

- 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

- 1p 22 Judging from the text as a whole, what is the writer's attitude towards Snopes?  
A critical  
B doubtful  
C indifferent  
D sympathetic

## Tekst 7 Plastic fantastic?

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- 1p 23 What becomes clear about Dr Vasudevan from paragraph 1?  
A He has been investigating the use of plastic for many years now.  
B He has doubts about the impact of plastic on the environment.  
C He is developing economical methods for manufacturing plastic.  
D He sees plastic as a material that has a lot of potential.
- 1p 24 Why did Dr Vasudevan start looking at new uses for plastic, according to paragraph 2?  
A He believes the material is here to stay and should be accepted as a fact of life.  
B He dislikes how tons of the material unnecessarily end up being dumped.  
C He feels that the material is unfairly blamed for all sorts of pollution issues.  
D He is convinced we have left it too late to try and ban the use of the material.  
E He thinks the material is of vital importance for vulnerable population groups.
- 1p 25 Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 3?  
A After all  
B And so  
C Likewise  
D Meanwhile  
E Nevertheless
- 2p 26 Geef van de volgende beweringen aan of deze overeenkomen met de inhoud van alinea's 3 en 4.  
Noteer 'wel' of 'niet' achter elk nummer op het antwoordblad.  
1 Dr Vasudevan deed per ongeluk een revolutionaire ontdekking.  
2 Dr Vasudevan mengt plastic met materiaal dat vergelijkbare eigenschappen heeft.  
3 De techniek die door Dr Vasudevan is ontwikkeld, levert een wegdek op dat langer meegaat dan een wegdek van gewoon asfalt.  
4 Wegen die zijn gemaakt van het materiaal dat ontwikkeld is door Dr Vasudevan kunnen goed tegen grote temperatuurschommelingen.