

Milly and the Macy's Parade Vocabulary Quiz

Answer Key

Directions: Read the sentence, then pick the best definition for the word in **bold**.

1. I gave all my closest friends **trinkets** from my trip.
 - a) Soft stuffed animals like bears or kittens
 - b) Small ornaments like inexpensive pieces of jewelry or little souvenirs**
 - c) Thick paperback books
2. I can't believe how **homesick** I felt when I went to visit my grandparents.
 - a) To miss your home and family**
 - b) To have a rash all over your body
 - c) To cough and sneeze repeatedly
3. I'm excited about going **caroling** this year, even though my singing voice is not amazing.
 - a) Ice skating on a lake or pond
 - b) Sledding down a hill
 - c) Singing joyful songs, especially at Christmas**
4. Putting up decorations for the holiday always makes me feel **festive**.
 - a) Cheerful and lively**
 - b) Hungry and thirsty
 - c) Mean and cranky
5. You can see that **twinkle** in her eye whenever she gets a good idea.
 - a) A flutter like wings
 - b) A shine with quick flashes of light, a sparkle**
 - c) A slow change of color
6. In my family, it's a **tradition** to read favorite stories aloud and drink hot cocoa.
 - a) Customs, ideas, and beliefs that are handed down from one generation to the next**
 - b) Things that are bought and sold, like clothing or school supplies
 - c) Dances done in two facing lines, usually in a barn

All Answers: 1. b), 2. a), 3. c), 4. a), 5. b), 6. a)