

**Read the text and then answer the questions.**

## A trip to the beach

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Hong was excited about going to the beach. He was going with his mother, father and baby brother, Tan. He was looking forward to swimming in the ocean with his brother.

When they arrived at the beach, it was already crowded. Mum found a cool and shady spot for the family to sit.

After lunch, Mum took Hong and Tan into the water to swim. Tan was scared, so Mum stayed close to him. Hong wasn't afraid because he had been swimming at the beach many times.

Hong splashed his mother and brother with water. At first, Mum wasn't very happy. She didn't want to get her hair wet. 'The water makes my hair go curly,' she complained. Soon, however, she joined in the fun.

Hong, Tan and their mother had a big water fight. Everyone was laughing, especially Dad who was watching from the beach.



1. Hong wasn't scared of the water because

- (A) he was with his brother.
- (B) Mum stayed close to him.
- (C) he had been swimming before.
- (D) there were many people around.

2. Why did Mum complain when Hong splashed her with water?

- (A) She did not like water fights.
- (B) She was scared of the water.
- (C) She was eating her lunch.
- (D) She was worried about her hair.

3. Hong's \_\_\_\_\_ did **NOT** go into the water.

- (A) father
- (B) mother
- (C) brother
- (D) friend

4. What happened in the story? Drag and drop the following events into the correct order from what happened first to what happened last.

Events	Correct order
Some of the family went into the water.	
The family travelled to the beach.	
Everyone was laughing.	
Some of the family had a water fight.	