

Example:

0 A interfering B upsetting

C damaging

D intruding

0	<u>A</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>D</u>
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## Taking photographs ruins the memory, research finds

Our obsession with recording every detail of our happiest moments could be 0 \_\_\_\_\_ our ability to remember them, according to new research.

Dr Linda Henkel, from Fairfield University, Connecticut, described this as the 'photo-taking impairment effect'. She said, 'People often whip out their cameras almost mindlessly to 1 \_\_\_\_\_ a moment, to the point that they are missing what is happening 2 \_\_\_\_\_ in front of them. When people rely on technology to remember for them - 3 \_\_\_\_\_ on the

camera to record the event and thus not needing to 4 \_\_\_\_\_ to it fully themselves - it can have a negative 5 \_\_\_\_\_ on how well they remember their experiences.'

In Dr Henkel's experiment, a group of university students were 6 \_\_\_\_\_ on a tour of a museum and asked to either photograph or try to remember objects on display. The next day each student's memory was tested. The results showed that people were less 7 \_\_\_\_\_ in recognizing the objects they had photographed 8 \_\_\_\_\_ with those they had only looked at.

- 1 A seize B grasp  
2 A quite B right  
3 A counting B settling  
4 A engage B apply  
5 A result B aspect  
6 A steered B run  
7 A accurate B faithful  
8 A measured B compared

- C capture D snatch  
C merely D barely  
C assuming D swearing  
C attend D dedicate  
C extent D impact  
C led D conveyed  
C exact D factual  
C matched D confronted