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7. clenched

SENTENCE FROM TEXT: Scotty put his foot out and tripped Daniel. He fell to his knees. Daniel jumped up with his fists clenched.

MEANING: closed together tightly

You can demonstrate this.

8. propped

SENTENCE FROM TEXT: Daniel moved to the last seat at the back of the van. He propped himself in the corner and pretended to go to sleep.

MEANING: leaned against something

He leaned against the side of the van next to his seat.

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