

Unit 2 Test | Essential

Total score: ___ /50

Listening

1  Listen and write the landscape words in the order they are mentioned. Then match.

Score: ___ /5

canyon glacier mountain range
rainforest volcano waterfall

1 waterfall

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

5 _____

6 _____

a



b



c



d



e



f



2  Listen and number the pictures.

Score: ___ /5



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Reading

3 Read and tick the correct landscape.

Score: ___ /5

1 It's usually quite wet but not because it rains! The noise is very loud and there's often a lake at the bottom of it.

a



b



2 This landscape is very dry and can be very hot during the day and very cold during the night. It's very deep and can be very rocky, too!

a



b



3 This is the landscape that makes our planet clean and healthy. Thousands of wild animals live there, especially birds.

a



b



4 There are many of them all over the world. Lots of people go hiking there in groups, and the bravest even try to reach the top!

a



b



5 These are the iciest and coldest areas on our planet. Some animals live there, mainly penguins and polar bears.

a



b



6 Some of them are not active, but when they erupt and lava starts coming out, it can get dangerous.

a



b



4 Read and circle.

Score: ___ /5

Glaciers are ¹the/a coldest places on Earth. Did you know that they're also the ²most dry / driest ones, too? That's because it almost never rains! The ³more / most amazing thing about glaciers is that animals manage to survive there. Like the Emperor penguin, for example, that lives in Antarctica. It's the heaviest penguin ⁴in / at the world and it can live in ⁵glacial / snowstorm temperatures, as low as -40°C! It also swims in the ⁶coldest / arid water ... -1.8°C. That's cold!

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Writing
5 Write sentences about the pictures. Use the words in brackets.
Score: ___ /5
1


Kunchikal Falls is the highest waterfall in Asia. (high)

2


Vatnajökull g in Europe. (big)

3


The Sahara d in Africa. (dry)

4


Kilauea in Hawaii v in the world. (active)

5


The Rocky Mountains m in North America. (long)

6


The Congo Basin r in Africa. (large)

6 Use the words in brackets to write questions.
Score: ___ /5

1 Where is the longest river in Africa? (where / long river / Africa)

2 _____ (what / warm city / Europe)

3 _____ (what / arid desert / South America)

4 _____ (what / wet country / the world)

5 _____ (where / glacial climate / the world)

6 _____ (where / rocky area / your country)

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Speaking

7 Ask and answer using superlative adjectives.

Score: ___ /10

What is the wettest landscape?

I think the wettest landscape is the rainforest.

arid canyon desert dry glacial glacier mountain range
rainforest rocky volcano waterfall wet



8 Look at the picture above. Imagine these landscapes and types of weather. Describe living there.

Score: ___ /10

A desert is a very dry landscape. It's arid. Life is difficult because it's hot and there's not much water.

Yes, there aren't many plants at all. I don't think I can live there!

arid canyon desert drought dry floods glacial glacier hurricanes
mountain range rainforest rocky snowstorm volcano waterfall wet