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Kimmy is reading an article about the exchange trip which is designed by three Hong Kong girls. Read the article carefully and choose the best answers for the following questions.

Hong Kong trio journeys to Yunnan to exchange happiness

By Natalie Fung

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Three Hong Kong girls have won a trip to Yunnan province thanks to a unique idea: exchanging happiness with the locals.

The competition asked participants to plan a journey to any region in China, and explain why it would be a worthwhile trip. The individual or group with the best idea would win a trip to the mainland.

The girls, Lau Shan-shan, Chan Po-yi and Lai Yuet-chi, blew the judges away with their grand idea - [a tour to "exchange happiness."](#)

To put their plan into action, they interviewed strangers in Hong Kong, asking them to write down their reasons for happiness on a big piece of paper and be photographed with it. "The most memorable reason to be happy, 'I am still alive', came from a philosophy student who feels blessed because he is able to study and do what he really likes," says Yuet-chi. "One girl wrote that love contributes to joy and happiness and drew an arrow to her boyfriend," says Po-yi. For Shan-shan, the most touching reply was a mother's statement that swimming with her baby for the first time made **her** happy.

The judges, who were amazed by the girls' positive attitude, announced the winners last month. They were awarded HK\$15,000 for their upcoming trip.

The trio will spend 10 days in Yunnan, starting from today. They plan to repeat the exercise there, and give them photos of smiling Hongkongers in return. By doing so, they hope to continually spread and share happiness, not just with friends and family, but with everyone. The girls have always valued the idea of passing on happiness.

A few years ago, they joined "200 Smiles", a volunteer group, teaching children and vulnerable groups how to twist balloons.

"Happiness is simple and pure. It is not about technology, or related to anything materialistic. It is something that genuinely comes from your heart," said Shan-shan.

1. Who are NOT the girls joined the competition?
 A. Chan Po-yi
 B. Natalie Fung
 C. Lau Shan-shan
 D. Lai Yuet-chi

B

2. Where would they visit?
 A. Yunnan
 B. Shan-shan
 C. Hong Kong
 D. 200-Smiles

A

3. Why did the judges choose them to be the winner?
 A. Because they interviewed strangers.
 B. Because they joined a volunteer group.
 C. Because of their positive and friendly attitude.
 D. Because they are still alive.

C

4. What is the aim of their trip?
 A. To put their plan in action.
 B. To make themselves happy.
 C. To exchange happiness with the locals and the Hongkongers.
 D. To win the competition.

C

5. When would they come back to Hong Kong?
 A. 10th September
 B. 18th August
 C. 28th August
 D. 6th September

D

6. How does the philosophy student feel if he is alive?
 A. happy
 B. hopeful
 C. unique
 D. worried

A

7. In line 12, 'her' refers to _____.
 A. the writer
 B. the mother with her baby
 C. Chan Po-yi
 D. the philosophy student

B

8. Arrange the following actions the girls did to complete their plan in the correct order.
 Write A, B, C or D in the

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| A. Write down the strangers' reasons for happiness. |
| B. Photograph the interviewers with the paper. |
| C. Won the competition. |
| D. Find some strangers in Hong Kong. |

D . A . B . C

