

Задания группы А

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Прочитайте текст с пропусками, обозначенными номерами A1-A7. Эти номера соответствуют заданиям A1-A7, в которых представлены возможные варианты ответов. Отметьте номер выбранного вами варианта ответа.

Memories

Scientists have planted **A1** _____ memories into people's minds in a study that demonstrates just how easy it is for police to convince people they have **A2** _____ something that did not actually happen.

More than a third of people susceptible to false memories, according **A3** _____ studies by professor of psychology at the University of California. Her experiments could **A4** _____ why so many people in Washington DC said they saw a white van near to the scene of last year's sniper shootings. In fact, the snipers used a dark car and no white van was involved.

"Where did that white van come from? It came from the fact that someone talked to the media and suddenly the whole country is looking for a white van that perhaps did not exist," she said.

In one study, professor implanted a false memory in the minds of volunteers who had visited Disneyland as children. "We have tried to come **A5** _____ with ways of planting memories that could not have happened. We try to **A6** _____ people believe that when they went to Disneyland they managed to **A7** _____ hands with Bugs Bunny. Bugs could never have been at Disneyland because he is a Warner Bros character. Yet we've found a way of getting 36 per cent of our subjects to tell us they shook hands with Bugs."

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| A1. | 1) poor | 3) false |
| | 2) bad | 4) artificial |
| A2. | 1) participated | 3) experienced |
| | 2) saw | 4) witnessed |
| A3. | 1) with | 3) the |
| | 2) of | 4) to |
| A4. | 1) foresee | 3) tell |
| | 2) explain | 4) predict |
| A5. | 1) up | 3) in |
| | 2) over | 4) out |
| A6. | 1) force | 3) have |
| | 2) make | 4) let |
| A7. | 1) reach | 3) shake |
| | 2) touch | 4) move |