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Television and kids

Television is very popular and even has some benefits for kids. It helps very young children learn the letters of the alphabet, and helps other kids learn about science, cultures, and world events. However, researchers show that too much TV is bad for children. For one thing, there is a link between watching more than four hours of TV a day and being overweight. For another thing, many TV shows are violent and upsetting. Watching these shows may cause kids to be more fearful. And of course, more time in front of the TV means less time to study. Too much TV may also be the cause of lower grades.

The solution to these problems is **controversial** and has received different comments from experts. Some say that kids should watch only educational programs; others say kids should watch no TV at all. And others suggest teaching them to watch TV as **occasional** entertainment, not as an everyday hobby.

In conclusion, while television offers educational benefits for children, excessive viewing can lead to negative outcomes. It's essential to find a balanced approach that promotes healthy habits and learning.

Question 1: What is the passage mainly about?

- A. Benefits of kids' TV shows
- B. Effects of television on kids
- C. Why kids love TV
- D. Why kids shouldn't watch TV

Question 2: According to the passage, watching a lot of TV may

- A. cause weight problems in children
- B. cause children to be more famous
- C. cause children to get better grades
- D. cause students to study more

Question 3: The word "**controversial**" in paragraph 2 refers to _____.

- A. Something that is widely accepted and agreed upon.
- B. A topic that causes various opinions.
- C. An idea that is easy to understand and explain.
- D. A solution that is simple and straightforward.

Question 4: The word "**occasional**" in paragraph 2 is closest in meaning to _____.

- A. very often
- B. not very often
- C. always
- D. everyday

Question 5: What can be inferred from the passage?

- A. Television is always bad for children.
- B. Television is only good for entertainment.
- C. Kids should watch only educational shows.
- D. Television has some benefits along with problems.