



Jack is writing a letter to the editor of a newspaper.

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Dear Editor,

I am writing to ask you to help the Chinese white dolphins in Hong Kong. There are less than 50 of them left near the waters surrounding Lantau Island.

The number of the dolphins has dropped significantly since the construction work on the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge started. Although the project has now finished, the situation hasn't got better because there are still a lot of threats to the nearby sea animals, including the high-speed ferry traffic and the ongoing work of the third runway project in the airport. They make too much noise and pollute the waters near Lantau Island so the dolphins are forced to move away from their habitat.

We need to ask the government to work on reducing the waste near these waters and designating more marine parks to protect the dolphins. I hope you can raise awareness of this important yet desperate issue. I am so afraid that these wonderful creatures may disappear from our waters one day!

Yours faithfully,

Jack Chan

Choose the best answers by blackening the circles.

1. Jack is _____ the situation.

- A. worried about
 B. pleased with
 C. angry with
 D. fed up with



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Read the last paragraph carefully.

2. In line 11, the word 'We' refers to _____.

- A. the editors
 B. the government
 C. Jack and other citizens
 D. Jack and the dolphins



3. Which is Jack's opinion?

- A. High-speed ferries harm the dolphins.
 B. The third runway project seriously affects the water quality.
 C. It is upsetting to find the dolphins disappearing.
 D. The dolphins are moving away from where they used to live.

Write 'T' (True) or 'F' (False) in each box.

4. (a) Noise and water pollution drive the dolphins away.
 (b) The number of dolphins has increased since the bridge was built.
 (c) Marine parks can help protect the dolphins.