WRITTEN ASSIGNMENT JUNIOR IV
UNIT 5: "WEIRD AND WILD ANIMALS"

A) <u>Reading Comprehension</u>: Read the text and then write TRUE or FALSE.

Toucans are a "family" of birds. These animals live in the tropical forests in Central and South America and they usually live in pairs of small flocks.



Toucans are colourful birds with enormous beaks. Their bodies are short and compact. The wings are small so they travel short distances. These birds' diet consists of fruit that they pick from trees with their big beaks.

These amazing birds are becoming extinct because of deforestation. In addition, people are catching them as pets. We shouldn't destroy their habitat. We should take care of the toucans.



1) Toucans live in the mountains in Central and South America. .....
2) Toucans have colourful feathers and a big beak. .....
3) Toucans haven't got any wings so they can't fly. .....
4) Toucans only eat insects. .....
5) Toucans are endangered because people are cutting down the tropical forest. .....

B) <u>Vocabulary</u>: Complete the sentences with the words in the box.



BARKS CLAWS FUR CARRION TAIL APES GILLS STRIPES

1) The tiger is a fierce animal that has orange..... and black.....
2) The koala has sharp .....to climb eucalyptus trees and eat their leaves.
3) The coconut crabs are scavenger, they eat fallen fruit and .....
4) All the fish have got .....to breathe under the water.
5) The dog has four legs and a ..... When it is happy, it wags its .....
6) Monkeys have got tails but ..... like the orangutan, the gorilla and the chimps lack them.

C) <u>Grammar</u>: Choose the best answer and TYPE the words in the boxes



1) The Pyrenean Ibex .....extinct in January 2000.

A) is becoming **B) becomes** **C) became**

2) The Mexican walking fish ..... legs to walk on land.

A) has **B) have** **C) had**

3) The Cheetah is the ..... animal in the world.

A) fast **B) fastest** **C) faster**

4) .....about 1,000,000 chimps a hundred years **AGO.**

A) There is **B) There were** **C) There are**

5) The Black Rhino .....extinct because people are killing them.

A) are becoming **B) is becoming** **C) becomes**

6) The Tarsier is insectivorous because it .....insects.

A) ate **B) eats** **C) eat**

7) The dinosaurs were reptiles so they ..... scales and .....eggs.

A) have/lay **B) had / laid** **C) had / lay** **D) have/laid**

8) .....did dinosaurs die out? About 65 million years ago.

A) Where **B) How** **C) When**

9) The Bumblebee Bat .....in Thailand.

A) lives **B) lived** **C) live**

10) ..... animal is stronger, the Polar bear or the Gorilla?

A) Which **B) Who** **C) Why**

11) People ..... the Komodo dragon so it is disappearing little by little.

A) overhunts **B) overhunted** **C) are overhunting**

12) .....is the blue Whale? It is the biggest animal in the world.

A) How many **B) How big** **C) Where**

D) Put the words in order to make questions





1) animal / What / this / is

_____?

2) does / mammal / this / live / Where?

_____?



3) species / What / this / look / does / like

_____?

4) What / eat / does / it

_____?



5) many / in the wild / there / How / left / are

_____?

2) endangered / they / are / Why

_____?

