

Vocabulary

Conserving wildlife

1 Match the words with their meanings.

1 extinct (adj)	(a) to continue to live or exist, usually despite difficulty or danger
2 survive (v)	(b) the situation in which a person or animal is kept somewhere and is not allowed to leave
3 captivity (n)	(c) to protect the natural environment
4 conserve (v)	(d) when a particular type of plant or animal stops existing
5 rare (adj)	(e) not common or frequent; very unusual

3 Read the news items again and match the highlighted words and phrase with their meanings.

1 spawning ground	(a) easily harmed or hurt physically or mentally
2 debris	(b) places where young plants are grown for planting somewhere else
3 nurseries	(c) a place where sea turtles and other animals such as fish and frogs leave their eggs
4 marine	(d) related to the sea
5 vulnerable	(e) broken pieces of something larger

4 Read the news items again and choose the correct answer.



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1. Where is the sea turtle spawning ground?
 - A. Con Dao Island
 - B. Ha Noi
 - C. Khanh Hoa
 - D. Nha Trang
2. Which of the following is NOT true about sea turtles?
 - A. Volunteers help sea turtles by burying them in the sand.
 - B. Their populations have gone down significantly.
 - C. They receive help from volunteers every year.
 - D. They are facing extinction all over the world.
3. Why did the management board of Nha Trang Bay have to monitor the number of divers and swimmers there?
 - A. To train more professional divers.
 - B. To restore the coral system.
 - C. To avoid putting pressure on the system.
 - D. To promote the natural habitat of the bay.

4. How many paintings will be on display in the wildlife exhibition?
 - A. Around 600.
 - B. Around 300.
 - C. Around 25.
 - D. Around 30.
5. What will happen to the paintings at the exhibition?
 - A. They will be donated to visitors.
 - B. They will be sold to raise money for wildlife conservation.
 - C. They will be shown in public places.
 - D. They will be given to different schools.