

Read the texts below. For questions (33—42) choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D). Write your answers on the separate answer sheet.

Most dream vacations to Alaska revolve around wilderness hikes or cruises past mountains and glaciers. But changes in downtown Anchorage offer visitors (33) _____ reasons to linger in the state's most populous city. The city's grid pattern, with lettered streets (34) _____ perpendicular to numbered avenues, seems inspired by the game Battleship. In the heart of the grid, within a block of the G Street strip that stretches between Third and Fifth Avenues, new shops and restaurants (35) _____. Their arrival happens to coincide with a revitalization project (36) _____ Destination Downtown, headlined by a sleek expansion of the Anchorage Museum where new exhibitions, a planetarium and a science discovery centre (37) _____ in May.

	A	B	C	D
33	little	a little	few	a few
34	run	ran	running	runs
35	has cropped up	have cropped up	will have cropped up	would crop up
36	call	called	was calling	has called
37	are unveiled	were unveiled	will be unveiled	are unveiling

The crumpled cars have reddened with rust, and spring rains and a warming sun have left the ashes and mud hardened into an earthen plate of armour. But Satoshi Watanabe still comes every day to pick through the charred debris that was once his home, (38) _____ for the remains of his 2-month-old infant daughter.

She (39) _____ by the tsunami that flattened much of this fishing town and killed his wife, mother and two other young daughters. Once he finds the missing child, Mr Watanabe said he (40) _____ this town and its painful memories for good.

«No one wants to build here again», said Mr Watanabe, 42, who spoke in short sentences punctuated by long sighs. «This place is just too scary».

Two months after a huge earthquake and tsunami, (41) _____ coastal communities like this one remain far from recovery and, with many working-age people moving away, they face the prospect that they could simply wither away and, ultimately, perhaps even disappear.

With neither homes nor jobs to lose, and fearing another tsunami from the continuing aftershocks, many residents (42) _____. Town officials now fear losing the bulk of working-age families, leaving this already graying town with an overwhelmingly elderly population that might lack the energy or the incentive to undertake a lengthy reconstruction.

	A	B	C	D
38	search	to search	searching	be searching
39	was swept away	was away sweeping	has swept away	will sweep away
40	leaving	left	will leave	has been left
41	devastates	is devastating	will devastate	devastated
42	has left	have already left	had already left	has been leaving