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Part 1

Read the text and answer the questions.

For each question, match the paragraphs (**A – C**) to the correct number (**1 – 6**)

You can use each letter more than once.

There is one **EXAMPLE**

Pets

Paragraph A

I want a stick insect. I know it's a strange pet but they're clean and only eat fresh leaves so they're not difficult to take care of. At least they're different from other pets. Another advantage is that all they need is somewhere safe to hang upside down in.

Paragraph B

I would choose a hamster because they look extremely pretty with their soft fur and big eyes. But they also have sharp teeth, so I hope they are kind and don't bite. The problem is that they're nocturnal and my parents won't be pleased if it plays on its wheel at night and wakes them up. My mother thinks that I won't clean out the cage and feed it. I know it will be hard work, but I don't mind.

Paragraph C

My parents think that I should get tropical fish. I agree they are relaxing to watch and they're different, but they don't do very much. I prefer to go outdoors and have some exercise so a horse would be perfect. I already help my friend to brush and feed his horse at the weekends, so I know it's a lot of work, but I still want one.

Choose the best paragraph for each question.

EXAMPLE: Which person will have to keep his pet outdoors? C.

1. Which person wants to be active with a pet? _____.
2. Which person wants an unusual pet? _____.
3. Which person thinks this pet is beautiful? _____.
4. Which person wants an easy pet to look after? _____.
5. Which person has looked after this kind of pet before? _____.
6. Which person is hoping his pet will be friendly? _____.
7. Which person is not sure his family will like his pet? _____.

Part 2

Read the text and answer the questions.

For each question (1 – 7), choose the correct answer **A**, **B** or **C**.

There is one **EXAMPLE**

Ocean animals

Ocean animals are my favourite kind of wildlife. They have body parts and skills that make it easy 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.

EXAMPLE. He thinks some animals can live easily in _____.

- A. trees
- B. water
- C. mountains

1. He thinks penguins are _____.
 - A. funny and small
 - B. cute and funny
 - C. cute and dangerous

2. A penguin can swim fast because it has _____ flippers.
 - A. black
 - B. short
 - C. strong

3. He thinks a penguin is _____ at swimming than a walrus.
 - A. a little worse
 - B. a little better
 - C. a lot better

4. He thinks the walrus is scary because_____
 - A. it is very ugly
 - B. it eats penguins
 - C. it has large tusks

5. He likes the cuttlefish because it is_____
 - A. clever at hiding
 - B. too difficult to see
 - C. bad at hiding in small spaces

6. When he is older, he is going to_____
 - A. learn more about sea animals
 - B. to travel in a submarine
 - C. to be safe

7. The main purpose of the text is to _____.
 - A. show that the ocean is a dangerous place
 - B. explain why this person likes sea creatures so much
 - C. describe how penguins are better than other animals