

A. Read the following passage and answer the questions.

Edison is a teenager who is my classmate. He always plays tricks on others. There are lots of rumors about him.

Paul: Oh, Edison! I know him. He is one of my classmates. I saw him smoking outside the school. He encouraged his peers to smoke as well.

John: I lost my wallet in the changing room last week. Danny told me that he saw Edison was the only person in the changing room at that time. He might be the thief!

Eva: Do you have any evidence?

John: No evidence is required. He is the thief. He loves luxury goods. All of them are expensive. He won't have money to buy such goods.

Mabel: I also heard that Edison took drugs and supplied them to the fellows. Hence, the problem of drug abuse is spreading in the school.

Eva: You just heard about that. Did you do any fact check?

Mabel: He must take drugs. He should be the drug trafficker.

Toby: Oh, really! Edison is really a bad guy, we should isolate him.

Eva: Edison was my ex-classmate in primary school. He was kind. It seems that he met some gangsters and influenced by them.

Edison: What are you gossiping about?

Everyone keeps silent and runs away immediately.

1. Why did Eva ask Mabel to do the fact check?

- A. It is the norm. B. It is popular nowadays.
- C. No reason. D. They don't have supporting to prove the truth.

2. Which of the following is the best to describe the reason why all the children ran away when they saw Edison?

- A. Edison was very angry. B. The children are afraid of Edison.
- C. The children felt embarrassed. D. The children felt shy because Edison is very handsome.

3. Which of the following is correct description of Edison?

- A. Cunning B. Naught
- C. Witty D. Fashionable

4. Find words from the passage that have similar meaning to the following:

a) Unofficial stories quickly spreads from person to person _____

b) The use of something in a way that is incorrect _____

c) Proof _____

d) Feeling doubt or no trust in someone _____

e) A person who deals or trades illegally _____

B. Fill in the blanks with the appropriate preposition.

1. Please pick _____ the phone.
2. Cinderella wants to dress _____ for the party.
3. Jacky and Yvonne broke _____ last year.
4. Thomas is very sad as his father passed _____ last week.
5. We need to kick _____ the project as soon as possible.
6. Cheer _____ ! Be happy.
7. My team head always pick _____ me as she turns _____ all my proposals.
8. Kyle is ashamed _____ himself for making such a simple mistake.
9. The printer is out _____ order.
10. Take _____ the shoes before entering the temple.
11. We need to figure _____ all the possible solutions.
12. You need to log _____ the computer before leaving the classroom.
13. Bianca always looks _____ on others as she thinks she is the most beautiful girl in the class.
14. Keep fighting! Never give _____.
15. You need to hand _____ the essay to the professor on time.
16. My mother is busy _____ her housework.
17. Please turn _____ the page for the details.
18. Please ask Mr. Wright to call me _____.
19. Dorothy is scared _____ cockroaches.
20. My mother is proud _____ me.

