

B2 LESSON 4.2

Name: _____

Course: _____

Date: _____

Participations: _____

READING 1

Choose the best answer (A, B, C, or D).

1. Reading for the gist:

What is the main idea of the conversation?

- A. How to make a team work faster
- B. How to celebrate success in big projects
- C. How to choose the best people for a team
- D. Why some teams need people who focus on possible problems

2. According to Zack, what is a key job of a red team?
 - A) To praise all ideas
 - B) To point out weaknesses and possible negative consequences
 - C) To decide the project budget
 - D) To do the opposite of what the team plans
3. How do hosts describe the process of teamwork in the dialogue?
 - A) Teams should criticize each other all the time
 - B) Teams are open to support one another, not harsh criticism
 - C) Teams should avoid discussing problems
 - D) Teams always agree with the leader
4. Which statement best reflects the job of a red team?
 - A) A red team only lists negative points
 - B) A red team weighs pros and cons, strengths and weaknesses
 - C) A red team ignores potential risks
 - D) A red team replaces the original plan
5. What does Zack say about "unreasonable" criticisms?
 - A) They are helpful for the project
 - B) They should be avoided because they are unfair
 - C) They never happen in real teams
 - D) They are the main goal of a red team
6. Based on the dialogue, what is a purpose of a red team?
 - A) To delay the project
 - B) To draw attention to potential negative results

C) To rewrite the entire plan without discussion
 D) To replace the host

VOCABULARY

ASSESSING IDEAS

Match the opposites.

7 *point out* _____

a destructive b ignore

8 *strength* _____

c cause d weakness e

9 *think through* _____

jump to conclusions

10 *valid* _____

f false

11 *constructive* _____

12 *consequence* _____

GRAMMAR

a. another

b. itself

c. each other

d. another

g. yourself

h. himself

e. other

f. herself

13 The _____ problem is that we can't afford it.	14 Do you want _____ cup of coffee?	15 Did Carla make that dress _____?	16 We've known _____ since we were kids.
17 You can really enjoy _____ in the park.	18 The machine can't do that by _____.	19 Pete solved the problem by _____.	20 Managers and employees don't always understand one _____.