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**DIRECTIONS:** Read each of the sentences. Decide from the connotation of the words used whether the speaker is showing approval (A) or disapproval (D). Write A or D on the line.

\_\_\_\_\_ 1. I hope Elaine won't be my roommate at camp. She's so nosy.

\_\_\_\_\_ 2. "I can't wait until we move out of this home," Kim said. "I'll miss it, but our next one will be so much better."

\_\_\_\_\_ 3. Look, there's Miss Miller and her minions.

\_\_\_\_\_ 4. The stench of blossoms filled the air.

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. Rachel would be a good class president. She has a lot of experience meddling in everyone's business.

\_\_\_\_\_ 6. Sarah is full of original ideas.

\_\_\_\_\_ 7. Jerry has a real knack for lying.

\_\_\_\_\_ 8. I would keep your eye on your new neighbor. He's crafty.

\_\_\_\_\_ 9. Aaron is quite quiet and almost antisocial.

\_\_\_\_\_ 10. Though my parents have plenty of money, they like to be thrifty.

## ANSWERS

1. D
2. A
3. D
4. D
5. D
6. A
7. D
8. D
9. D
10. A