

## Great Expectations Vocabulary and Questions Chapter 10-12

Directions: For each word, write the part of speech, definition, and compose your own sentence in which you use the word *correctly*.

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Directions: Answer each question completely, using details from the novel when appropriate

1. Pip begins chapter 10 outlining a plan “towards making myself uncommon,” (Dickens 80). What is this plan and what prompts him to make these changes?
2. Dickens surprises the reader when he introduces a stranger at the local pub who seems particularly interested in Pip and stirs his drink.... with a file. What effect does this have on Pip as well as on the reader?
3. Estella demeans and slaps Pip, seemingly enjoying the resulting tears. Pip responds by telling her that she’ll never make him cry again. Why does he tell her that and to what extent you think this is truthful?
4. Pip meets “a pale young gentleman” (Dickens 99) at Satis House, describe their meeting and what surprising event happens immediately afterward?
5. Pumblechook and Mrs. Joe have frequent conversations about Pip’s “prospects” (Dickens 106), why are they continually discussing Pip’s connection to Satis House and what does their dialogue reveal about their character?

## Great Expectations Vocabulary and Questions Chapter 13-16

Directions: For each word, write the part of speech, definition, and compose your own sentence in which you use the word *correctly*.

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Directions: Answer each question completely, using details from the novel when appropriate

1. When Joe finally comes to Satis House and speaks with Miss Havisham, he speaks not directly to her, but to her through Pip. What does this suggest about him?

2. In chapter 13, Pip uses words such as “imposter”, “hypocrite” and “villain” (Dickens 114) to describe Pumblechook. What behavior causes him to use these names?

3. What is the reward that Havisham gives Pip for his time at Satis House and what is his reaction to it? (Hint: end of 13)

4. How do Pip’s feelings about home change in chapter 14. Include a quotation in your answer.

5. Who is Orlick? What kind of person is he? What kind of actions and dialogue allow us to indirectly see what kind of person he is?

## Great Expectations Vocabulary and Questions Chapter 19-21

Directions: Answer each question completely, using details from the novel when appropriate

1. Pip begins this novel as sweet, vulnerable, and utterly sympathetic. What are some specific things he does or says that have the effect of making him less likable? Use specific quotes that you introduce with your own answer.
2. Why is it so important for Pip to say goodbye to Miss Havisham before he leaves for London?
3. When he arrives in London, a “particularly drunk minister of justice asked me if I would like to step in and hear a trial or so: informing me that he could give me a front place for half a crown,” (Dickens 181). What does this suggest about the criminal justice system at the time?
4. Who is Pip’s new assigned roommate? Make a prediction at how the two of them will get along based on their renewed acquaintance.