

Reading Comprehension Test

Read the passages in the table below

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| 3. decreased | 3. added to something to make it larger |
| 4. supported | 4. broken down |
| 5. strengthened | 5. financial strengthening |
| 6. fell | 6. deteriorated or weakened |

7. Find synonyms in the following words

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| 1. increased (1) | 2. general agreement (2) | 3. broken down (3) |
| 4. fell (4) | 5. added to something to make it larger (5) | 6. deteriorated (6) |

8. Choose the correct answer according to the following sentences

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10. Answer the questions

1. What are the main findings of the survey?
2. How do you think the government should respond to the results?
3. What do you think the future plans will be for the program?