

## Unit 1: Fiction and Nonfiction Big Question Vocabulary—1

### The Big Question: Is the truth the same for everyone?

#### Thematic Vocabulary

**doubtful:** *adj.* not certain or not likely to happen; other forms: *doubtfully*, *doubt*, *undoubtedly*

**evidence:** *n.* facts, details, or statistics that prove something is true; other form: *evident*

**factual:** *adj.* true; based on facts; other form: *fact*


**fantasy:** *n.* an idea or a belief that is not based on facts; other form: *fantastic*

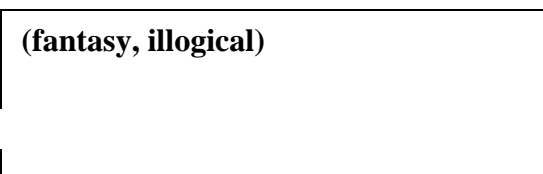
**illogical:** *adj.* not sensible or reasonable; other forms: *logic*, *logical*

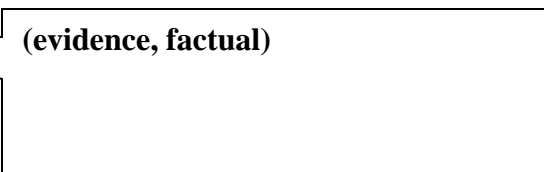
Carol told this story to Simone, Anna, and Ramon: “Yesterday, the most amazing thing happened to me. I was walking in Elmwood Park when a large white bird landed on the path in front of me. It had a strange, golden glow around it. Suddenly, the bird turned to me and said, ‘You will have good luck for the rest of your life.’ Then it disappeared in a puff of smoke.”

Each of Carol’s friends had a different reaction to the story.

**DIRECTIONS:** Use the word(s) in parentheses to write what each friend said to Carol.

**Simone**  (doubtful)

**Anna**  (fantasy, illogical)

**Ramon**  (evidence, factual)