. quiet
9. The gibbon stopped, and quietly stared ahead when he heard the sound of the water.
a. A mother
b. to have a point in discussion
c. a hunting dog
d. to see a tiger
10. The mummies of Egypt are very old. So people think the Egyptians had special ways of mummifying. Actually, it was the dry air that helped them preserve the dead.
a. making pyramids
b. keeping the dead from decaying
c. keeping things alive
d. keeping things from smelling bad