

## Purpose Selector Answer Key

1. Set 1: **Text A** best fits the research goal because it provides factual information about sharks.
2. Set 2: **Text A** best fits the instruction goal because it gives clear steps to follow.
3. Set 3: **Text A** best fits the enjoyment goal because it uses exciting and emotional language.
4. Set 4: **Text A** best fits the research goal because it provides historical facts rather than a story scene.

### Teacher's Guide

- **Differentiation:**
  - Read each text aloud for students who need fluency or decoding support.
  - Allow students to answer verbally before writing.
  - Challenge advanced students to identify the **author's purpose** for both texts in each set.
- **Engagement Tips:**
  - Let students defend their choices in short class debates.
  - Turn it into a quick partner challenge where pairs must agree on one answer.
  - Highlight key clue words that signal **research**, **instruction**, or **enjoyment**.
- **Extension Ideas:**
  - Have students write two short texts on the same topic with different purposes.
  - Connect this skill to real life by comparing websites, manuals, and stories.
  - Use this structure during science and social studies units when selecting sources.