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**Instructions:** Read each question carefully and choose the best answer.

1. The process for making chocolate \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Ⓐ can be done in your kitchen
  - Ⓑ can be mastered quickly
  - Ⓒ is done only one way
  - Ⓓ has many steps
2. During mixing, cocoa butter and cocoa powder are mixed with \_\_\_\_\_ until smooth.
  - Ⓐ cacao beans
  - Ⓑ sugar
  - Ⓒ cacao
  - Ⓓ all of the above
3. In the process of making chocolate, what is the step after the pods are picked?
  - Ⓐ The beans are put into piles or boxes.
  - Ⓑ The beans are allowed to ferment.
  - Ⓒ The pod is cut open with a large blade.
  - Ⓓ The pods are put out to dry in the sun.
4. Which of the following is the best summary statement for this book?
  - Ⓐ There are many beans in every cacao pod that don't look at all like chocolate candy.
  - Ⓑ Chocolate has been around for a long time and still takes many steps to make it ready to eat.
  - Ⓒ Chocolate was first used by people in Central and South America and came to Europe in 1500.
  - Ⓓ Chocolate can be used in many foods and is a favorite treat of many people all over the world.
5. What are **plantations**?
  - Ⓐ large green leaves on the cacao plant
  - Ⓑ people who pick and process cacao
  - Ⓒ large farms with many workers
  - Ⓓ what the Aztecs called their cocoa drink

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6. In what year was the first bar of chocolate sold?
  - Ⓐ 1502
  - Ⓑ 1657
  - Ⓒ 1847
  - Ⓓ 1875
7. What conditions does a cacao tree need to grow well?
  - Ⓐ full sunlight when mature
  - Ⓑ protection from wind and sun when young
  - Ⓒ hot and wet
  - Ⓓ all of the above
8. What are **ingredients**?
  - Ⓐ packages of cocoa
  - Ⓑ different food items that go into a recipe
  - Ⓒ blooms on a cacao plant
  - Ⓓ shells from roasted beans
9. What is the first step in the process of making chocolate from fermented beans?
  - Ⓐ The beans are cleaned.
  - Ⓑ The shells are removed.
  - Ⓒ The beans are dried.
  - Ⓓ The beans are roasted.
10. What is most of the chocolate made in factories today used for?
  - Ⓐ to make chocolate ice cream
  - Ⓑ to make chocolate cakes
  - Ⓒ to make chocolate drinks
  - Ⓓ to make chocolate candy
11. **Extended Response:** Do you think chocolate will still be popular five hundred years from now? Explain why or why not.

## Quick Check Answer Sheet

**All About Chocolate***Main Comprehension Skill: Sequence Events*

1. Ⓓ *Main Idea and Details*
2. Ⓑ *Sequence Events*
3. Ⓒ *Sequence Events*
4. Ⓑ *Main Ideas and Details*
5. Ⓒ *Vocabulary*
6. Ⓒ *Sequence Events*
7. Ⓒ *Cause and Effect*
8. Ⓑ *Vocabulary*
9. Ⓐ *Sequence Events*
10. Ⓓ *Main Idea and Details*
11. Answers will vary but should include valid supporting information. Example: *I think chocolate will still be popular in the future because people from many different times and places have enjoyed chocolate.*