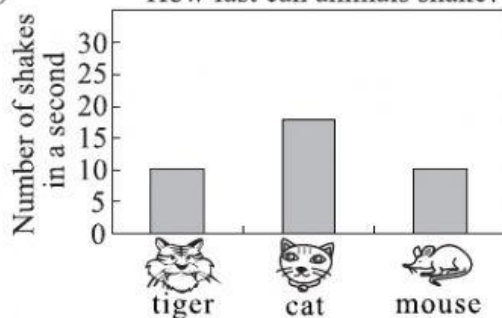


31. The four pictures below show how fast tigers, cats and mice can shake. From the reading, which picture is most likely correct?

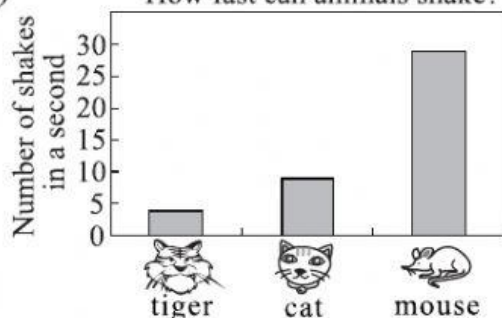


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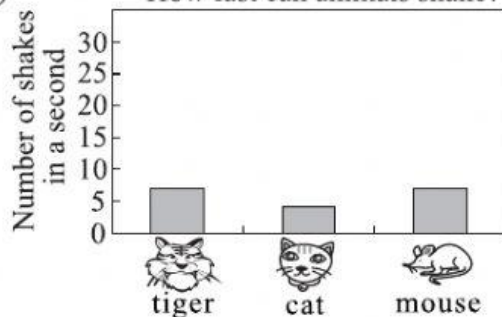
(A) How fast can animals shake?



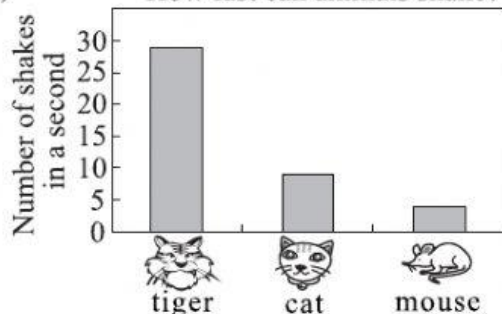
(B) How fast can animals shake?



(C) How fast can animals shake?



(D) How fast can animals shake?



(32-34)

Josh: Do you know about “pay it forward coffee” at Flora Café?

Eric: You mean you pay for a cup of coffee for someone poor to have it later?

Josh: Yeah. A cup of coffee is not much, but on cold winter days like today, it might warm them up a little. And maybe their hearts too.

Eric: But will Flora Café really give this cup of coffee to someone later?

Josh: Come on. I’ve known the shopkeeper well. He’s an honest man. He’s got a blackboard in the shop that says how many cups are paid for and how many have been given out.

Eric: But how will they know who to give? Anyone can ask for it, even if they’re not poor.

Josh: True, but then I guess they’ll just have to believe in people.

Eric: Perhaps. But will poor people go and ask for a free coffee? Won’t they worry about losing face?

Josh: Why do you always say things like that?

Eric: Well, it may happen.

Josh: Yeah, I know, but I still think it’s a good thing to do, and it gets people to care about others.



32. What does things like that mean?

- (A) Problems about the free coffee plan.
- (B) Trouble for people who go to Flora Café.
- (C) Ways to make the free coffee plan successful.
- (D) Good things free coffee will bring to Flora Café.

33. What can we learn about Josh and Eric?

- (A) Josh was not able to change Eric’s mind about free coffee.
- (B) Eric has more hope for the free coffee plan than Josh does.
- (C) They found a way to make people feel OK to take free coffee.
- (D) They do not know whether Flora Café will do business honestly.

34. What do we know about Flora Café from the dialogue?

- (A) It has a way to know who really is poor.
- (B) Free coffee has brought it more business.
- (C) People pay less for free coffee than other coffee.
- (D) Its blackboard shows if there are free coffees to be taken.

(35-37)

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Over the years, the number of whales has dropped sharply. From 1946 to 1986, about 340,000 whales were killed. People worry that children in the future can only see whales in pictures. They believe all kinds of whaling (whale hunting) should be stopped before it's too late.

Some people are trying to stop whaling all over the world. But they fail to notice one fact: Whaling was going on for a long time before the number of whales went down and became a problem.

Whaling started as early as 1,500 years ago. This was how tribespeople fed their families. They hunted whales for meat because almost nothing could grow on their land. They also made whale fat into oil and used it to make candles or oil lamps. Over the years, whaling became their way of living, and even part of who they are.

Tribe whaling is not the thing we should worry about. Of all the whales that were killed over the past forty years, only 10% were hunted by tribespeople. The other 90% died at the hands of the money-making whaling business. When we try to stop all kinds of whaling, we should think what we are asking tribespeople to give up and whether this is the best answer to the problem of whaling.



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35. Below are the writer's points in the reading:

- a. Whether we should stop tribespeople whaling
- b. The problem of whaling
- c. Whaling as a way of life

In what order does the writer talk about his points?

- (A) a→c→b. (B) b→c→a. (C) c→a→b. (D) c→b→a.



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36. Which idea may the writer agree with?

- (A) We should stop all kinds of whale hunting.
- (B) We should not worry about the number of whales.
- (C) Tribespeople's way of living is as important as animal lives.
- (D) Working with the whaling business can make tribespeople's lives better.

37. What can we learn from the reading?

- (A) Tribespeople believe whales bring good luck.
- (B) Tribespeople become rich by selling whale oil.
- (C) Whaling was not a problem until 1,500 years ago.
- (D) Whaling helped tribespeople's lives in different ways.

N B N NEWS*Ryan Kim 7/15/2013*

Guesses about Carolyn Cole have been flying around since last week, and now things have taken a new turn.

Last week Carolyn Cole won the Inscriber Prize, the country's biggest book prize, with her book *Paper Soldier*. Cole herself did not show up for the prize. It was not only the first time in history that a first-time writer won the prize, but also the first time that the winner did not appear.

Now here comes another "first time" for the Inscriber: Cole is not real. "She" is in fact Thomas Goode. Goode is known for his picture books. His best-known book, *Blue Moon*, won him two national book prizes and sold over one million copies.

Goode had tried to write "serious" books before. His first try was *Parent*, which came out in 2006. Sadly, Goode's big name did not help, and there was little interest in *Parent*. Goode's friend told NBN that he wanted to write a book under a different name. Goode thought that people might treat his book seriously if they did not know it was from a picture book writer.

For the moment, there has been no word from Goode yet.

38. From the news story, which fact is seen as a new turn?

- (A) Carolyn Cole is a first-time writer.
- (B) Carolyn Cole won the Inscriber Prize.
- (C) Carolyn Cole is not the winner's real name.
- (D) Carolyn Cole did not appear for the Inscriber Prize.

39. Which is most likely true about the Inscriber Prize?

- (A) It was started by NBN News.
- (B) It is a new prize for picture books.
- (C) It is a prize only for first-time writers.
- (D) It is treated seriously by writers in the country.



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40. What can we learn about Thomas Goode?
- (A) He has won the Inscriber Prize twice.
 - (B) He told NBN that *Paper Soldier* was his work.
 - (C) He wants to be more than just a picture book writer.
 - (D) His life as a picture book writer has not been successful.
41. What do we know about Thomas Goode's books?
- (A) The sales of *Parent* were bad.
 - (B) *Paper Soldier* is his best-selling book.
 - (C) His first picture book came out in 2006.
 - (D) *Blue Moon* was written under a different name.