

- 1 Why does the writer use the phrases 'elegant velvet' and 'large mouth feel' in the opening paragraph (lines 1–6)?
- a They are phrases typically used to describe the taste of good-quality wine.
 - b These phrases make the water sound delicious and desirable for the reader.
 - c They are phrases that people do not commonly use in their everyday life.
 - d These phrases prove just how false all bottled water products really are.

Answering question 1, step-by-step

- 1 Read the question stem and underline the key words.
Why does the writer use the phrases 'elegant velvet' and 'large mouth feel' in the opening paragraph?
- 2 Read **all** of the multiple-choice answers.
- 3 Reread lines 1–6 to check what it actually says about these phrases.
- 4 Eliminate the extreme distractor. D is the extreme distractor because you do not know that these phrases are describing bottled water from lines 1–6. The first paragraph also does not say that bottled water products are false. Cross out D.
- 5 Eliminate one other distractor. B is a distractor because it also describes water, which has not yet been mentioned. Cross out B.
- 6 Look carefully at the two remaining choices: A and C. C is not the best answer, because although it is true it is very general and does not say **why** these phrases are used (as the question stem asks). Cross out C. These phrases are used to describe good-quality wine, so the best answer is A.
- 7 Fill in the answer bubble for A on the answer sheet for question 1.

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- 2 What is the main reason given for people wanting this new water menu option? (lines 16–19)
- a Customers thought exclusive bottled water would be quite different.
 - b Patrons were looking for something different to have with their meals.
 - c Restaurant-goers wanted to consume less alcohol when they dined out.
 - d Diners thought non-alcoholic beverages would be cheaper than alcohol.