**Mystery Glossary**

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| case | The mystery to be solved. |
| clue | A piece of information which might help solve the mystery. |
| crime | The mystery to be solved. |
| detective | The person trying to solve the event/crime, based on clues. |
| disappear | When something can’t be found; out of sight. |
| greed | When a person wants something, usually of value (money). |
| hunch | A strong guess. |
| jealousy | When a person wants something another person has. |
| motive | The reason for the event or crime to have been committed. |
| mystery | The case or crime to be solved. |
| opportunity | A person who could have been near the event or crime. |
| prediction | A guess based on facts from the text. |
| red herring | A clue meant to confuse or divert the sleuth. |
| revenge | To get back at someone for something that was done earlier. |
| scene of the crime | The place where the event or crime happened. |
| sleuth | A person trying to solve a mystery. |
| suspect | Person who may have been responsible for crime or event. |
| suspicion | A strong guess. |
| witness | Person who may have seen the event or crime happen. |