Reading Comprehension

A. Multiple Choice. Choose the best answer for each question.

Main Idea

- 1. What is the main idea of the passage?
 - a. The first pizza was made by Stone Age people.
 - b. In the past, some pizza ingredients were poisonous.
 - c. Naples, Italy, was an important place in pizza's history.
 - d. Pizza has a long history and has changed with time.

Detail

- 2. For Stone Age people, why was pizza similar to a plate (line 7)?
 - a. They put other foods on top of pizza dough.
 - b. Pizza could be cooked on hot rocks.
 - c. They used pizza dough again and again.
 - d. Pizza dough gets hard when it is cooked.

Paraphrase

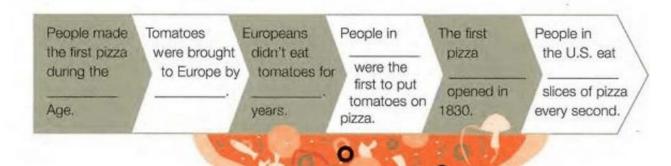
- In lines 16–17, the phrase safe to eat, as well as tasty could be replaced by ______.
 - a. only safe when they taste good
 - b. safe to eat and they taste good
 - c. not safe to eat but they taste good
 - d. taste good if they are cooked well

Vocabulary

- In line 17, 19th century could be replaced by _____
 - a. 1700s
- c. 1900s
- b. 1800s
- d. 2000s

Inference

- 5. Which statement is probably true?
 - a. Stone Age people liked tomatoes on pizza.
 - The first pizza was made almost 200 years ago.
 - The first pizzas in Naples didn't cost much money.
 - d. Tomatoes were popular in Europe in the 16th century.
- B. Completion. Complete the chart below. Fill in each blank with one word or number from the reading.



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