

Choose the correct letter, A, B, C or D.

Passage 9

William Shakespeare was an English poet and playwright. His literary legacies include very well-known tragedies and comedies which influenced many literary geniuses. Charles Dickens, the English novelist known for works like *A Tale of Two Cities* and *Great Expectations*, often quoted Shakespeare. He even derived many of his books' titles from the works of Shakespeare. The writer of the book *Moby Dick*, Herman Melville, was also inspired by Shakespeare's *King Lear*. Indeed, Shakespeare's works transcend time and place, and continually inspire many people until today.

Question

Among the people referred to below, who was influenced by the works of Shakespeare?

- A. The writer of *Great Expectations*
- B. The author of *Moby Dick*
- C. The novelist who penned *A Tale of Two Cities*
- D. All of the above

Approach

STEP 1 Identify the keywords and question focus in the question or stem.

STEP 2 Find out the relevant information in the passage.

STEP 3 Choose the correct answer – A, B, C, or D.