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Learning Activity Sheet
Writing with a Purpose

A. Read the paragraph and answer the questions that follow. Circle the letter of the correct answer.

(1) Bendita, the leading character in this year's hit soap opera, is most hated by some but still loved by many. (2) When I think of Bendita, I see a bright girl yet a spoiled and hardheaded brat who desperately longs for love and attention. (3) Despite her flaws, Bendita impresses me because near the end, she repented over her sins and changed by setting all things straight. (4) Surely, other people who enjoy watching her show also see her two sides.

1. Which of the following statements is true?

- A. Sentence 2 is the topic sentence.
- B. Sentence 3 gives supporting details.
- C. Sentence 3 is the concluding sentence.

2. What is the purpose of the paragraph above?

- A. to narrate
- B. to explain
- C. to persuade

3. Which of the sentences in the paragraph does not observe subject-verb agreement?

- A. Sentence 1
- B. Sentence 2
- C. Sentence 3

B. Write a simple paragraph of at least five sentences that describes (a) one character from any of the narratives you have just read or (b) someone you know has made a strong impression of you. Observe correct subject-verb agreement especially in your clauses with indefinite pronouns and keep in mind the purpose of your writing.
