

**A** Fill in the blanks. /5

quagga   habitat   species   extinct   exploit   dependable

- 1 To use people in an unfair way is to \_\_\_\_\_ them.
- 2 The natural home of an animal is its \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 An animal that looked like a zebra with stripes only in the front of its body is a \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 When a type of animal vanishes from the world, it has become \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 Something or someone that can be relied on is \_\_\_\_\_.

**B** Read the clues. Write the words. /4

- 1 This word has four letters. It is a bird that cannot fly. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 This word means to continue to live. It rhymes with *five*. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 This word ends in *y*. It is a safe place for animals to live. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 This word ends in *y*. It means after a long time. \_\_\_\_\_

**C** Circle the correct words. /6

- 1 I **have spent** / **have been spending** time with my grandmother the past few summers.
- 2 He **has read** / **has been reading** a book about endangered animals for two hours.
- 3 People **have tried** / **have been trying** to save animals in the past.
- 4 They **have spent** / **have been spending** time with their cousins before.
- 5 She **has read** / **has been reading** a new book about soccer for a long time.
- 6 We **have tried** / **have been trying** to climb that tree all summer.

**D** Complete the sentences. /5

have visited    has been studying    have waited  
have watched    have been waiting    has been watching

- 1 I \_\_\_\_\_ that movie before.
- 2 I \_\_\_\_\_ Italy four times.
- 3 She \_\_\_\_\_ too much television lately.
- 4 We \_\_\_\_\_ here for over three hours!
- 5 He \_\_\_\_\_ two foreign languages every weekend since June.

**E** Change the verbs in the box to the present perfect continuous.  
Complete the sentences. /4

learn    sleep    clean    watch    go

- 1 The baby \_\_\_\_\_ in her crib for the past two hours.
- 2 We \_\_\_\_\_ to the farmer's market every weekend.
- 3 I \_\_\_\_\_ about the solar system in school this week.
- 4 She \_\_\_\_\_ her bedroom all afternoon.

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