

## HORROR STORIES - A2+ - ANSWER KEY

### Chapter One: Mrs. Amworth

#### Activities

##### **A**

Clue words: BURY  
DISAPPEAR  
EPIDEMIC  
PROTECT

Key word: VAMPIRE

##### **B**

1. c                    2. a                    3. b

##### **C**

1. mysterious    2. examine        3. noticed

##### **D**

1. False (*On Saturdays and Sundays, it became crowded with cars and bicycles.*)
2. True
3. True
4. False (*He believed that there was a recent epidemic of vampirism in India.*)
5. True

##### **E**

1. In the dream, he woke up and found that the windows were shut. When he opened the first one, he saw Mrs. Amworth's face outside. He opened the next one and saw Mrs. Amworth's face smiling at him again. He tried every window and Mrs. Amworth's face appeared every time.
2. Her name was Elizabeth Chaston. She was an ancestor of Mrs. Amworth.
3. They knew that they had escaped the danger. Urcombe was still worried. But after a few months, he felt more relaxed.
4. They took out the body from the grave. After sunrise, he stroke the body with his pick. The vampire spirit died.

### Chapter Two: The Phantom Coach

#### Activities

##### **A**

##### **Across**

2. patience
3. guide
4. hospitality

##### **Down**

1. vehicle
5. shelter

##### **B**

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|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1. worried <b>S</b>      | nervous <b>S</b>     | 2. go away <b>A</b> | come nearer <b>S</b> |
| 3. interest <b>S</b>     | disinterest <b>A</b> | 4. idea <b>S</b>    | theory <b>S</b>      |
| 5. remain alive <b>S</b> | die <b>A</b>         |                     |                      |

##### **C**

1. b                    2. b                    3. a                    4. a

##### **D**

1. The night mail coach fell over into the valley below. All five of the people on it died.
2. He thought it was Jacob. Then he realised it was a carriage.
3. It was colder inside and there was a very bad smell that made him feel sick. He also noticed that the vehicle was very old and falling into pieces. Then he noticed that the passengers were dead men.
4. He told the story to the doctor who took care of him. The doctor said that he had had a bad dream.
5. He believed that he was in the Phantom Coach.

## Chapter Three: Good Lady Ducayne

### Activities

#### A

S	U	O	R	E	N	E	G	L	T
H	H	T	E	U	V	E	D	O	A
H	O	M	E	S	I	C	K	X	E
W	A	R	N	D	W	U	I	M	R
D	I	S	A	P	P	O	I	N	T
Y	L	A	A	Z	O	D	G	O	G
R	E	F	F	U	S	E	F	P	L

- a. disappoint                      b. generous                      c. homesick  
d. suffer                              e. treat                              f. warn

#### B

Answers: a, c, d, f

#### C

1. experiment                      2. prescription                      3. experience                      4. temper

#### D

1. d                                      2. c                                      3. b                                      4. a

#### E

1. True  
2. False (*When she saw that Bella was healthy, she offered her a job right away.*)  
3. True  
4. True  
5. True  
6. False (*His experiences at the hospital had taught him that money and social position were not important.*)

#### F

1. He did not think they were mosquito bites. He thought Dr Parravicini had bled Bella.  
2. She wanted to talk about her health. She wanted to know if he knew about any new treatments for long life. She wanted to live longer.  
3. He told her that she had lived enough. He said he knew that the other two girls had died because of Dr. Parravicini's treatment. He said that he would go to the police.  
4. Lady Ducayne gave her a lot of money. Also, she married Herbert Stafford.

## Chapter Four: Keeping His Promise

### Activities

#### A

I	X	X	Y	E	E	Z	N	K	R	C	L
A	Z	Y	V	M	H	F	O	S	L	U	B
D	D	E	S	U	F	N	O	C	I	Z	R
E	L	B	A	V	E	I	L	E	B	N	U
S	T	A	R	V	A	T	I	O	N	E	T
C	G	A	P	P	E	A	R	V	B	M	S
J	V	T	R	O	F	F	E	F	X	Q	I
O	F	F	E	R	R	T	F	I	H	J	D

- a. appear                              b. confused                              c. disturb                              d. effort  
e. offer                                  f. starvation                              g. unbelievable

#### B

1. extremely                              2. completely                              3. guiltily