

**INITIATIVE AND PROBLEM SOLVING SENARIO SORT: ANSWER KEY**

**SCENARIO 1: Jorge wants to be a champion hotdog eater at the Super Eater contest next year.**

Which activity goes with each component of the initiative and problem-solving domains? Write the letter of the corresponding component in each box.

Problem solving: A. Describe problem B. Explore strategies C. Look back and learn		Initiative: D. Take action/Act on Plan E. Sustain motivation F. Persevere through challenge	
<b>B. Explore strategies.</b> Jorge considers several ideas about how to gradually increase the number of hotdogs he can eat in one setting and picks one.	<b>D. Take Action/Act on Plan.</b> Jorge makes his first attempt at stuffing himself with hotdogs.	<b>E. Sustain Motivation.</b> Jorge reminds himself that the prize hotdog eater at the county fair wins \$1,000. He writes motivational sayings on his refrigerator.	
<b>C. Look back and learn.</b> Jorge reviews his progress and compares which eating method helped him eat more hotdogs.	<b>F. Persevere through challenge.</b> Jorge gets so tired of eating hotdogs, and friends mock his goal. He wants to give up on his goal of winning the hotdog eating contest, but he sticks to his plan.	<b>A. Describe problem.</b> After reading blogs on food eating contests, Jorge discovers that he does not currently have the skill or stomach capacity to compete in a hotdog eating contest.	

**SCENARIO 2: LaTonya wants to organize a reunion of her high school zombie club.**

Which activity goes with each component of the initiative and problem solving models? Write the letter of the corresponding component in each box.

Problem solving: A. Describe problem B. Explore strategies C. Look back and learn		Initiative: D. Take action/Act on Plan E. Sustain motivation F. Persevere through challenge	
<b>E. Sustain Motivation.</b> LaTonya wonders whether the reunion will be worth the effort, but she reminds herself of the friends she's already enjoyed getting in touch with.	<b>F. Persevere through challenge.</b> When the only venue available for the reunion costs twice what she'd budgeted for, LaTonya has to do some unexpected fundraising to make the reunion happen.	<b>B. Explore strategies</b> LaTonya uses what she found out about options for hosting a reunion party to backward plan the event.	
<b>D. Take Action/Act on Plan</b> LaTonya starts the process by contacting the zombie club friends she still connects with to find out how to contact the others.	<b>C. Look back and learn.</b> LaTonya reviews how many RSVPs she has gotten and whether she is keeping up with the schedule she created.	<b>A. Describe problem.</b> LaTonya writes out what she wants for a reunion and what she already knows and doesn't know about planning a reunion.	