• Beginning **Synonyms** and **Antonyms** #2

**Synonyms:** words that have the same (or nearly the same) meanings
Example: large → big

**Antonyms:** words that have opposite meanings
Example: hot → cold

**Directions:** Choose the best **synonym** for the following words.

1) **final**
   - A. last
   - B. first
   - C. heavy
   - D. small

3) **great**
   - A. very soft
   - B. very loud
   - C. very hard
   - D. very good

5) **tired**
   - A. kind
   - B. sleepy
   - C. ready
   - D. angry

2) **tiny**
   - A. very loose
   - B. very happy
   - C. very thick
   - D. very small

4) **merry**
   - A. safe
   - B. happy
   - C. upset
   - D. angry

6) **unhappy**
   - A. playful
   - B. alive
   - C. sad
   - D. angry

**Directions:** Choose the best **antonym** for the following words.

1) **first**
   - A. last
   - B. primary
   - C. early
   - D. late

3) **difficult**
   - A. hard
   - B. nice
   - C. easy
   - D. tough

5) **right**
   - A. hard
   - B. wrong
   - C. correct
   - D. wicked

2) **late**
   - A. heavy
   - B. soon
   - C. long
   - D. early

4) **thick**
   - A. worn
   - B. old
   - C. dirty
   - D. thin

6) **near**
   - A. long
   - B. away
   - C. far
   - D. close