

Directions: Read the passage and then answer the questions that follow by choosing the correct answer.

READ! READ! READ!



Do you want to know what's happening in The Bahamas and the World? Then, pick up a newspaper. Reading the newspaper should be something you do every day. It's the best way to learn about what's happening around you.

Newspapers tell us about our leaders and what happens in our country. Newspapers also tell us about accidents and serious events. There is also a weather page. This page tells us what the weather is going to be like the next day and for the entire week. If you're a sports fan, there is a section that tells you what games are coming up and what teams won the games that have already been played. Newspapers also give you information about jobs that are available.

Reading the newspaper is a fun activity. It is also very informative. You should read the Nassau Guardian, The Freeport News, or The Tribune today!

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1. State TWO reasons people read the newspaper.

To find out what is happening around school.

To find out what is happening in The Bahamas and the world.

To find out what is happening around us.

To find out what is happening on TV and the world.

2. What information would the reader find in the sports sections of the newspaper?

What games are being played and what teams won the games that have already been played.

What games are left to win what teams won the games that have already been played?

What games are coming up and what teams won the games that have already been played.

3. If you're traveling to Orlando, which section of the newspaper would you look in for helpful information?

The sports page.

The climate page.

The weather page.

4. 'John is a sports fan of the Miami Dolphins.' In this sentence, 'fan' means: [1]

(a) a machine	(c) a supporter
(b) a big leaf	(d) a cool breeze

5. What are the names of the newspapers mentioned in the passage that is sold in The Bahamas?

Nassau Guardian

The Tribune

Freeport News

The Punch

6. Based on information from the passage, which of the following items was not listed as a section in the newspaper?

(a) Want ads	(c) Sports
(b) Serious events	(d) comic page