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**Learning Strategy**  
**(Unit 3, page 36, Reading)**

**READING STRATEGY: inferring information**

Learn to infer information from what you read. As you read, ask questions to decide if statements are true or false or if the reading doesn't give the information.

**PRACTICE**

**Answer the questions below.**

**1. Septuplets are seven children born at the same time.**

- a. How many children were in the McCaughey family on November 18, 1997?
- b. How many children were in the McCaughey family on November 19, 1997?
- c. What are septuplets?
- d. Is there information in the reading to help you answer the questions?  
 yes       no

**2. Alix and Briony Rollings are twins.**

- a. When were Alix and Briony born?
- b. Is there information in the reading to help you answer the question?  
 yes       no

**3. Julia Rollings is Barry's first wife.**

- a. How many children does Barry have from his first marriage?
- b. Is Julia Barry's first wife?
- c. Is there information in the reading to help you answer the questions?  
 yes       no

**4. The traditional Chinese family was a one-child family.**

- a. Today, are families in mainland China large?
- b. Years ago, were families in mainland China large or small?
- c. Is there information in the reading to help you answer the questions?  
 yes       no