Directions: Read the passage below and answer the question(s) that follow.

Root Beer

Ingredients:

4 pounds dry ice 6 cups white sugar 3 1/3 gallons cold water

1 cup root beer extract



Directions:

In a large cooler, mix together the white sugar and cold water, stirring to dissolve the sugar. Stir in the root beer extract. Then, carefully place the dry ice into the cooler, and cover loosely with the lid. Do not secure the lid, as pressure may build up. Let the mixture brew for about an hour before serving. Leftover root beer can be put in an empty one–gallon milk jug.

 $\boxed{1}$ What is the last ingredient you should add to make root beer?

- A. sugar
- B. water
- C. dry ice
- D. root beer extract

2 Which two ingredients should be mixed FIRST?

- A. root beer extract and dry ice
- B. sugar-water and root beer extract
- C. cold water and root beer extract
- D. cold water and white sugar

Directions: Answer the following question(s) relating to the passage titled "Root Beer".

3 What will happen if you put the lid on too tight?

- A. The sugar and water will not mix together.
- B. The pressure will build up.
- C. The dry ice may melt.
- D. There will be no leftover root beer.

4 Which step takes the MOST time to do?

- A. stirring the sugar and water
- B. putting the dry ice in the mixture
- C. letting the mixture brew
- D. gathering the ingredients

Directions: Answer the following question(s).

5 Read the following sentence.

Beverly Cleary is a <u>famous</u> author.

What part of speech is the underlined word in this sentence?

- A. noun
- B. adverb
- C. adjective
- D. verb

 $\overline{6}$ Combine the sentences together to make one SIMPLE sentence.

Trash can be taken to dump sites. Trash can also be incinerated.

- A. Trash can be taken to dump sites, trash can also be incinerated.
- B. Trash can be taken to dump sites can also be incinerated.
- C. Trash can be taken to dump sites, or it can also be incinerated.
- D. Trash can be taken to dump sites or can be incinerated.

7 Which of these is a simple sentence?

- A. Bob drove to work, but he forgot his briefcase.
- B. Bob drove to work.
- C. With his keys.
- D. Bob drove to work and he forgot his keys.

Directions: Read the passage below and answer the question(s) that follow.

Theme Parks

Theme parks are a great place to visit. They have many different rides. Some of the rides are fast, and some are scary. If you get tired, you can find somewhere relaxing to rest. You can rest on a bench or a nice patch of grass. When you get hungry, there are many places to eat. You can choose food such as pizza and hamburgers. After you eat, you can get in line for another ride. At the end of the day, you will be happy because you had a fun time.

8 What is the main idea of the passage? Use details from the passage to support your answer.

Write your answer on the lines below.

9 Which of the following BEST supports the main idea that theme parks are a great place to visit?

- A. They have many different rides.
- B. If you get tired, you can find somewhere relaxing to rest.
- C. You can rest on a bench or a nice patch of grass.
- D. You can choose food such as pizza and hamburgers.