

Tekst 8

- 1p 27 What becomes clear from paragraph 1?
- A Groundbreaking research into the habitats of whales takes place in New York.
 - B In and around New York City more and more whales are seen recently.
 - C New York City seems to attract wildlife species that are not native to the region.
 - D New Yorkers are fascinated by the many species of small rodents in their city.
- 1p 28 How does paragraph 2 relate to paragraph 1?
- A It confirms the information given in paragraph 1.
 - B It questions the information given in paragraph 1.
 - C It summarises the information given in paragraph 1.
- 1p 29 Which of the following descriptions fits paragraph 3?
- A It mentions possible explanations for the fact that whales seem to thrive in the New York area.
 - B It shows that national legislation has had a negative impact on the whale population in the New York area.
 - C It stresses how another species of fish suffers from the fact that there are more whales in the New York area.
- 1p 30 What becomes clear about the whales in paragraph 4?
- A They are advertised as being a major touristic attraction.
 - B They occasionally display quite threatening behaviour.
 - C They seem to have a severe impact on the ecosystem.
 - D They sometimes swim quite close to where people live.
- 1p 31 'Scientists are yet to see a full picture' (paragraph 5)
What do these scientists still miss?
- A more detailed information about different types of whales
 - B photographic evidence for their claim that there are more whales
 - C the effect of heavy sea traffic on the behaviour of the whales
 - D the precise locations that are most favoured by the humpback whales

- 1p 32 What is one of the points made by Howard Rosenbaum in paragraph 6?
- A Humpback whales are no longer an endangered species in need of extra protection.
 - B It is unclear whether the number of whales in the New York region has actually grown.
 - C The whale population near New York seem to like it when people come to watch them.
 - D Whales are huge and possibly dangerous animals that need to be treated with caution.

Tekst 9

- 1p 33 How can the world's problems be solved, according to paragraph 1?
They can be solved
- A by going in search of Earth-like planets.
 - B if countries unite and work together.
 - C if Spacebuzz succeeds in its research.
- 1p 34 'they want to help children aged 9-12 experience the so-called overview effect' (paragraph 2)
Why?
- A to entertain them with the latest technology
 - B to get them interested in a career in science
 - C to make them realise Earth is quite vulnerable
 - D to stimulate them to become astronauts later on
- 1p 35 'the Spacebuzz folks' (alinea 3)
→ Welke persoon die **verderop** in de tekst genoemd wordt, was een grote bron van inspiratie voor hun project?
Noteer de naam van die persoon.
- 1p 36 Which of the following best characterises paragraph 4?
- A It emphasises it is necessary to hire teachers for the project.
 - B It justifies the amount of time and money invested in the project.
 - C It stresses that the project is well thought through and supported.
- 1p 37 "Let's send as many kids as we can to space." (alinea 5)
→ In welke alinea wordt **voor het eerst** uitgelegd op welke manier Spacebuzz dit gaat doen?
Noteer het nummer van deze alinea.