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1 What do we call a group of sentences about the same idea or topic?

Tick **ONE** box next to the correct answer

- [ ] chapter
- [ ] paragraph
- [ ] sentence
- [ ] word

2 Select **all** the answers that complete the sentence below:

A new paragraph starts when there is a change in _____.

Tick the boxes next to **ALL** correct answers

- [ ] sentence
- [ ] character
- [ ] idea/theme
- [ ] time
- [ ] place

3 How many **paragraphs** should this passage have?

Kelvin disagreed. He was fed up with having to run away every year and this year was even worse. The previous night, Kelvin had set out into the dust bowl behind his house and dug half a dozen deep holes. He'd covered them with fern leaves and swept dirt on top of those. Over the years he'd learnt that the robotic horses were very good at running in straight lines, but couldn't turn very quickly. He used this to his advantage by zig-zagging as he ran.

Tick **ONE** box next to the correct answer

- [ ] 3
- [ ] 2
- [ ] 1

4 How many **paragraphs** should this passage have?

Robin Hood's voice was hushed but fierce. I'd been serving him faithfully now for nearly a year, and it upset me that he didn't trust me yet. This was my first night hunting with him, and I didn't want to let him down. I squeezed myself up into a smaller ball on the thick bough of the tree. I tried my hardest to stay quiet but I felt a sneeze building up at the back of my nose. It was hard, but I managed to snuffle it out with my thick, woollen sleeve. The night passed slowly. I didn't dare to speak again after that. I was worried it would anger him further.

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5 How many **paragraphs** should this passage have?

Marlene was over the moon. She'd just been given her first delivery route, and things were starting to look up for her. She'd even been given an official badge with her new name on it. DeliveryBot-3302. All new delivery bots were given easy routes and inexpensive cargo. This was usually letters and spare parts. Now she was nearly three-hundred years old, she was starting to feel like living with her parents was a little bit uncool. Most of her friends had started to move into their own charging pods as soon as they'd left programming school.

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6 What is the first word in paragraph 2?

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7 What is the first word in the last paragraph?

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