



Name _____ Class _____ Date _____

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B not everyone has been vaccinated
C the vaccine doesn't work
D children don't like getting shots

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A it made her famous and rich

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B the cars were different colors and types
C the cars got to play like children
D the movie was in full color

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A it is the best shampoo in stores



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7 **A** a human finger
B snapping turtles have tough black shells
C if you poke these turtles, they hiss
D their jaws let them eat grass



"If you mix ammonia and bleach, you release a poisonous gas."

A true
B false



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ANSWER KEY

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- C** radium is no longer mined from the earth
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- C** hair stylists use it all the time

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