Revisions-Try it out!

What problem(s) do you see with these test items? How would you fix those problems?

Example A:
What was the man’s main reason for buying a new car?
   a. He needed a much bigger car.
   b. He had an accident with his previous car and needed a new one.
   c. He heard that the dealer was offering a special deal on cars that day.

Example B:
The woman __________ last summer.
   a. passed three Tae Kwon Do tests
   b. failed three Tae Kwon Do tests
   c. passed two Tae Kwon Do tests and failed one

Example C
According to most modern experts, why did dinosaurs become extinct?
   a. disease
   b. climate change caused by a meteor striking the earth*
   c. genetic problems

Example D:
F: Excuse me sir, but I bought these bananas here yesterday, and they are already bad. I was wondering if I could trade these for some other bananas.

M: I am sorry, but we sold out of bananas last night. We should get some more tomorrow morning. I can give you your money back, though.

F: I really wanted some bananas, but if you don’t have any then I will just take the money.

What does the man offer to do for the woman?
   a. Give her money for the bad bananas *
   b. Let her trade the bad bananas for good bananas
   c. Save some good bananas for her when they arrive in the morning