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# CONTEXT CLUES CHALLENGE

**Directions:**

Read the sentence. Guess the meaning of the bold word.

1. The desert was **arid**, so very few plants could grow there.  
Arid means: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Mia felt **nervous** before her big performance on stage.  
Nervous means: \_\_\_\_\_
3. The kitten was very **curious** and explored every corner of the room.  
Curious means: \_\_\_\_\_
4. The loud thunder made a **booming** sound.  
Booming means: \_\_\_\_\_
5. The magician performed an **astonishing** trick.  
Astonishing means: \_\_\_\_\_
6. The glass vase is very **fragile**, so handle it carefully.  
Fragile means: \_\_\_\_\_
7. After running five laps, he was completely **exhausted**.  
Exhausted means: \_\_\_\_\_
8. The little girl gave a **generous** gift to her friend.  
Generous means: \_\_\_\_\_