Fifth Grade Spelling and Vocabulary Words

Reprint the vocabulary words on the lines provided.

1. maneuver: a planned movement or strategy. ______________________________

2. saunter: to walk casually, to stroll ______________________________

3. assert: to make a claim. ______________________________

4. garbled: difficult to understand. ______________________________

5. quell: to calm. ______________________________

6. turmoil: confusion. ______________________________

7. wounded: badly injured. ______________________________

8. environment: surroundings. ______________________________

9. derogatory: insulting. ______________________________

10. scientific: related to science. ______________________________

Find the vocabulary words that fit into these sentences.

“He wasn’t hurt very badly when he fell down in front of the entire class. Only his pride was ______________________________.”

“Though it’s gone down in history as a great moment for all mankind, some people ______________________________ that the moon landing never happened.”

“My little sister was afraid of going to the dentist, so to ______________________________ her fears I told her he gives you a new toy when your appointment is over.”

Answers: wounded, assert, quell