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Instructions: Read each question carefully and choose the best answer.

1. Read the example sentences:
*You use the cords of the kite to control your direction. You must also **respond** to the wind and the waves.* What does the word **respond** mean in these sentences?
 - (A) to return
 - (B) to react
 - (C) to write back
 - (D) to call again
2. What is the main idea of the passage?
 - (A) Kiteboarding and stand-up paddleboarding are fun activities to do in the water.
 - (B) Kiteboarding and stand-up paddleboarding are hard to learn how to do.
 - (C) Kiteboarding and stand-up paddleboarding are water sports similar to surfing.
 - (D) Kiteboarding is almost the same as paddleboarding.
3. What is one way that surfing is different from both kiteboarding and stand-up paddleboarding?
 - (A) A person can surf over large ocean waves but must wait for calm water for the other sports.
 - (B) A person controls his or her direction while surfing but has no control in the other sports.
 - (C) A person uses one piece of equipment for surfing but more than one for the other sports.
 - (D) There are no differences between surfing and the other sports.

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4. What does the author mean by saying that kiteboarding and stand-up paddleboarding “offer a twist on surfing”?

- Ⓐ The other sports each have at least one thing that makes them a little different from surfing.
- Ⓑ The other sports both involve more twists and turns than surfing does.
- Ⓒ The other sports are both more interesting than surfing.
- Ⓓ The other sports use boards that are more twisted than surfboards.

5. Surfing is the _____ sport mentioned in the passage.

- Ⓐ fastest
- Ⓑ slowest
- Ⓒ newest
- Ⓓ oldest

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Ⓐ to react *Vocabulary*
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Ⓒ Kiteboarding and stand-up paddleboarding are water sports similar to surfing. *Main Idea and Details*
3. What is one way that surfing is different from both kiteboarding and stand-up paddleboarding?

Ⓒ A person uses one piece of equipment for surfing but more than one for the other sports. *Compare and Contrast*
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Ⓐ The other sports each have at least one thing that makes them a little different from surfing. *Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions*
5. Surfing is the _____ sport mentioned in the passage.

Ⓓ oldest *Compare and Contrast*