

Miranda v. Arizona / Vocabulary ••/••—Answer Key

Using context clues in the reading, define the following terms. Additional sources such as dictionaries may be used if needed.

1. accuse (accused)

- a. Define: to formally blame someone with a wrongdoing or a crime.
- b. Use in a sentence:

2. appeal (appealed)

- a. Define: to formally request that a lower court decision be examined and reconsidered by a higher court.
- b. Use in a sentence:

3. confession

- a. Define: a written or oral statement admitting to guilt, made by a person who has been accused or charged with an offense.
- b. Use in a sentence:

4. interrogate (interrogated; interrogation)

- a. Define: to ask questions formally or officially.
- b. Use in a sentence:

5. self-incrimination

- a. Define: saying or doing something that shows oneself might be guilty of a crime.
- b. Use in a sentence: