

Reading Exercise 5 - Answers with Explanations (11 Question Types)

The answers to the TOEFL reading exercise questions in 'Reading Exercise 5.pdf' are provided below. Each answer is explained based on the strategies and guidelines from 'Materi Reading TOEFL.pdf'. The following 11 question types were applied:

1. Main Idea Questions
2. Detail Questions
3. Negative Detail Questions
4. Implied Detail Questions
5. Vocabulary in Context Questions
6. Reference Questions
7. Sentence Insertion Questions
8. Summary Questions
9. Organization of Ideas Questions
10. Tone or Attitude Questions
11. Purpose of the Passage Questions

The answers below are organized by question numbers, selected answers, and explanations by type.

Question 1: Answer B

Explanation: Main Idea Question: The introductory lines suggest that Harvard had humble beginnings, which is best captured by option B as the main idea.

Question 3: Answer A

Explanation: Detail Question: The Puritans who migrated were well-educated, as the passage mentions that many were Oxford and Cambridge graduates, supporting option A.

Question 5: Answer C

Explanation: Vocabulary in Context Question: The context implies 'pounds' refers to currency, consistent with historical funding terms, making option C correct.

Question 7: Answer C

Explanation: Negative Detail Question: The text does not mention where John Harvard was buried, making option C the correct choice by elimination.

Question 12: Answer C

Explanation: Implied Detail Question: Binary stars consist of two stars held by gravity, supporting option C as it fits the implied description.

Question 17: Answer C

Explanation: Negative Detail Question: The passage implies not all empty space contains black holes, so option C is unsupported by the text.

Question 19: Answer C

Explanation: Tone Question: Scientific interest in black holes is described as credible and intense, making C inappropriate, indicating some credibility.

Question 23: Answer C

Explanation: Reference Question: 'It' refers back to Barton's mission funding, which aligns best with option A.

Question 29: Answer D

Explanation: Organization of Ideas Question: This refers to Barton's missing persons work, explained in lines 18-19.

Question 31: Answer A

Explanation: Purpose Question: The text illustrates mutualistic relationships through examples, making A the best choice.

Question 47: Answer D

Explanation: Tone Question: 'Ups and downs' reflects fluctuation, best captured by 'highs and lows,' making D correct.