

B Definitions

Find each word or phrase in the reading and match it with its definition.

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| <u>c</u> 1. abandoned | a. learn something |
| ___ 2. extraordinary | b. operates |
| ___ 3. lush | c. not being taken care of anymore |
| ___ 4. prompting | d. very unusual or special |
| ___ 5. wild | e. untamed |
| ___ 6. pick (it) up | f. suggestion; urging |
| ___ 7. runs | g. luxurious |

C Synonyms

Read each sentence from the text and circle the word or phrase in parentheses that is a synonym (word with the same meaning) for the underlined word(s).

1. The keepers are rotated now and then so that no elephant gets too attached to any one of them
2. In the park, there is a lot less supervision and a lot less milk.
3. One day, each elephant just wanders off into the wild and stays there. It is not at the prompting of anyone in the orphanage