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# Comic Craze! March 27, 2020

Use this week’s issue of *TIME for Kids* (Edition 3–4) to answer the questions. For each question, circle the letter next to the best answer.

RI.3.4; RI.4.4

- 1.** The headline deck refers to a “new wave” of graphic novels. What does this phrase mean?
- A. going back to how things were done in the past
  - B. an undiscovered feature of the ocean is the subject of the books
  - C. the way people greet each other in these books
  - D. a trend that is different from the past

RI.3.1; RI.4.1

- 2.** Which of the following are *not* traditional to comics?
- A. humorous situations
  - B. pictures
  - C. superheroes
  - D. realistic stories.

W.3.2; W.4.2

- 7.** Explain the reasons why Shay Maunz decided to focus on this topic. Use evidence from the text to support your answer.

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RI.3.3; RI.4.3

- 3.** How does *Smile* connect to Telgemeier’s experiences as a child?
- A. Strangers always complimented her smile.
  - B. She had braces and dental surgery.
  - C. She was kind to others, always making them smile.
  - D. She started drawing comics when she was 10.

RI.3.8; RI.4.8

- 4.** Which of the following facts from the article *best* supports that there is a demand for graphic novels?
- A. *Smile* became a Number 1 best-seller.
  - B. Comics have been around from the 19th century.
  - C. Sales of graphic novels for kids and teens jumped by more than 50%.
  - D. Sales of printed books across all categories increased 1%.

RI.3.6; RI.4.6

- 5.** Which of the following most likely describes the author’s opinion of graphic novels?
- A. She thinks they’re impactful.
  - B. She thinks they’re unsuccessful.
  - C. She’s discouraged by graphic novels.
  - D. She’s disinterested in them.

RI.3.3; RI.4.3

- 6.** Some adults disapproved of children reading graphic novels because they believed graphic novels were
- A. too difficult for kids to follow.
  - B. too popular.
  - C. not interesting to kids.
  - D. lacking in educational value.