Reading task B2

READING TIP

Słowa-klucze użyte w pytaniach nie pojawiają się w tekście. Szukaj w nim wyrazów lub fraz o podobnym znaczeniu.

Przeczytaj poniższy tekst, podzielony na trzy akapity. Do każdego pytania (4.1 -4 .4 .) dopasuj właściwy akapit (A -C). W pisz rozwiązania do tabeli.
<u>Uwaga:</u> jeden akapit pasuje do dwóch pytań.

UNUSUAL DESTINATIONS

A. They may not be very well known, but these low-profile wonders are not to be missed. Located at the top of South America's eastern shoulder, Suriname is the smallest sovereign state in South America. A former member of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, it has turned into a melting pot, where indigenous cultures mix with British, Chinese, Dutch, Indian, Indonesian and other nationalities. Owing to this, it celebrates a variety of distinct ethnic and religious festivals. The capital, Paramaribo, retains some fine Dutch-colonial architecture, but the country's nature reserves such as Raleighvallen and Brownsberg and their colourful birds are its true gems.

B. The story of this tiny potato-shaped island nation is both unfortunate and unbelievable. In just a few decades, Nauru went from rags to riches and back to rags again. The phosphate deposits that made its people wealthy are all but gone, along with its dense tropical forest. Now the waters are rising and the island is at risk of disappearing into the sea. However, it's still worth a visit. Its denuded landscape, startlingly green cliffs and vast ocean can be very inspiring. The locals retain a relaxed approach to life, singing in distinctive Pacific Islander harmonies and playing Australian Rules football.

C. Another tiny and often forgotten country is Kyrgyzstan. This little-known travellers' gem is one of the greatest highlights of Central Asia. Apart from being the most accessible Central Asian nation, it is also the most spectacular, despite its remoteness. Adventurers will be in paradise with mountains, lush valleys, spectacular high altitude lakes and highland grasslands dotted with yurts and wild nomads. Accommodation is cheap and the people are among the world's warmest and most welcoming. However, the lack of infrastructure means you need to take it slowly and trying to travel anywhere fast will leave you frustrated.

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	In which paragraph does the author	
4.1.	mention hospitality?	
4.2.	evoke a potential disaster?	
4.3.	mention wildlife?	
4.4.	refer to transport difficulties?	

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