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No Sweat Test Prep

For each question below, fill in the circle next to the correct answer.

1. What is the main idea of the story

"A Shark Tale"?

- Ⓐ Sharks swallow big chunks of food instead of chewing.
- Ⓑ Sharks come in all different sizes.
- Ⓒ Some kinds of sharks are in danger of dying out.
- Ⓓ Sharks caused the dinosaurs to die out.

2. What is a reason that some types of sharks are in danger of dying out?

- Ⓐ Other types of sharks are eating them.
- Ⓑ The oceans are becoming too dirty.
- Ⓒ They get caught in huge fishing nets.
- Ⓓ They are having trouble finding food.

3. Which of the following statements about sharks is a fact?

- Ⓐ Sharks have been on Earth for millions of years.
- Ⓑ Sharks are beautiful.
- Ⓒ Sharks should be allowed to die out.
- Ⓓ Sharks are scary.

4. In some countries, soup is made from what part of a shark?

- Ⓐ the teeth
- Ⓑ the tail
- Ⓒ the head
- Ⓓ the fin

5. What does Constitution Day honor?

- Ⓐ the signing of the Declaration of Independence
- Ⓑ the birthday of George Washington
- Ⓒ the signing of the U.S. Constitution
- Ⓓ the National Constitution Center

6. What is the U.S. Constitution?

- Ⓐ the system of laws of the U.S.
- Ⓑ the first paragraph of the Declaration of Independence
- Ⓒ the flag of the U.S.
- Ⓓ a museum

7. How many women have been U.S. Supreme Court Justices?

- Ⓐ 8
- Ⓑ 20
- Ⓒ 64
- Ⓓ 3

8. Where did Justice Sonia Sotomayor's family come from?

- Ⓐ Philadelphia
- Ⓑ Mexico
- Ⓒ Puerto Rico
- Ⓓ Afghanistan

9. What is the job of the Justices of the U.S. Supreme Court?

- Ⓐ They create all of the laws for the U.S.
- Ⓑ They decide whether the laws of the U.S. are fair and correct.
- Ⓒ They pass laws to protect animals from harm.
- Ⓓ They punish people who break the laws of the U.S.

10. Which of the following statements about Justice Sonia Sotomayor is an opinion?

- Ⓐ She will be the best Supreme Court Justice of all time.
- Ⓑ She was a lawyer before she became a Supreme Court Justice.
- Ⓒ She is the first Hispanic Justice on the U.S. Supreme Court.
- Ⓓ President Barack Obama chose her for her new job.