

QUIZ I –XII CYCLE

GRAMMAR

1 Complete the sentences with *for* or *since*.

- 1 I've been a doctor _____ 2010.
- 2 We've lived here _____ a long time.
- 3 I haven't seen Jun _____ Tuesday.
- 4 Antonia's been at work _____ 6 o'clock this morning.
- 5 Lily and Fred have been married _____ three years.

2 Complete the sentences. Put the verb in parentheses in the present perfect or the simple past.

- 1 We _____ (not see) Chen since she moved to Keelung City.
- 2 Kenji and his wife _____ (buy) a vacation home in Kyoto last year.
- 3 How long _____ you _____ (work) in this factory?
- 4 Monica _____ (not say) goodbye when she left.
- 5 My grandmother _____ (live) in Peru for ten years. She's really happy there.

3 Complete the second conditional sentences using the correct form of the verbs in parentheses.

- 1 If they _____ (have) enough money, they _____ (buy) a new car.
- 2 We _____ (travel) around India if we _____ (not have) young children.
- 3 Mia's parents _____ (be) disappointed if she _____ (not do) well at college.
- 4 You _____ (get) better grades if you _____ (work) harder.
- 5 If I _____ (be) you, I _____ (stop) smoking.

VOCABULARY

4 Complete the sentences with the words.

heights fear ~~afraid~~ suffers phobia panic
frightened

Example: I haven't swum in the ocean for years. I'm afraid of water.

- 1 I saw the spider and started to _____. My heart was beating very fast.
- 2 Sergio doesn't like the elevators at work. He _____ from a phobia of small spaces.
- 3 Jenny never travels by plane. She has a _____ about flying.
- 4 As a doctor, I regularly talk to people who are _____ of me.
- 5 I can't climb trees. I'm scared of _____.

5 Complete the life events with the correct verb. You can use some verbs more than once.

be fall get go have retire start

- 1 _____ children
- 2 _____ work
- 3 _____ married
- 4 _____ in love
- 5 _____ to college

6 Underline the word that does not belong.

- 1 whale chicken dolphin shark
- 2 pig horse tiger cow
- 3 spider bee butterfly mosquito
- 4 monkey elephant lion snake
- 5 goat mice cow bear

PRONUNCIATION

7 Match the words with the same sound.

butterfly crocodile ~~horse~~ lion pig
sheep

Example: born horse

- 1 separate _____
- 2 leave _____
- 3 divorce _____
- 4 love _____
- 5 retire _____

8 Underline the stressed syllable.

Example: pho|bia

- 1 frigh|tened
- 2 cro|co|dile
- 3 kan|ga|roo
- 4 di|vorced
- 5 gi|raffe

READING

1 Read the article and check (✓) A, B, or C.

Safety on safari

Do you want to see lions and elephants, buffalo and crocodiles, and many other wild animals? For 35 years Go Botswana has provided expert safari vacations. All safaris have an element of danger. That's what makes them fun! But do you know what the real dangers are?

Hippos

Hippos are the second largest animal in Africa – only the elephant is bigger. The males weigh as much as three small cars! Hippos are also the most dangerous land animal you will meet on a safari. That might sound surprising because most people think hippos are slow and lazy. But if you saw a hippo get angry, you'd change your mind pretty quickly. They can run very fast and they have very big teeth. In fact, they killed around 500 people across Africa last year. During hot African days, hippos need to keep cool. They spend almost all day asleep in rivers and lakes. It isn't a good idea to go swimming while you're on safari. We also suggest that you don't walk on the lake beaches at night because this is when hippos are awake.

Safety tips

If all safari tourists followed these simple rules, the number of people hurt by animals each year would go down.

- Stay in your vehicle. If you see an interesting animal, do not get out of your safari vehicle to take a picture. It's not a good idea to see how close you can get to a lion. Our drivers will get you to the closest and safest possible location.
- Don't wave at the animals. Animals can become aggressive if people wave their hands or other objects at them. Remember, humans are dangerous too – it's a good idea for these animals to be afraid of us.
- If you meet an animal that seems nervous, stay quiet and walk backwards to get away.
- Always wear walking boots and long socks. You will be walking in long grass and also on the beaches around our lake areas. Wearing the correct shoes will protect you from snakes, scorpions, and biting spiders.

- 1 Go Botswana has organized vacations for about 10 years.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 2 Safari vacations in Botswana can be dangerous.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 3 Hippos are bigger than elephants.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 4 Female hippos are more dangerous than male hippos.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐
- 5 Hippos spend most of the day in water.
A True ☐ B False ☐ C Doesn't say ☐

