Name: _____ **Date:** _____

1. CONNOTATION — Which word for curious sounds most negative?

a) inquisitive b) prying c) interested d) eager

2. PARENTHETICAL ELEMENTS — Add a comma and an end mark.

We finally met our new neighbor Mr. Novak

3. SPELLING — Circle the correct spelling.

The magician's last trick was truly ___. incredibal incrediable incredable incredible

4. VOCABULARY: CONTEXT CLUES — What does **parched** mean?

The hikers walked for hours without water. By the time they reached the spring, they were **parched**.

a) very proud b) very thirsty c) very cold d) very lost

5. PARTS OF SPEECH: PREPOSITIONS — Underline all three prepositions.

After lunch, we walked across the bridge toward the park.

6. PRONOUNS: INTENSIVE AND REFLEXIVE — Which sentence uses a -self pronoun correctly?

a) He taught hisself to juggle. b) Omar and myself fixed the bike.
c) The girls cheered for theirselves.
d) The twins built the treehouse themselves.