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# Be a Quiz Whiz!

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

- Which of the following sentences uses the word "cease" correctly?
  - John ceased Anne.
  - Anne asked John to cease teasing her.
  - Anne had to cease a book from John.
  - After two hours, the teasing came to a cease.
- According to the story on page 2 of this issue, why are world leaders concerned about Iran?
  - Iran might be building nuclear weapons.
  - Iran is stealing nuclear weapons from China.
  - Iran is sending a missile to the moon.
  - Iran is running out of money.
- President Barack Obama thinks U.S. kids should have a longer school day or year because \_\_\_\_\_.
  - he wants to punish them
  - they have too much free time
  - he wants them to be safe while their parents are at work
  - he believes it will help them compete with kids in other nations
- The main goal of the Cherokee National Youth Choir is to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - train students for singing careers
  - preserve the Cherokee language
  - win as many competitions as possible
  - get on television
- Which word is an antonym for "preserve," as used in the story on pages 4 and 5?
  - destroy
  - protect
  - save
  - speak
- What do scientists think is causing honeybees to disappear?
  - predators
  - hunters
  - disease
  - magic
- After reading this issue of *Scholastic News*, the reader can guess that honeybees \_\_\_\_\_.
  - do not pollinate food crops
  - pollinate all of the food crops in the world
  - pollinate only two types of food crops
  - are not the only creatures in the world that pollinate food crops
- How were *Raptorex* and *Tyrannosaurus rex* similar?
  - They were the same size.
  - They lived at about the same time.
  - They looked similar.
  - They were the same weight.
- Based on information in the story on pages 4 and 5, how does the reader know that the Cherokee language is in danger?
  - There is no book to help people learn it.
  - Out of 288,500 Cherokees around the world, only about 10,000 speak the language today.
  - Cherokee children are singing less and less every year.
  - The language is too hard to learn.
- Which of the following statements is a fact about flying foxes, based on the "Picture This!" on page 3?
  - Flying foxes are really not very scary.
  - Flying foxes are cute when they're babies.
  - Flying foxes help pollinate trees.
  - Flying foxes are not as ugly as bats.