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   The sky looked very weird before the big storm.

   The sky was different before the storm came in.

   The sky looked strange and odd before the storm.

   The sky turned a dark greenish gray before the storm.

2. Which revision gives a reader the clearest picture? "The soup tasted bad."

   The soup tasted wrong and unpleasant.

   The soup tasted very bad and awful.

   The soup tasted burnt and bitter.

   The soup tasted not good at all.

3. Which revision gives a reader the clearest picture? "The room was a mess."

   The room looked really bad and untidy.

   The room was very messy and not tidy at all.

   The room was a big mess with lots of stuff.

   Wet towels, torn paper, and one muddy sneaker covered the floor.

4. Which revision gives a reader the clearest picture? "The dog was happy to see me."

   The dog wagged its tail and bounced around me when I came home.

   The dog was glad and cheerful when it saw me.

   The dog seemed really excited to see me.

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