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Coverage

Topic(s): Places, environment, science.			
ECFE Grammar	**Prerequisite Grammar**	**GSE Grammar**	**Functional Language**
Past tenses: past simple	Can make affirmative statements using the present simple without time reference. (26)	Can make affirmative statements using common regular past simple forms. (30) Can make affirmative statements using common irregular past simple forms. (30) Can use 'was' and 'were' with a range of complement phrases. (32)	Describing places Expressing opinion Describing habits, routines, tasks, and jobs
Adjectives: position	Can use the verb 'be' in the simple present with adjectives. (25)	Can place adjectives in the correct position (before nouns). (31)	
Conjunctions: coordinating	Can use 'and' to link nouns and noun phrases. (25)	Can link clauses and sentences with a range of basic connectors. (32)	

Grade 6 Access
Writing Topic
Places, environment, science.

Core Lexis

Places أماكن	Environment البيئة	Science العلوم
desert صحراء	sunny مشمس	mobile phone موبيل
supermarket سوبرماركت	windy عاصف	quick سريع
beautiful جميل	to look after يعتني ب	television تلفاز
crowded مزدحم	dangerous خطير	temperature درجة الحرارة
countrysideالريف		history التاريخ
		drive يسوق
		modern حديث

Reading

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Read about ocean animals. Choose the correct answer from a, b or c.

Ocean animals

Ocean animals are my favourite kind of wildlife. They have body parts and skills that make it easily for them to live in this habitat.

I think penguins are very cute and they make me laugh when they walk. A penguin can't fly like other birds because it doesn't have wings. A penguin has short but strong black flippers which it uses to swim very fast. A penguin can only swim a bit faster than a walrus. The walrus is extremely ugly! I think it looks very scary with its huge white tusks. It uses its whiskers to find food in the sea. I think it eats mostly fish, but it might eat penguins as well!

Many sea animals and fish use camouflage to hide from other animals that want to eat them. I think the best camouflage is used by the cuttlefish. It uses its skill of changing colour to look like the rocks or sand. It can even change its body shape so that it can get into any tiny spaces. I told you there were some amazing sea animals! When I grow up, I want to be a marine biologist and study all these strange animals. I don't like ships very much, but I could watch the wildlife from inside a safe submarine.

1. The writer thinks some animals can live easily in _____ .
   a. trees b. water c. mountains
2. He thinks penguins are _____ .
   a. Funny and small b. cute and funny c. cute and dangerous
3. He likes the cuttlefish because it is _____ .
   a. Clever at hiding b. too difficult to see c. bad at hiding in small spaces
4. He thinks walrus is scary because _____ .
   a. It is very ugly b. It eats penguins c. It has large tusks
5. The main purpose of the text is _____ .
   a. Show that the ocean is a dangerous place
   b. Explain why he likes sea creatures so much

c. Describe how penguins are better than other animals

My Pet

My name is Samir. My best friend is my pet dog. It is my birthday present. After so much begging, finally my parents agreed that I could have a dog!

But my parents told me that I must take care of it. I have to feed it , walk it, keep it clean and do exercise with it. It is hard-working but I do it with great pleasure because I love my pet.

I called it Doggy. It is a small dog. It is brown and has long ears. It is quite gentle, friendly and active.

We spend much time with each other, and we do lots of things together, such as running, playing hide and seek ,and fetching the ball. It is fun.

Inside the house, Doggy, behaves very well, it is very clean, and it isn't messy. So my mother allows it to sleep in my bedroom at night. That is nice because I like being with it.

Doggy protects the house and doesn't let anyone strange to come inside.



<u>Answer the following questions:</u>

1. Who is Samir's best friend?

   A) Doggy. B) Rashid. C) Hamad.

2. How is Doggy?

   A) untidy. B) lazy. C) friendly and active.

3. How does Samir take care of Doggy?

   A) Tie it with a rope. B) Feed it. C) Watch it

4. What do Samir and Doggy play together?

   A) Tennis. B) Hide and seek. C) Handball.

5. How does Doggy protect Samir 's house?

   A) It plays. B) It sleeps outside. C)It doesn't let anyone strange to come inside.

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Part 1. Read about Hassan's visit to Africa. Choose the correct answer from a, b or c.

Mount Kilimanjaro

Hi, I'm Hassan. I am visiting Africa. Tomorrow I will climb the highest mountain in Africa with my father. It's called Mount Kilimanjaro. My brother climbed it by himself last year. He won't come with us.

We need to put on our comfortable boots. It will be a long walk. I will also take my warm jacket because it will be very cold at the top of the mountain. We won't take a tent because we are not sleeping on the mountain.

Climbing the mountain will make us hungry. Dad will carry meat and tomato sandwiches for me and cheese sandwiches for himself. He'll take some chocolate too.

I have a new backpack. It is blue and white. I will put a bottle of water and a hat in my backpack because it'll be hot when we start walking.

When we get to the top of the mountain, I will take some photos and we'll enjoy the view.

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6. Hassan will climb Mount Kilimanjaro _____ .

   b. by himself b. with his brother c. with his father

7. Hassan will take his _____ to keep warm in the mountain.

   b. tent b. jacket c. boots

8. His dad is going to eat the _____ sandwiches.

   b. meat b. tomato c. cheese

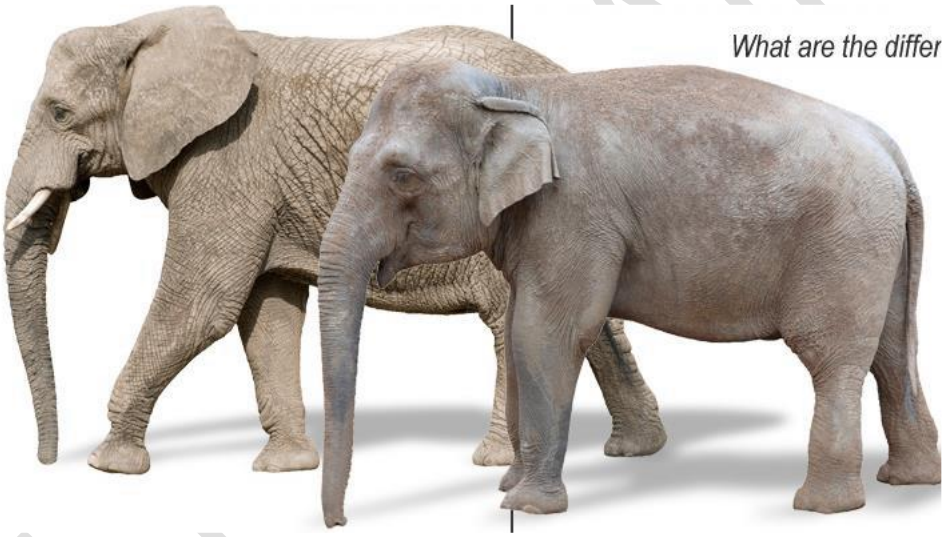
9. Hassan will carry _____ in his backpack.

   b. a hat and a drink b. chocolate and a hat c. a hat and sandwiches

10. Hassan thinks the trip will be _____ .

   d. long but fun b. quick but boring c. hot but short

Elephants are big animals. They are the largest animals to live on land. They are of two types: the Asian elephants and the African elephants. A male, African elephant can weigh up to six thousand kilograms. Elephants can be up to four meters tall. Elephants need to live in very large areas because they eat and drink so much. Every day, elephants spend about sixteen hours eating. They eat up to 200 kilograms of food and drink over 250 liters of water daily. Elephants have very big but very thin ears. Elephants use their ears to cool themselves down. An elephant's trunk can smell food, water, and predators. Their tusks are long and curved teeth. Elephants use their tusks to dig food and water and to fight. Elephants need very strong legs to support their heavy bodies.



Underline the correct answer – True or False.

1. The largest animals to live on land are elephants. True False
2. There are four types of elephants. True False
3. Elephants use their ears to cool down. True False
4. Elephants spend sixteen hours eating in a day. True False
5. Elephant's truck can't smell food. True False

We are learning about continents in English. Do you know that there are seven continents in the world? Continents are huge pieces of land and consists of many countries and oceans. The seven continents are: Europe, Asia, North America, South America, Africa, Antarctica, and Oceania. The biggest continent is Asia while the smallest is Oceania. The hottest continent is Africa whereas the coldest is Antarctica. I will go to Africa on my next holiday. I will see the amazing African wildlife – elephants, zebras, monkeys and so many animals. I will also eat Injera and other famous dishes. I will ride on the bike to the countryside and spend hours watching beautiful landscapes. I will make countless memories in Africa.

What is the student learning about in English?

a. Injera b. Animals c. Continents d. Bikes

How many continents are there in the world?

a. 6 b.8 c. 9 d. 7

Where will the student go to?

a. Asia b. Africa c. Oceania d. America

……. is the biggest continent.

a. Antarctica b. Africa c. Asia d. Europe

What will the student make?

a. Injera b. painting c. memories d. plan

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Maze

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Maze Samples

Strange animals

There (1) _____ (is – are – am) some strange animals in the world. Elephant seals (2) _____(live – lives – living) in very cold places like the Arctic. They use (3) _____(they – them – their) huge noses to find food in the sea. The sloth likes (4) _____(slept – sleeps - sleeping) a lot. It uses its strong arms to hold on the tree while it sleeps. The sloth looks very strange when it walks because it (5) ___(move – moves - moving) very slowly.

Polar Bears

Polar bears live in the 1) _____(desert – Arctic- ocean) . They are large animals. They are well adapted to the freezing environment. They are 2) _____(meat – plants- leaves) eaters. They eat seals, fish and any sea creature that is available. They are powerful swimmers, and they can also run very 3)_____(slowly – heavily – quickly).

Polar bears are up to 10 feet tall and they weigh around 770 kilograms. They 4) ____(have - has - having) thick, white, water-proof fur. Their small heads and big body help them to keep retain heat. They have wide paws that help 5) _____(him - it- them) to swim.

Read about the zoo. For questions 1 – 10, choose the correct answer A, B or C:

The Zoo A trip to the zoo is a wonderful day out. (1) ___(Started – Starting – Start) your visit early so that you can see everything. Just inside the entrance are the desert animals like snakes, scorpions, and foxes. (2) ___(Come – Comes – Coming) at 4 pm and you can help feed the snakes, if you are not too afraid! From there, move on to the jungle area. (3) _____(Didn't – Don't – Doesn't) miss seeing the monkeys! (4) _____(Listening – Listen – Listened) to the special talk about jungle animals at 2 pm every afternoon. It is very interesting. Nocturnal animals wake (5) ___(up – at – out) and start to move around after 8pm. The zoo sometimes opens for special night-time visits. If you come at night you might be surprised (6) ___(by – to – in) the number of animals that you see. Look out for these

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special opening hours on the website, as you (7) _____(must – should – have) to buy tickets online. You (8) _____(haven't – shouldn't – don't) miss the safari tour. It's the best way to see the lions, giraffes and gazelles. You might see some cute, funny little meerkats too. You (9) ____(might – have – should) be at the meeting point at 11am for this tour. There is lots to see so (10) _____(find – found – finding) some time to visit the zoo soon.

Desert

When we talk about deserts, we usually 1. _____ (think – thinks – thinking) of large, empty spaces with little water and a 2. _____ (little – lot – few) plants growing here and there. Not a very friendly place for animals, right? Well, there are a few animals which can live 3. _____ (where – there – they'are). Camels are one example. Camels are called "the ships of the desert" because they can 4. _____ (crossed – crossing – cross) deserts 5. _____ (good – better – best) than any other animal.

Ship of the Desert

Camels (1) _____ (never – usually - ever) Live in deserts, where it is (2) _____ (hot and dry – cold and dry – hot and wet). Camels are called the ship of the desert. They were sued to move thing from one place to another in deserts in the past. They have a heavy coat of hair that saves them from the hot sun during the day and keeps them warm (3) _____ (on – in - at) night. Camels have (4) _____ (small – short - long) legs that help them walk in the sand. They have a big back called a hump. It (5) _____ (always – sometimes - often) saves food and water which helps the camel to live without food and water for several days.

Caring for a Horse Taking care of a horse is not 1 (as same as / the same as / as similar to) taking care of a house pet. A horse requires much more care and attention. However, the main advice to follow when caring for one is 2 (ever / quite / already) simple. First, to own a horse, I would 3 (tell / think / advise) you to keep it grazing in a field where it can be with other horses. Secondly, you must keep it in a stable when it is hot. You 4 (may / might / mustn't) keep it in the sun all day long because it is

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dangerous for the horse. Finally, 5 I (certain / believe / recommend) it is important to exercise, feed and groom the horse so it stays healthy.

An ocean 1 (is – are – was) a large body of salty water. Many animals and plants 2(live- lives- lived) in the ocean. Some ocean animals 3(has - have – had) special parts to help them live in the water. Fish have fins and tails to swim. They have gills to breath. Seas are smaller bodies of salty water that have many types of plants and animals, too. There 4 (is – are – were) seas on earth. The world 5(has – have – had) five oceans. They are: Atlantic, Antarctic, Indian, Pacific and the Arctic.

Last week, I and my family (go-went-goes) to Dubai. We (have-has-had) a great time. We (seen-saw-sees) beautiful views. After this trip , my father (decides – deciding- decided) to plan for next trip. Everyday, my sister (talk-talking-talks) about the trip. Sometimes , I (felt - feel-feels) boring. My sister is (tries – tried- trying) hard to enjoy her plan. I hate (plans-plan-planning) before any holiday.

Lion or tiger?

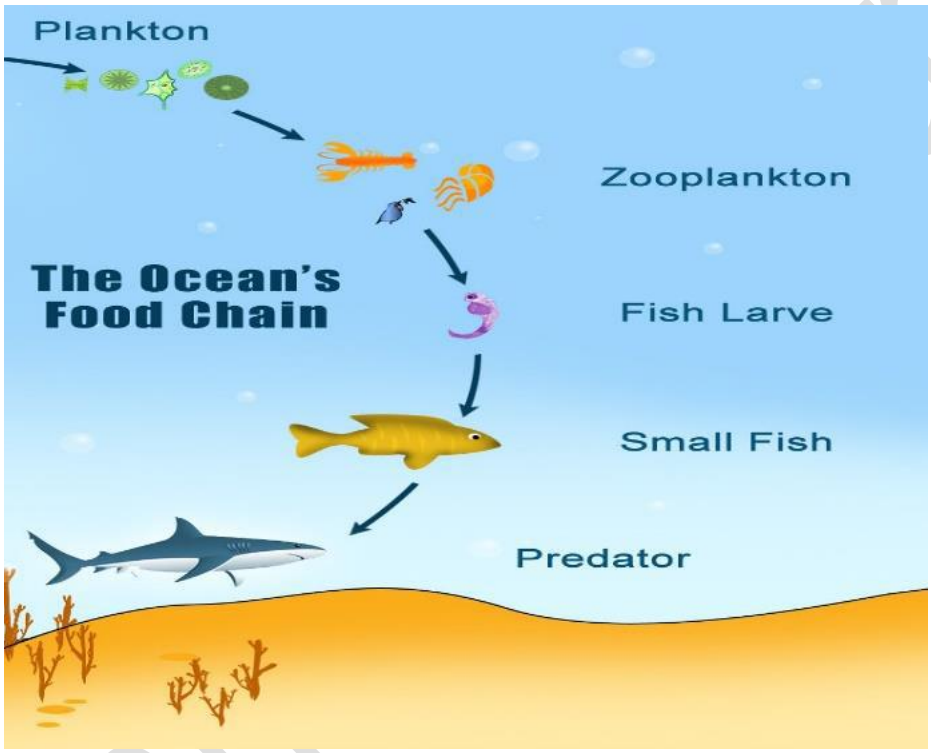


Who (1. would/was/is) win a fight – a lion or a tiger? Well, if size (2. has/is/have) anything to do with the matter, the tiger would win. That's because tigers are the (3. larger/large/largest) of all cat species. They (4. grow/growing/grew) up to eleven feet long and weigh as much as 303 kilos. This makes tigers the third largest land carnivore animals. The only larger land carnivores (5. is/are/was) the polar bears

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and brown bears. Tigers are not only large (6. but/so/not) also fast. You might think that such large, ferocious animal (7. doesn't/did not/don't) need help to survive, but they do. The (8. elephant/tiger/bear) is (9. an/a/ the) endangered species. Tigers face a (10. bit/high/low) risk of extinction.

Food Chain



Did you know that the ocean food chain (1. begin/begins/began) with very small plants? The small plants make (2. its/their/his) own food from the (3. Sun's/sons/Sun) energy. In the ocean, (4. there/their/there are) very small animals called plankton. The little plankton (5. eats/eat/eating) the very small plants. The next link in the food chain (6. was/is/are) jellyfish and starfish. (7. These/They/This) animals eat plankton. (8. Then/Finally/ Firstly) the jellyfish and starfish are eaten by the small fish. (9. Thirdly/Finally/Second) the small fish (10. eat/are eaten/ate) by the larger fish.

Writing

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How you have to answer each part in the writing paper:

كيف يجب الحل في قسم الكتابة.

PART 1: OPINION (5 marks)

Topic: '*ANIMALS*' (*Write your answer below. Use full sentences*)

<u>Why do you like your favourite animal the most?</u>

Write <u>two</u> full sentences explaining why.

في اول سؤال يجب الجواب عن السؤال المرفق بجملتين.

(e.g., I love eagles because they fly so high, or I love pandas because they are black and white and so cuddly!)

1. **I like rabbits the most because they have soft fur.** They hop around and that makes me happy.
2. **My favorite animal is the turtle because it carries its home on its back.** I think that's really smart and cool.
3. **I love butterflies because they have colorful wings.** They flutter so gently and look like flying flowers.
4. **Giraffes are the best because they have long necks.** They can reach the leaves at the top of the trees, which is amazing.
5. **I admire parrots the most because they can talk like us.** It's funny when they repeat what I say.
6. **Fish are my favorite because they can breathe underwater.** They swim all day and I like to watch them in my aquarium.

PART 2: PLAN (5 marks)

Before you write about your favourite animal, you must make a plan!

في السؤال الثاني يجب على الطالب التخطيط للكتابة. توجد أمثلة في الأسفل.

Here are some questions to think about:

What is the name of your favourite animal?

Where does it live? (e.g., jungle, forest, ocean)

What does it look like? (e.g., fur, feathers, scales, colours)

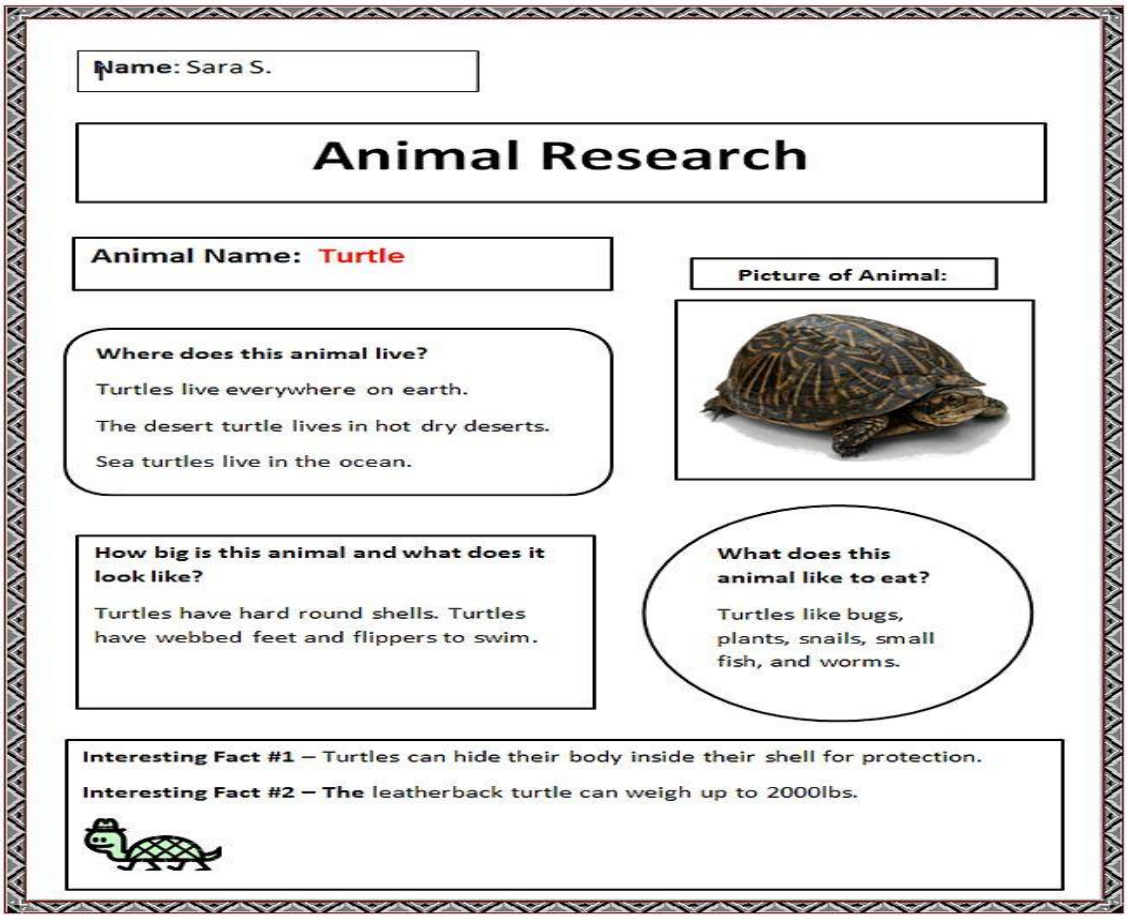
This is the plan part. You must write answers to the questions in a short way. You can use a **spider gram**, **bullet points**, a **mind map**, or **very short sentences**.

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What does it eat? (e.g., plants, meat, fish)

How do you take care of your favourite animal (if it's a pet)? (e.g., food, water, playing)

Plan: 5 marks



PART 3:

PARAGRAPH (25 marks)

في السؤال الثالث على الطالب البدء بكتابة الفقرة ، توجد أمثلة في الأسفل (40 - 60 words)

Now that you have your plan, use it to write a PARAGRAPH with full sentences about your favourite animal.

Be sure to include interesting details about your chosen animal.

Use the plan you did on the previous page to write your paragraph. You should add **more details**. Also, an introduction and conclusion. (Use the prompts to help you)

Here are some sentence starters to help you get going:

- My favourite animal is a...
- It lives in...

- It has... fur/feathers/scales (choose one) and... colour(s).
- It likes to eat...
- (If it's a pet) I take care of it by...

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Examples:

cheetah

My favourite animal is a **cheetah**. It lives in the **grasslands of Africa**, where it has lots of space to run. The cheetah has short, smooth **fur** that is **golden-yellow with black spots**, which helps it hide in the tall grasses. This amazing animal likes to eat **meat**, and it is really fast when it chases other animals in the wild. Cheetahs can run faster than any other land animal, and they can reach speeds of up to **60 miles per hour**! If I had a cheetah as a pet, which isn't possible because they are wild animals, I would take care of it by giving it a big area to run and play, lots of food to eat, and a safe place to sleep. I think cheetahs are incredible because they are so quick and beautiful.

giraffe

My favourite animal is a **giraffe**. It lives in the **savannas of Africa**, where it can stretch its long neck to eat leaves from the tallest trees. The giraffe has unique **fur** that is covered in **brown spots** on a yellowish background, which helps it camouflage in the dappled light. It likes to eat **acacia leaves**, and it uses its long tongue to pluck them from the branches. Giraffes are too big to be pets, but if I could take care of one, I would make sure it has a huge space to roam and lots of trees to munch on. I love giraffes because they are gentle and have the coolest patterns on their fur.

kangaroo

My favourite animal is a **kangaroo**. It lives in the **vast open spaces of Australia**, where it can hop around freely. The kangaroo has soft, thick **fur** that is usually a **reddish-brown or grey** colour, which helps it blend into the outback landscape. Kangaroos like to eat **grasses and shrubs**, and they are great at finding food even in dry conditions. They don't drink much water because they get most of it from the plants they eat. Kangaroos are also known for their strong back legs and long feet, which let them leap great distances in a single bound. They carry their babies, called joeys, in a pouch until they are old enough to hop on their own. If I had a kangaroo as a pet, I would take care of it by giving it a big backyard to hop in and lots of grass to munch on. I think kangaroos are special because they are so unique and have a friendly nature.

koala

My favourite animal is a **koala**. It lives in the **eucalyptus forests** of Australia, where it can find lots of food and climb trees. The koala has thick, soft **fur** that is **grey and white**. It helps keep them warm and cozy. Koalas like to eat **eucalyptus leaves**, and they are very picky, eating only a few kinds of these leaves. They sleep a lot, too—up to 18 hours a day! If I had a koala as a pet, which you can't because they are wild animals, I would take care of it by making sure it had lots of eucalyptus leaves to munch on and a big, strong tree to climb and sleep in. I love koalas because they are so cute and cuddly-looking.

sea turtle

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My favourite animal is a **sea turtle**. It lives in the **warm oceans** around the world, gliding through the water with ease. The sea turtle has a hard shell with **scales**, and its colors can be a mix of **green, brown, and yellow**. It likes to eat **seaweed and jellyfish**, munching on them with its strong beak. Sea turtles can't be pets because they are wild animals, but if I could take care of one, I would make sure it has clean water and plenty of food. I love sea turtles because they are gentle giants of the sea and have been around since the time of the dinosaurs.

PART 4: INFERENCE and JUSTIFICATION (5 marks)

في السؤال الرابع: يجب على الطالب قراءة النص المرفق ومن ثم يجب على الأسئلة

Read the text and answer the question. Try to write 2 sentences.

Inference Question (2 marks)

'Animals in the world'

There are many different kinds of animals in the world. Some animals live in the water, like fish and dolphins. Other animals live on land, like lions and elephants. Some animals fly, like birds and bats. Animals come in all shapes and sizes, and they all have special features that help them survive in their environment. For example, fish have gills to breathe underwater, and birds have wings to fly.

Based on the information above, where do you think bears live? Circle the best answer.

- In the water
- On land
- In the air

You now have to say **WHY** you said what you said in the first part. You can use information from the text 'animals in the world', or from your own life. Try to write **3** sentences.

Justify your answer (3 marks)

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Bears live on **land**. This is because the passage talks about different animals and where they live. It mentions that some animals live in the water and others live on land. Since bears are not mentioned as living in water like fish and dolphins, and they don't have wings to fly like birds and bats, we can infer that they live on land. Additionally, bears are known to walk on all fours, which is something that animals who live on land do. So, by thinking about what the passage says and what we know about bears, we can understand that bears live on land.

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Writing

Write a short description of your favorite animal, using the questions to help you.

What is it called?

Where does it live?

What does it eat?

What does it look like?

How does is use camouflage?

How does it use its body parts to help it?

How do you look after it?

Plan :

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Write a paragraph about your favorite polar animal.

What is it called?

Where does it live?

What does it eat?

What does it look like?

How does it use its body parts to help it?

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Think of a country you would like to visit. Use the question to write about it.

Write a paragraph include information about:

What is the name of the country?

Which continent is it on?

What is the weather like there?

What kind of animals live there?

What do you need to take when go there?

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How can we look after our environment?

Write a paragraph include information about:

*What is environment.

* Human effect on earth.

* What can people do to keep the environment?.

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What is your favourite place for camping ?

Write a paragraph include information about:

*What is your favourite place, what is the weather like there?

* What do you need to take there ?.

* What activities do you do there?

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