Choose the best possible definition for each word.

1. A lyre was played in ancient Rome. Lyre means:
   A. Stringed instrument in the harp class
   B. Percussion instrument
   C. Wind instrument in the wind class
   D. Rhythmical percussion device

2. The labyrinth caused confusion to the attacking troops. Labyrinth means:
   A. Sound
   B. Noise
   C. Maze
   D. Bulwarks

3. The wound was necrotic when examined. Necrotic means:
   A. Healing
   B. Dying tissue
   C. Nauseating
   D. Infinite

4. The defendant exhibited a peevish appearance. Peevish means:
   A. Immovable
   B. Guilty
   C. Not guilty
D. Irritable

5. The band director was an expert in playing the **piccolo**. **Piccolo** means:
   A. Small flute
   B. Large flute
   C. Small drum
   D. Small triangle

6. The renter was **remiss** about the rent. **Remiss** mean:
   A. Timely
   B. Negligent
   C. Irritable
   D. Impoverished

7. The old man was known for his **sapient** knowledge. **Sapient** means:
   A. Useless
   B. Possessing wisdom
   C. Perceptual
   D. Limited

8. The inventor created several **specious** ideas to solve the problem. **Specious** means:
   A. Inspired
   B. Insufficient
   C. Limited
   D. Falsely plausible

9. The **tolerant** attitude of the audience was appreciated. **Tolerant** means:
   A. Tireless
B. Calm
C. Indulgent
D. Laborious

10. The **verbose** language used by the English teacher was tiresome in class. **Verbose** means:

A. Wordy
B. Expressive
C. Limited
D. Punitive