

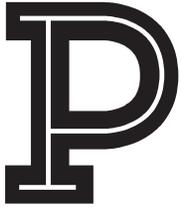
## ANSWER KEY

**COMPREHENSION****WRITTEN TEXT**

1. It tells us that Justin Bieber's popularity is overwhelming, and that his popularity is controversial as not everyone approves of it.
2. They are, "harrowingly like a cult leader" and "massively self-absorbed".
3. They are likely to have been misconstrued because they were conveyed by second parties, whose own perceptions of the situation can affect the accuracy and objectivity of Justin Bieber's words.
4. The author thinks that Justin Bieber's fame has made him so arrogant and has clouded his good sense to the point that he thinks it is acceptable to be late for his own performance.
5. The phrase is "he needs to be cut some slack."
6. He believes that Justin Bieber's (1) enormous and adoring fan base, an entourage that cocoons him from the outside world, (2) his youth and (3) his considerable fortune have caused him to lose touch with reality and behave in a way that is often selfish and inappropriate.
7. He thinks that instead of being quick to condemn him, we should feel sorry for Justin Bieber and acknowledge that he is a product of unique circumstances and does not always know how to behave correctly.

**VISUAL TEXT**

1. It is sarcastic and humorous. [1]
2. Each selfie stick comes with customised functions and features that mock our excessive effort to take and broadcast the most perfect photo of ourselves. It also makes fun of our desire to make something as basic as a selfie stick reflect our own personalities. [2]
3. The illustrated selfie stick replaces the letter "I", reminding us of the narcissism and vanity involved when taking selfies. [1]
4. The unique features of the selfie sticks [1] and the discounted price [1] are attractive features that encourage the public to purchase a selfie stick.



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**MAKEOVER**

1. Although lobsters are one of the fanciest and most luxurious foods today, this were not always the case.
2. In the 1700s, they were consider as 'cockroaches of the sea' and only fed to servants and prisoners.
3. Here's something to celebrate - chocolate are NOT all that bad for you.
4. Researcher have discovered that eating dark chocolate with high cocoa content (in moderation) has many health benefits such as prevention of heart disease.
5. Dark chocolate also makes one happy as it contains phenylethylamine, the same chemical that your brain create when you're in love.
6. Did you known that French fries may not actually be french?
7. Some claim that french fries first originated at Belgium, and was discovered by American soldiers during the World War I.
8. Since French is the main language spoken in Southern Belgium, the soldiers name the yummy fried potatoes, "French fries".
9. Their has also been speculation that pasta did not originate from Italy!
10. Some people believe that pasta was invented in China and brought over to Italy by the famous Marco Polo in the 13th centuries.

**ANSWERS**

1. were → was
2. consider → considered
3. are → is
4. Researcher → Researchers
5. create → creates
6. known → know
7. at → in
8. name → named
9. Their → There
10. centuries → century