



Exam Practice

A) Read the passage and choose the best answer a, b, c or d.

Plants

Plants play an important role in our environment. They come in different shapes and sizes and can be found almost anywhere on our planet. Plants are the only creatures that make their own food through photosynthesis. They use energy from sunlight to convert carbon dioxide and water into glucose and oxygen.

Also, plants are crucial for the air we breathe. During photosynthesis, they send out oxygen into the air. They also help to remove harmful chemicals from the air, making it cleaner for us to breathe.

Plants come in many different varieties. Some plants are large and woody, like trees, while others are small and delicate, like flowers. Some plants are used for food, like fruits and vegetables, while others are used for medicinal purposes, like herbs.

Questions:

1. Plants use to make food.
 - a. glucose
 - b. roots
 - c. photosynthesis
 - d. hot water
2. Photosynthesis changes carbon dioxide and water into
 - a. oxygen and water
 - b. glucose and oxygen
 - c. carbon and oxygen
 - d. fire and oxygen
3. The word 'creatures' (paragraph 1, line 2) means
 - a. rocks
 - b. water
 - c. carbon
 - d. living things
4. During photosynthesis, plants let off into the air.
 - a. carbon dioxide
 - b. water
 - c. oxygen
 - d. CO₂

5. Plants clean the air by the air
- a. sending out chemicals into
 - b. removing poisons from
 - c. releasing carbon dioxide into
 - d. decreasing oxygen in
6. The word 'harmful' in paragraph 2, line 2 means
- a. new
 - b. good
 - c. bad
 - d. big
7. Plants can be used for
- a. building houses
 - b. making clothing.
 - c. food and medicine
 - d. transportation
8. The word 'varieties' in paragraph 3, line 1 means
- a. colours
 - b. uses
 - c. smells
 - d. types

