

# Word Sleuth

Each sentence has **context clues** to help you figure out the meaning of the **highlighted** word. Circle the correct meaning of each highlighted word.

I was **flabbergasted** when I found out I won the art contest.

- a. very angry                      b. amazed                      c. tired

Ms. Chen **admonished** her students to complete their homework.

- a. warned                      b. questioned                      c. promised

Jason was in a **somber** mood when he heard the bad news.

- a. excited                      b. sad                      c. happy

The man's large hat and sunglasses **concealed** his face.

- a. revealed                      b. showed                      c. hid

Eating too much junk food may be **hazardous** to your health.

- a. dangerous                      b. great                      c. delightful

The boat sailed gently on the **tranquil** lake.

- a. upset                      b. calm                      c. stormy

Billy **descended** the stairs into his basement.

- a. crossed                      b. walked up                      c. walked down

