What is Fracking?

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Io8o2nTXhb0

1. According to the video, which sentence is true?

a) Fracking is like sucking fossil fuels with a straw.

- b) It is an advantage that fracking is fast.
- c) Shale contains distributions of oil and gas.

2. What does the figure 7,700 feet represent?

a) the USA's deepest fracking well

b) a fairly average depth for a fracking well

c) the optimal depth of a fracking well

3. What does fracking fluid mainly consist of?

a) water

b) acids and gels

c) proppants

4. What is the role of proppants?

a) They create cracks in the rock.

b) They help oil and gas escape into the well.

c) They allow the miners to apply more pressure.

5. Which possible harmful effect is not mentioned?

a) groundwater contamination

b) earthquakes

c) air pollution