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- A true
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- B jargon
- C slang



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4 Choose the sentence that contains **jargon**.

- A The prairie is the habitat for buffalo and coyotes.
- B Why dontcha buy it?



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B an email address  
C citation  
D someone's favorite web site



10 It is helpful to include a **subject for your email** because it will catch the attention of your reader.

- A true
- B false



9 Is **email** the best way to discuss a **confidential matter**? Why or why not?  
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C No, emails are easily forwarded to someone else, even accidentally.  
D Yes, because sometimes it's hard to talk on the phone.

- A true
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## ANSWER KEY

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(b)

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(a)

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- C slang
- D exaggeration



(C)

Choose the sentence that contains **jargon**.

- A The prairie is the habitat for buffalo and coyotes.
- B Why dontcha buy it?
- C She ran like the wind.



(a)



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(a)