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Last year, over 200,000 students (33) \_\_\_\_\_ SAT Program tests in over 175 countries outside the US. The SAT and SAT Subject Tests (34) \_\_\_\_\_ overseas six times a year: in October, November, December, January, May, and June.

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	A	B	C	D
33	taken	took	take	has taken
34	offered	were offered	are offered	had been offered
35	listed	list	to list	listing
36	are also provided	will provide	also provided	is also provided
37	live	living	lived	has lived
38	close	closer	closest	the closer

Sharks have always been described as cruel and murderous creatures. Lots of feature films (39) \_\_\_\_\_ to demonstrate how dangerous they are to people. Though some kinds of sharks really can attack people, the number of people (40) \_\_\_\_\_ or killed by sharks is very small. Marine biologists insist that most sharks are (41) \_\_\_\_\_ to people. Along with that, the shark is one of the most ancient creatures of the world, and it should (42) \_\_\_\_\_ by all countries.

	A	B	C	D
39	shoot	shot	have shot	have been shot
40	injure	injured	injuring	injury
41	harm	harmed	harmless	unharmed
42	protect	is protected	was protected	be protected

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### FOUNTAIN PEN MAKES A COMEBACK IN SCOTLAND

Students at one elementary school in Scotland are learning to write in an old-fashioned way. They (33) \_\_\_\_\_ to write using fountain pens. They use fountain pens to do much of their schoolwork.

When your parents were in school, they probably (34) \_\_\_\_\_ a few hours each week learning to write (35) \_\_\_\_\_. But some teachers say there is little time to teach *cursive* handwriting today. They must spend more time teaching (36) \_\_\_\_\_ and maths and getting students ready for tests. Besides, many students use computers to do their class work and homework. They don't write letters; they send e-mails instead.

Students who learn *cursive* can write (37) \_\_\_\_\_ than those who print. They do a better job of getting their ideas on paper too. They write more, and students who write more also write better. Kids with good handwriting often feel proud of themselves too.

	A	B	C	D
33	were being taught	are being taught	have been taught	were taught
34	had spent	spent	were spending	had been spending
35	neat	neatness	neatly	neaten
36	to read	read	will read	reading
37	fast	fastest	the fastest	faster

### CARTS GIVE MOBILITY TO DISABLED DOGS

Sometimes animals have disabilities that prevent them from walking. A new (38) \_\_\_\_\_ — a cart with wheels — has given back mobility to some of those animals.

Three of those carts are being used to help three special Chihuahua puppies (39) \_\_\_\_\_. The puppies — Venus, Carmen, and Pablo — were born last spring without front legs. But now they have been fitted at a New York animal shelter with (40) \_\_\_\_\_ carts. Straps hold the carts in place on the puppies' bodies, and soft padding makes them comfortable for the dogs to wear. Now the puppies can «walk» like other dogs. Shelter workers say the puppies are now «equipped with front-wheel drive».

The puppies use the carts for about ten minutes at a time. As time (41) \_\_\_\_\_, they will be able to stay in them longer. When they are not wearing their carts, they get around by hopping on their back legs. Hopping like that can cause stress to their backs, so the carts offer a welcome rest for the puppies' backs.

Venus, Pablo, and Carmen got more than their mobility at the New York shelter. In addition, a worker there (42) \_\_\_\_\_ all three dogs and given them a good home.

The carts that the three puppies wear were made by a company in Massachusetts. The company was started when its owner built a cart for his own dog. People saw the cart and asked the man to build carts for their pets, too.

	A	B	C	D
38	invention	inventor	inventive	invented
39	get around	getting around	got around	will get around
40	two-wheels	two-wheel	two-wheeled	two-wheeling
41	will pass	pass	passed	passes
42	have adopted	has adopted	adopted	was adopted