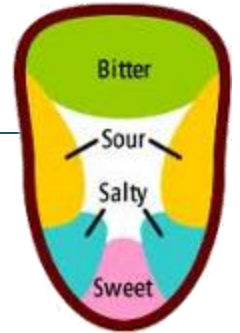


## “Taste”

### Reading Comprehension – Short Stories

Directions: Read the story. Then answer the questions below.



People taste different things on different parts of the tongue.

If something is sweet, like candy, we taste it on the tip of our tongue.

If something is salty, like potato chips, we taste it just behind the tip.

If something is sour, like a lemon, we taste it on the sides of our tongue.

We taste **bitter** things, like dark chocolate, at the back of our tongue.

#### Questions:

- 1) What is the main point of this passage?
  - A. Our tongues have many different sides.
  - B. We taste sour things on the sides of our tongue.
  - C. We taste different things on different parts of our tongue.
- 2) According to the passage, which part of the tongue is likely to taste ice cream?
  - A. the tip
  - B. the back
  - C. the sides
- 3) According to the passage, which food is tasted by the sides of the tongue?
  - A. candy
  - B. a lemon
  - C. potato chips
- 4) Which is the best antonym for **bitter**?
  - A. salty
  - B. sour
  - C. sweet

What is your favorite food? Why?

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