Read the passage below and answer the question that follows.

In every school there is usually a library. The school library contains a collection of different types of books and even magazines and newspapers.

Students are not allowed to talk in the library. They must do their work quietly. This means that the school library is an ideal place for students to go to when they want to read or study. Students are allowed to borrow books from the school library. This is useful because the students no longer have to buy books that they want to read. Books are very expensive nowadays.

The library provides books on various subjects to suit everyone. It is therefore much easier to do research in the library as there are many books the students can refer to. School libraries also help students to develop initiative and to learn how to do things themselves. When students begin to read and learn from books, they depend less on teachers. This is useful training for the students. It helps to prepare students for the difficulties they will face in life when they finally leave school.

Write a summary on **the benefits of the school library**.
Your summary must:

- Not be more than 60 words, including the 10 words below
- Be in continuous writing
- Be written in ONE paragraph

Use your own words as far as possible without changing the original meaning.
Begin your summary as follows:

The school library is quiet and conducive for students to…

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Read the passage below and answer the question that follows.

Many people suffer from back problems nowadays. This can be prevented if people avoid bad habits that can lead to back strain.

Some of us tend to bend our backs when we want to pick something up from the floor. We should never do this. Always bend your knees instead. It is also advisable to keep heavy loads as close to your body as possible. You should change your standing position often, if you are standing for a long time. It is best to shift your weight regularly so as to avoid any strain.

When you lift heavy loads, you should not bend forward at the waist. Do not lift loads above your shoulder level as this will put a strain on your spine. Try not to slump when you sit. Always sit with your back straight. Avoid sitting too far from the table so that you do not have to lean forward to do your work.

If we treat our backs with respect, we will not suffer from backaches. Avoid doing things that can lead to back strain.

Write a summary on **how to avoid back strain**.
Your summary must:

- Not be more than 60 words, including the 10 words below
- Be in continuous writing
- Be written in ONE paragraph

Use your own words as far as possible without changing the original meaning.
Begin your summary as follows:

When you pick something up, bend your knees. Keep heavy …

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Read the passage below and answer the question that follows.

Nowadays, many parents like to send their children to single sex schools. In my opinion, coeducational schools are much better than single sex schools.

When students go to a coeducational school, they learn to socialize with both sexes from a very young age. By interacting with both sexes, the students are comfortable with the opposite sex. They also understand them fairly well. Therefore when they become adults, they will be able to mix with both sexes easily. Teachers also find it easier to enforce discipline in coeducational schools. Both sexes will usually be better behaved. No one wants to be labeled as a 'trouble maker' in front of the opposite sex.

There is usually greater competition in studies between the sexes. Both sexes want to do very well to impress the other sex. This makes them study harder in order to maintain their standards. The students also pay more attention in class. They do not want to be caught not knowing the answers by the teachers. They do not like to be scolded in front of the other sex because they will feel embarrassed.

Write a summary on **why coeducational schools are better than single sex schools.**
Your summary must:

- Not be more than 60 words, including the 10 words below
- Be in continuous writing
- Be written in ONE paragraph

Use your own words as far as possible without changing the original meaning.
Begin your summary as follows:

In my opinion, coeducational schools are better as the students…

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