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Sample: C

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Q: 1 Write synonyms of the given words in the blanks.

- 1- He was very (delighted) **happy** on obtaining good marks.
- 2- What is the (title) **heading** of the story?
- 3- When the car race will (start) **begin**?
- 4- Please draw a line in the (middle) **center** of the page.
- 5- Toyota Camry is available in (different) **various** colors.

Q: 2 Use the context to guess which word belongs in each blank in the passage below. Be careful some words are extra.

(years / teacher / But / not / blind / eat / parents / not / They / noises / find / sick / hit)

Helen Keller was not always blind and deaf. She was all right when she was born on June 27, 1880. But she became very **sick** the next year. After that, she was not the same. Her **parents** loved her and they tried to take care of her. But it was **not** easy. Her parents could not show her what to do.

By the time Helen was six **years** old, her parents were very unhappy. **They** knew that Helen was very smart. **But** they could not teach her. They did **not** know what to do. But they knew they had to do something. Often, Helen was not a nice child to be near. She did not know how to **eat** at the table. She made strange **noises** like a bird. She sometimes **hit** her mother or her father.

**Q: 3 Scan the given news story and answer the questions below;**

# Arab News

The Middle East's Leading English Language Daily

## **Why People Are Reluctant to Help Victims of Accidents**

Muhammad Al-Homaid, Arab News

YANBU, 29 March 2008 — The horrific death of a five-year-old girl, who passed away on March 14 while waiting for over an hour for an ambulance after being knocked over in a hit-and-run accident, has highlighted the widespread reluctance of members of the public to help the injured. Umaima Al-Shinquiti was knocked over on her way to kindergarten.

“It was a shocking accident. She died bleeding while waiting for help. The responsibility of her death partly falls on members of the public who failed to react,” said Aid Al-Ghamdi, an eyewitness.

He added: “People were hesitant to get involved. They were scared of getting into trouble with the authorities, especially since the driver of the car sped away. She was only provided help when an ambulance arrived. Someone could have easily rushed her to hospital, but no one did.”

Maj. Humaid Al-Sahafi, spokesman for the Traffic Department in Yanbu, said police are still trying to locate the driver of the vehicle. “We’ve questioned the drivers of four school buses. We are trying to identify the vehicle that was involved in the accident. This would then lead us to the driver,” he explained.

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**Q: 1 What is the name of the newspaper?**

**(Arab News)**

**Q: 2 What are the police men trying to identify?**

**They are trying to identify the vehicle that was involved in the accident.**

**Q: 3 What is the name of the reporter?**

**Mr. Muhammad Al-Homaid.**

**Q: 4 In which city did the accident happen?**

**Yanbu**

**Q: 5 On what date did the newspaper publish this story?**

**29 March 2008.**

Q:4 Read the passage "A" carefully. Then compare it with passage "B" and circle the mistakes. (There are ten mistakes.)

### Passage: A

When Arthur Ashe was growing up, there were very few black tennis players. African-Americans were not even allowed to play on the tennis courts in many cities. Arthur helped change this. He was the first African-American champion tennis player. In fact, he was the first black person to become a world tennis champion.

Arthur was born in Richmond, Virginia, in 1943. When he was only seven years old, his mother died. After that, his father was both mother and father to him. His father supervised the tennis courts in a park near their home. As a young boy, Arthur liked to watch the players. One day, one of the players, Ron Charity, asked him if he wanted to learn how to play. At that moment, Arthur's life changed forever.

Ron Charity helped Arthur in his early years as a tennis player. Arthur's dream was to win a place on the U.S. Davis Cup Tennis Team. But in Richmond at that time most tennis courts were for white people only, and all the tennis officials were white. They did not encourage Arthur to play. However, he did not let them stop him from playing.

In 1977, Arthur married Jeanne Moutoussamy. Two years later, The U.S. Tennis Association made Arthur the captain of the U.S. Tennis Team.

### Passage: B

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Arthur was born in Richmond, Virginia, in **1934**. When he was only seven years old, his mother died. After that, his father was both mother and father to him. His father supervised the tennis courts in a park near their home. As a young **man**, Arthur liked to watch the players. One day, one of the players, Ron Charity, asked him if he wanted to learn how to play. At that **movement**, Arthur's life changed forever.

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