

Answer Key

Synonyms

1. Criticism
2. Unique
3. Flimsy
4. Allow
5. Fatigue
6. Vigor
7. Ordinary
8. Substantial
9. Prohibit
10. Compliment

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11. grieve
12. fund
13. freight
14. seashell
15. eyelid
16. fierce
17. sailboat
18. contamination
19. pierce
20. pursue

Reading

21. A
22. D
23. C
24. B
25. A
26. D
27. C
28. C
29. A
30. B
31. D
32. A

Reading

33. C
34. A
35. B
36. D
37. C

38. A
39. D
40. A
41. C
42. B
43. D
44. A

Reading

45. D
46. A
47. C
48. C
49. A
50. B
51. B
52. C
53. D
54. A
55. C
56. C

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57. C
58. D
59. C
60. C
61. B

62. The passage implies that Hamlet’s lack of a rigorous type of causal logic is part of its point, making it more closely aligned with the illogical logic of life.
63. The passage characterizes them as numerous, ongoing, and related to various aspects of the play, including Hamlet’s delay, madness, and treatment of other characters.
64. The passage suggests that the controversies might be related to Shakespeare’s artistic choices and revisions, which may have smudged the motivations in the play.

65. Mysteriousness is considered a notable attribute that contributes to Hamlet's brilliance and variety, making it the most elusive of Shakespeare's tragic worlds.
66. The mysteriousness and lack of a clear causal logic in Hamlet may create a space for multiple interpretations, allowing the play to resonate with the complexity and unpredictability of human experience, contributing to its enduring fascination and almost mythic status.

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67. C
68. C
69. C
70. C
71. D
72. Small plants like lichens and mosses contribute by growing on rocks, wedging their roots into pores and crevices, which can split the rock when they grow.
73. Ice heaving occurs when water in the ground freezes and lifts the pavement. The subsequent thaw leads to pavement collapse, creating potholes.
74. When rocks on top of granite are worn away, it reduces pressure on the granite, allowing it to expand. This upward expansion leads to exfoliation.
75. Ice wedging is more damaging in such areas because the repeated freezing and thawing cycles enhance the process, especially in porous rocks.
76. Mechanical weathering processes like ice wedging and exfoliation contribute to the formation of features like exfoliated domes by breaking down rocks and causing the peeling of surface layers.