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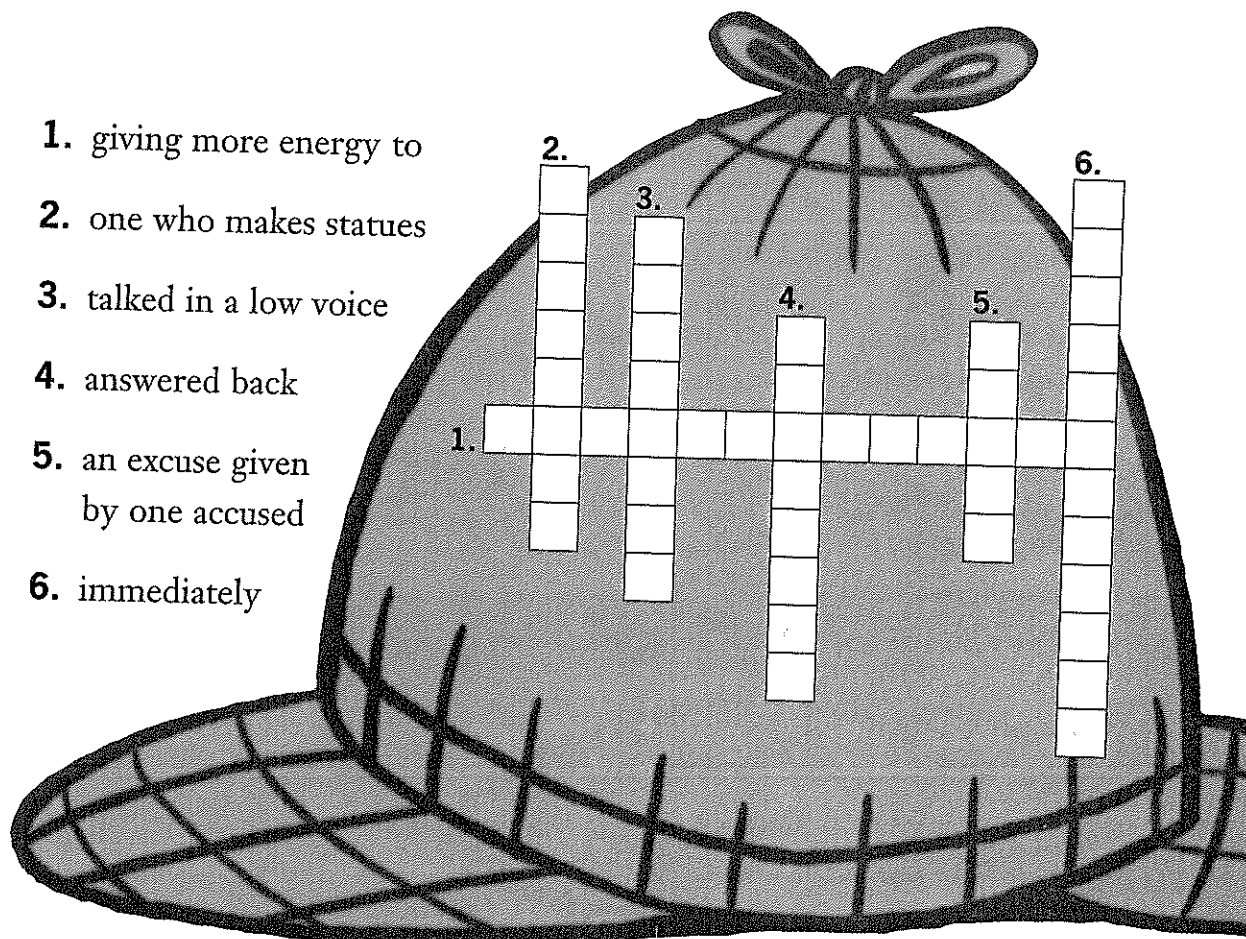
► Write the Vocabulary Word that matches each clue.

muttered  
straightaway

strengthening  
retorted

sculptor  
alibi

1. giving more energy to
2. one who makes statues
3. talked in a low voice
4. answered back
5. an excuse given by one accused
6. immediately



► Write the Vocabulary Word that means the *opposite* of each word below.

7. asked \_\_\_\_\_
8. weakening \_\_\_\_\_
9. shouted \_\_\_\_\_
10. later \_\_\_\_\_



Describe a time when you looked for something you lost. Tell what happened, using three Vocabulary Words.

- Read the paragraph. Then circle the letter of the best answer to each question.

### Jamal's Story

Last week, my dad and I went to a baseball game. First, my dad bought me a hot dog. Then, we handed over our tickets and went to our seats. Once we sat down, we read our programs. It was fun reading about the players. After that, my dad bought me a second hot dog. It tasted great! Next, we decided to walk around for a while before the game started. Later, a man came onto the field to sing the national anthem. Finally, the pitcher walked out, and the game began.

- 1 What is the second thing Jamal and his father did when they went to the baseball game?

A They went to their seats.  
B They met the players.  
C They read their programs.  
D They handed over their tickets.

**Tip**

Begin by finding the first thing Jamal did with his father when they went to the baseball game.

- 2 What did they do after Jamal's father bought Jamal a second hot dog?

F They sang the national anthem.  
G They walked around for a while.  
H They handed over their tickets.  
J They bought programs.

**Tip**

Look for a time-order word to help you.

- 3 What did Jamal and his father do right after they went to their seats?

A They read their programs.  
B They bought tickets.  
C They walked around for a while.  
D They played baseball.

**Tip**

Ignore the answer choice that is clearly wrong.

