Practice 1 Comprehension MCQ

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

It was a lovely sunny morning. Jill and her parents were on the way to the ferry terminal. They were going to one of the Southern islands in Singapore. There were many locals and tourists on the ferry as it was the holiday season.

When the ferry reached the jetty, there was a mad rush to get off. There was some jostling and pushing. Suddenly, Jill felt herself falling. There was a loud splash and Jill found herself in the water. She panicked! She did not know how to swim! She screamed and thrashed around wildly.

Jill felt an arm around her neck and she felt herself being dragged towards the steps. The person carried her up the steps onto the jetty. When she opened her eyes, she saw her father, dripping wet, and a few of the other passengers looking over in concern. Her mother was sobbing in relief. Sadly for Jill and her family, their outing was cut short. They took the next ferry home.

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1. The weather that morning was _____.
   (1) rainy
   (2) sunny
   (3) cloudy
   (4) snowy ( )

2. What happened to Jill at the jetty?
   (1) She fell on the steps.
   (2) She fell into the water.
   (3) She was pushed onto the ground.
   (4) She was splashed with some water. ( )

3. Why did Jill panic?
   (1) She had been pushed.
   (2) She heard someone scream.
   (3) She heard her mother crying.
   (4) She did not know how to swim. ( )

4. Jill was rescued by _____.
   (1) a tourist
   (2) her father
   (3) her mother
   (4) a passenger ( )

5. In the end, Jill and her parents _____.
   (1) rested on the island
   (2) went home immediately
   (3) spent the day at the jetty
   (4) took a short walk on the island ( )

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