

Conclusion Sentences**Quiz 1**

Instructions: Choose the best conclusion sentence for each paragraph.

1. Basketball is the best sport to play. Basketball requires that athletes be in excellent mental and physical shape. Basketball is a fast-moving game, so it's fun to play and exciting to watch. This game does not involve a lot of physical contact like other sports, so it is not as dangerous as other popular sports. Finally, basketball is a team sport, so players who practice basketball learn to function as a member of a team, not just an individual player. _____
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The best conclusion sentence is:

- a. Lastly, basketball is funner than other sports.
 - b. For these reasons, many athletes prefer playing basketball to other sports.
 - c. In conclusion, basketball is safer than many other sports.
 - d. This is why basketball is a great sport.
2. Albert Einstein is one of the most beloved scientists in history. While many scientists comprehend and discover complex concepts, Einstein did more than that. He is famous decades after his death because he made science popular. After discovering and proving the Theory of Relativity, Einstein became a celebrity because the public loved him! People enjoyed his sense of humor and quirky style. Einstein was brilliant, this for certain, but his personality was also charming, warm, and likeable. _____
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The best conclusion sentence is:

- a. All in all, Albert Einstein was a scientist first and a professor next.
 - b. Finally, Albert Einstein was also an exemplary teacher and speaker.
 - c. For these reasons, Albert Einstein was the most intelligent scientist who ever lived.
 - d. This is why Einstein is still admired and adored by so many people today.
3. Bicycle helmets are critical for protecting bicyclists. They were created because bicyclists in the early 20th century received many serious injuries. Over the years, various helmets were made, but it wasn't until the 1970's that helmets were thoroughly tested for safety. In the 1980's, helmet standards were implemented to ensure the safety of bicyclists. Currently, there are many helmets on the market, and, unlike in the past, all of them are required to meet many safety standards. _____
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The best conclusion sentence is:

- a. In summary, bicyclists must wear helmets.
- b. For these reasons, cyclists need to carefully check a helmet before wearing it.
- c. In conclusion, bicycle helmets today are safer than ever before.
- d. This is how bicycle helmets were invented.

4. Many forms of government have developed in nations of today's world. Some countries use a democratic system of government in which leaders are chosen through elections. On the opposite end of the spectrum is a dictatorship, or a form of government in which one individual possesses complete power and keeps it until the leader dies or until another leader takes power. Another form of government that exists today is called a monarchy. This form of government is run by a king, queen, or emperor who usually inherits leadership. Under the monarch often works a body of lawmakers called a parliament that also participates in government functions. _____
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The best conclusion sentence is:

- a. Lastly, anarchy is another system in which no one is in control of the government.
 - b. Besides government systems, countries also use different economic systems.
 - c. These are three examples of government systems that exist in the world today.
 - d. Personally, I think the monarchy system is the best one.
5. Many people in the USA feel that the minimum driving age should be raised to 18. While it is true that teenagers are often careful drivers, it is also true that the highest number of traffic accidents happen to drivers who are teenagers. Teenage drivers tend to be less experienced than adult drivers due to fewer available years to legally practice driver. Last but not least, many people feel that teenage drivers are often more distracted than drivers over the age of 18.
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The best conclusion sentence is:

- a. In conclusion, adult drivers are more careful than teenage drivers.
- b. All in all, traffic accidents will decrease if the driving age is raised.
- c. However, other people feel that raising the driving age will cause other issues, such as leaving teenagers without access to jobs and other activities.
- d. Due to these factors, many feel raising the driving age for teenagers will improve safety for everyone.