

Writing Strategies and Applications Practice

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Below are directions about How to make ice cream. The passage contains some errors. Read the passage and answer the questions that follow.

How to Make ice Cream

(1) Materials:

- 1 gallon size, resealable plastic bag
- 1 pint size, resealable plastic bag
- Ice
- Sea salt
- 2 tbsp. of white sugar
- 1 cup of cream
- $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. of vanilla extract
- *Optional:* chocolate chips



(2) Making ice cream is easy and fun. (3) Once you have gathered all of the materials, you must first put 1 cup of cream, 2 tablespoons of sugar and 1 teaspoon of vanilla extract in the pint size bag. (4) Make sure to seal it! (5) Next, put the ice into the gallon size bag, filling it about $\frac{1}{4}$ of the way. (6) Afterwards, add in the salt. (7) Before you clothes this bag, add the sealed pint size bag on top of the ice and fill in more ice around it. (8) Add 3 more teaspoons of salt and then seal the gallon size bag. (9) Now comes the fun part! (10) Roll the bag on the floor, back and fourth, very gently. (11) You might want to put gloves on because the bag will be as cold as Alaska! (12) After five minutes of rolling the bag you will have ice cream!

1) An antonym for the word *optional* in the "Materials" section of the passage means?

- a. unnecessary
- b. required
- c. possible
- d. include

2) Reread Sentence 4:

Make sure to seal it!

Which sentence below does the word *seal* mean the same thing?

- a. My grandpa was in the Navy Seals
- b. The seals were laying in the sun at the beach
- c. Make sure to seal the coffee cup's lid so it doesn't spill.
- d. His wax seal was on the letter