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Answer all questions.

Passage 1

The Competition

1. Choose the correct answer. How long did the teams prepare for the sports competition? (1)

one year one week three weeks months

2. Choose the correct answer. Who were the Marlins and Flamingoes? (1)

basketball teams volleyball teams
track teams soccer teams

3. Choose the correct answer. How did Kim know that her event had begun? (1)

She could hear the crowd cheering for her.

Someone said, "On your marks, get set go!"

Her coach shouted it out to her.

She heard the loud sound of the starting gun

4. Write T in front of the **TWO** sentences below that are **True**. (2)

_____ Kim was both excited and nervous.

_____ Kim was a member of the Flamingoes.

_____ Four teams were competing for the prize.

_____ At first there were two persons in front of Kim.

5. Choose the correct answer. Other than the fact that Kim won the race, how do you know that she ran quickly? (1)

She moved like a butterfly

She moved like a flamingo

She moved like a marlin

She moved like a lightning

6. Why was the last race the most important to the Marlins and the Flamingoes? (2)

Passage 2

Regatta Time

1. Choose the correct answer. Where was the first regatta held in the Bahamas? (1)

Georgetown, Exuma
Nassau, New Providence
Nicholl's Town, Andros
Green Turtle Cay, Abaco

2. Choose **TWO** sentences that are correct. 'A regatta site is usually buzzing with activities.' This means: (2)

There are many bees at the regatta.
There is a lot of talking and movement.
Most people find a lot of things to do.
After a short while, people want to go home.

3. a. Do only Bahamians know about regatta time in our country?

Select **YES** or **NO**.

b. Give one reason for your answer.

4. Select **TWO** words from the list below that best describe the kind of persons who watch the regatta races. (2)

Fun – loving

bored

noisy

brave

5. Aside from watching boat races, what are **THREE** things people do during regatta time? (3)

dance watch the races maypole plating playing games eating

6. Select **F** next to the **TWO** sentences that are **FALSE**. (2)

Regatta time last less than a week.

Sloops are boats with motors.

Regatta time is very popular.

Big boats race against small boats.

7. The sailors race to win prize. Write **ONE** prize they win on the line below. (1)
