

Listening Comprehension

'Underwater Thrills'



Instructions: Listen and read along silently as the questions are read.

1. Select the box next to the correct answer. In which of the following documents would you most likely look to find the article 'Underwater Thrills'?

- A. ☐ in a comic book
- B. ☐ in a dictionary
- C. ☐ in a fashion magazine
- D. ☐ in a travel magazine

2. Other than fish, give the names of TWO other examples of marine life that are mentioned in the passage?

3. 'The third largest barrier reef of the world is located on the east coast of one of our family islands.' What is the name of the family island on which this barrier reef is located?

4. The author's main purpose for writing this passage is to_____.
- A. continue to attract visitors to The Bahamas.
 - B. explain what blue holes in The Bahamas are like.
 - C. show the importance of the marine life in The Bahamas.
 - D. tell persons who visit The Bahamas about the life of sharks.

PASSAGE 2: MARCY

5. Where was Marcy just coming from?

6. What season of the year is it most likely to be?

7. According to the passage, what caused Marcy to Fall?

8. Name three things that happened immediately after Marcy fell.

PASSAGE 3: Teaching An Animal

9. What two things should you do when your pet performs a trick correctly?

10. Which two animals can learn tricks easily?

11. What is the author's purpose for writing this piece?

12. Which of the following would be the best title for this passage?

- a. Training dogs to sit
- b. Training your pet
- c. Caring for your pet
- d. How to train a fish