

**COMPREHENSION CHECK**

Answer these questions about "Turtle Travels." For items 1–4, fill in the circle by the correct answer. Write your answer to item 5.

1. After it hatches, a baby sea turtle must—
  - (A) avoid being eaten
  - (B) race to the ocean
  - (C) swim for two days
  - (D) all of the above
  
2. How does a green sea turtle's shell help it survive?
  - (A) It makes other animals sick if they touch it.
  - (B) It helps the turtle blend in.
  - (C) It helps the turtle sink to the bottom of the ocean.
  - (D) It scares away sharks and birds.
  
3. Which of these statements is not true about green sea turtles?
  - (A) They hatch in large groups.
  - (B) Their diets change as they grow.
  - (C) They spend their lives in the open ocean.
  - (D) all of the above
  
4. In the story, where does the green sea turtle make her nest?
  - (A) in the warm water near shore
  - (B) on the beach where she was born
  - (C) under rocks and ledges
  - (D) in a clump of seaweed
  
5. "Turtle Travels" follows one green sea turtle through the first 30 years of her life. Why is the turtle in the story a lucky traveler?

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