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Reading Section

A Homework Story

You never know what you will learn when you do your homework, and you may be smarter than you think. 1 My friend told me this interesting story about a math student. One day, the student, George, arrived late for a university math class. When he went in and sat at his desk, he saw that there were two math problems written on the board. He thought that these were homework problems, so he quickly wrote them down. Later, at home, he worked very hard to solve these math problems. They were very difficult and it took him several days. Finally, he took his completed homework to the professor's office. He apologized for finishing so late. The professor just said to put the homework on his desk

Early on a Sunday morning about six weeks later, George heard a knock on his front door. It was the 2 professor! He was very excited, and was shouting, "Congratulations!" George was very confused. Finally, he understood what happened. The two problems that were on the board in class were not for homework. They were two famous problems in statistics that no one ever solved! The professor only wrote them on the board as examples of unsolved problems

Because George was late to class, he didn't know that the problems were unsolved, and he didn't think 3 they were impossible. He thought there must be a solution, so he worked until he found it. Of course, the professor was very impressed by George's intelligence. His solutions to the problems were later published. !! I think the lesson in this story is to always do your homework

* ?How many math problems did George solve

2 ✓

two


one

four


* ?Where did George work on the problems

in class

at his professor's office

 at home

* ?How long did it take George to solve the problems

 a few days


a month

a few weeks

* ?What didn't George know about the problems

They were very difficult

They were impossible.

 They were previously unsolved.

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Reading Section 2

Monkey Math

Researchers at Duke University recently tested the math skills of college students and monkeys. Unlike 1 previous experiments, both the monkeys and the humans took the same test. Surprisingly, researchers found that monkeys were almost as accurate as college students in math tasks with addition. The participants (human and monkey) had to quickly add up the number of dots on a screen. The task required them to give a quick estimate of the sum. Both the monkeys and the humans answered in about one second. The humans were correct about 94% of the time, and the monkeys were correct about 76% of the time.

The scientists say that the results show monkeys can do mathematical thinking. Researchers are 2 beginning to understand that the ability to do math is not just a human characteristic. Studying animals' math skills can help us understand how humans do math. The study also shows that some types of math skills are not learned, but are common to all humans, and some monkeys, too. Previous studies have shown that rats, birds, and other animals can also do simple math tasks.

?Read the inference. Can you make the inference based on the article

* .In earlier experiments, humans and animals did not take the same test

yes

no

* .Researchers chose college students because they are very good at math

yes

no

* .Monkeys are smarter than rats and birds at doing math

yes

no

* .Researchers did not expect monkeys to be as accurate as college students

no

yes

I didn't know how to set up my new computer, so when my brother visited me last
* .weekend, he _____ everything for me

certified

installed

interacted

* .One _____ of my new cell phone is that youc an record videos with it


feature

item

consequence


* ?What _____ did you use to learn how to play the guitar

lesson

 method

concept

In the experiment, the researches studied the _____ of the children as they
* .interacted with adults

 behavior

activity

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Look at the dictionary entries. Then choose the best response.

bank 1 noun [count]

> **FOR MONEY** an organization that keeps money safely for its customers; the office or building of such an organization. You can take money out, save, borrow or exchange money at a **bank**: *Is there a bank near here where I can cash some traveler's checks?* ♦ *He withdrew some money from his bank account.* ♦ *She got a loan from the bank to buy a new car.*

> **SOMETHING COLLECTED/STORED** a supply of things that you keep to use later: *a data bank* ♦ *a blood bank*

> **OF RIVER** the ground along the side of a river or canal: *People were fishing along the banks of the river.*

> **SLOPE** (geography) any area of sloping ground: *There were grassy banks on either side of the freeway.*

> **OF CLOUDS/SNOW, ETC.** a mass of snow, clouds, etc.: *a snow bank*

bank 2 verb [I] to keep your money at a particular bank: *I bank at First National Bank.*

[PHR V] **bank on sb/sth** to expect and trust someone to do something, or something to happen: *You can try to get a ticket, but I wouldn't bank on succeeding.*

* ?"How many definitions are there for the word "bank

5

✓ 7

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* ?"What is the comparative form of the adjective "safe

safest

✓ safer

more safer

* ?"What is the comparative form of the adjective "realistic

✓ more realistic

most realistic

realisticer

We both like sports, reading, and learning languages. We have a lot

* _____

increase in


succeed in

✓ in common

* .I _____ you with lunch as soon as I finish my phone call


help

was helping

 will help

* .Yesterday I _____ the new movie by my favorite director

will see


 saw

was seeing


* .I _____ at the same school since 2006

will teach

taught

 have taught

* .Today was a _____ day

 really hot

hot really

*. _____ Yesterday she bought a new chair to use on her front porch, but it

threw away

broke out

✓ fell apart

*. you cook dinner, you should go grocery shopping _____

As soon as

✓ Before

While

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Writing Section


* ?Which of the following is NOT a way to improve sentence variety

 Avoid using questions and imperatives.

Use long and short sentences.

Combine two short sentences into one sentence.

* .Jim likes chocalate ice cream _____ she doesn't like vanilla ice cream

 but

or

and

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