Listening: A TV Show

A | **Listening for Main Ideas.** Listen to the TV show about intelligent animals. Choose the best answer to each question.

1. Which statement best describes recent ideas regarding animal intelligence?
   a. Scientists are comparing intelligent animals to machines.
   b. Scientists no longer want to study animal intelligence.
   c. Scientists are no longer underestimating animal intelligence.
2. According to Diane Willberg, how do parrots and crows demonstrate intelligence?
   a. Parrots speak, and crows understand abstract concepts.
   b. Crows can make tools, and parrots understand abstract concepts.
   c. Parrots can see colors, and crows can recognize tools.
3. According to Samantha Bean, how does her dog Betsy demonstrate intelligence?
   a. Betsy is able to recognize objects in pictures.
   b. Betsy is able to recognize herself in pictures.
   c. Betsy is able to recognize objects adjacent to their pictures.
4. According to Matthew Leonard, what animals have self-awareness?
   a. Humans, elephants, apes, dolphins
   b. Humans, apes, dolphins, dogs
   c. Humans, elephants, birds, dogs

B | **Note-Taking.** Listen again and complete the notes with information from the TV show.

Beliefs about animal intelligence:

- Descartes: Animals are _____
- Scientists today believe _____
- Ex. of mental skills of animals: Good memory, _____

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Diane Willberg:

- Parrots: _____
  - Shows parrot 2 green objects. Parrot says _____
  - Shows parrot 2 balls. Parrot says _____
- Crows Lab experiment: D.W. puts a _____ in a bottle
  - The crow _____

Samantha Bean:

- In one room _____ In another room _____
  S.B. shows Betsy _____ Betsy _____
- S.B. believes this shows _____.

Matthew Leonard:

- Self-awareness is _____
- Exs. of self-awareness: humans, _____