

- 1p 11 “But first I have to pass the sixth grade.” (paragraph 5)  
What is the writer’s aim in quoting this sentence?  
He wants to
- A explain why Reuben needs to plan ahead.
  - B question whether Reuben will achieve his goals.
  - C show how little is expected of Reuben.
  - D stress the fact that Reuben is still young.

## Tekst 5 Stone-stacking: cool or cruel?

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- 1p 12 What idea does the sentence ‘Let’s focus on plastic in the oceans, people!’ (paragraph 1) illustrate?
- A An overly emotional protest against stone-stacking will achieve nothing.
  - B Many people consider the practice of stone-stacking to be an inalienable right.
  - C Some people think that it is futile and trivial to worry about stone-stacking.
  - D Stone-stackers are reluctant to admit that their hobby can offend others.
- 1p 13 Which of the following characterises paragraph 2?
- A It further elaborates on the negative aspects of stone-stacking.
  - B It outlines the various uses of and reasons for stone-stacking.
  - C It puts the topic of stone-stacking in a global perspective.
  - D It questions whether arguments against stone-stacking are valid.
- 1p 14 Which of the following becomes clear about stone-stackers from paragraph 5?
- A They are concerned about the extinction of some birds and insects.
  - B They do not care that their activities damage valuable ecosystems.
  - C They have a preference for building stacks in remote natural areas.
  - D They may disturb habitats of animals without even being aware of it.
- 1p 15 Geef van de volgende beweringen aan of deze overeenkomen met de inhoud van alinea 6.  
Noteer ‘wel’ of ‘niet’ achter elk nummer op het antwoordblad.
- 1 Het is mogelijk dat stenen uit een archeologische vindplaats zijn weggehaald om te stapelen.
  - 2 ‘Historic England’ wil dat het stapelen van stenen verboden gaat worden.

- 1p 16 What is the purpose of paragraph 7?  
A to give examples of activities that are comparable to stone-stacking  
B to make clear why stone-stacking has become such a popular activity  
C to stress that some disagree with Hourston's views on stonestacking  
D to suggest localities in which stonestacking is an acceptable pastime
- 1p 17 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 8?  
A and right they are  
B but we need both  
C so expect change

## Tekst 6 Fact-checking website's role brings new attacks

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- 1p 18 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 2?  
A A blessing in disguise  
B Appearances deceive  
C Secrecy is necessary  
D So far so good
- 1p 19 What is the point made about the website Snopes in paragraph 3?  
A It has a growing impact.  
B It has questionable standards.  
C It is funded by black money.  
D It is politically motivated.

Drie van de onderstaande zinsdelen (a, b, c of d) zijn weggelaten uit de tekst (zie **20-1**, **20-2** en **20-3**).

- 2p 20 Geef bij elke plaats aan welk zinsdeel daar hoort.  
Noteer de letter van het zinsdeel achter elk nummer op het antwoordblad.  
*Let op: er blijft een zinsdeel over.*  
a and nobody seems to blame Snopes for that  
b but at Snopes they have learned to grow a thick skin  
c so they don't know what to believe  
d which was easily verifiable
- 1p 21 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 5?  
A confidential  
B modest  
C playful  
D straightforward