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You have found an article about upcycling in a lifestyle magazine. Read the article.

Text 3 Magazine article

Adding value and giving life to rubbish

① Upcycling has become very popular in recent years. It benefits the environment by reducing waste. It can also result in some special products!

5 ② Daisy Ng's father runs a bakery. One day, Daisy asked him to save up hundreds of old eggshells. She wanted to craft them into colourful candles and sell them online. They have sold very well.

10 Now Daisy uses other waste items to make jewellery. It is now a successful business!

15 ③ Designer Kevin Cheung has spent hours every day searching for materials and making upcycled products. Since 2010, he has created over 20 designs using old containers, clothes, furniture and even bicycle wheels! Kevin gets

20 help making his products from local disabled people. He believes that upcycling can improve relationships in society.

25 ④ However, not everyone understands. Some people think Kevin is mean because he doesn't buy new materials to make products. However, Kevin doesn't mind. For him, it's not just about the money.






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Comprehension 3 You are telling Adam about the magazine article. Answer his questions using information from the article. For multiple-choice questions, choose the best answer and blacken ONE circle only.

1 How does upcycling benefit the environment? Use ONE word to complete the blank.
Upcycling benefits the environment by _____ waste.

2 Find a word in paragraph 2 that means 'make with your hands'.

A craft

C save

A B C D

B run

D sell

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3 What kind of waste does Daisy Ng reduce by making her candles?

A food waste

C electronic waste

A B C D

B construction waste

D household waste

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4 Besides candles, what else does Daisy Ng make by upcycling?

5 Are the following sentences **True (T)**, **False (F)**, or is the information **Not Given (NG)**? Write the correct letter(s) in the boxes.

i) Daisy Ng has not sold any candles yet.	
ii) Kevin Cheung thinks upcycling is important.	
iii) Kevin Cheung graduated from design school in 2009.	

6 Who helps Kevin make upcycled products? Use ONE word to complete each blank.
Kevin gets help from _____ people to make his products.

7 Find a word in paragraph 4 that means 'not willing to give or share things'.

8 What does Kevin think upcycling can do for society?

A give everyone more money

C help the disabled

A B C D

B improve relationships

D protect the environment

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