LESSON 4

Code Word

Each sentence shows an example or a description of one vocabulary word. Write each word on the lines. Then use the letters that correspond with each number to answer the riddle. The first one has been done for you.

1. I love thinking about all the fun we had last summer. N O S T A L G I C
   1
2. When their pet goldfish died, the family had a small ceremony and then buried it.
   ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
   2
3. The doctor returned home from her all-night shift looking pale and tired. ___ ___ ___
   3
4. Because the movie was so popular, Jerry figured he should try to get to the theater early to get a good seat. ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
   4
5. They warned us that the river would be rough, but we went down the rapids anyway.
   ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
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6. Yasmin spent two weeks thinking about which charity she wanted to volunteer for.
   ___ ___ ___ ___
   6
7. The hot sun made the plant shrivel up and die. ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
   7
8. A crowd gathered to watch the juggler perform. ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
   8
9. Francesca's new leather coat was so soft! ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
   9
10. This instruction manual makes it possible for anyone to build a birdhouse. ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
    10

What bird never needs a haircut?

A ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

VOCABULARY

supple
disregard
gnarled
wan
muse
explicit
nostalgic
somber
congregate
postulate

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