Scaredy Cat Word Meaning

Name: ____________________________ Date: _____________________

Directions: Color the picture by the sentence that has a more negative meaning.

1. Miss. Maxwell yelled at the class to be quite.
   Miss. Maxwell shrieked at the class to be quite.

2. Melissa cried while she was watching the sad movie.
   Melissa bawled while she was watching the sad movie.

3. Fluffy was startled when the mouse ran across the floor.
   Fluffy was surprised when the mouse ran across the floor.

4. Tiger is scared of frogs.
   Tiger is petrified of frogs.
5. Our cat was **astonished** when the lightning struck outside our house.
   
   Our cat was **shocked** when the lightning struck outside our house.

6. The cat **darted** across the yard trying to get away from the angry dog.
   
   The cat **ran** across the yard trying to get away from the angry dog.

7. Jingles **clawed** my arm when she heard the loud garbage truck going down the street.
   
   Jingles **scratched** my arm when she heard the loud garbage truck going down the street.

8. Minnie was **afraid** of the approaching thunder storm.
   
   Minnie was **horrified** of the approaching thunder storm.