1. Listen and write the words you hear

Speaker A:

Hi, Tim. Were you working on your …….?

Speaker B:

Yeah, I'm doing my presentation on Jenny Daltrey. She's a wildlife …….. Daltrey studies endangered species, different kinds of animals and plants, and their place in the ……..

Speaker A:

We're supposed to learn about someone who has faced ……..?

Speaker B:

and Daltrey has faced some real challenges. In Cambodia, she was looking for a kind of crocodile, the Siamese crocodile, and most scientists thought it was ……..

Speaker A:

Extinct? Is it even possible to find ……..?

Speaker B:

Well, Daltrey walked into areas where nobody ever went, and she found a large group of the crocodiles—200 to 300 of them—living in the wild. As a result of Daltrey's discovery of the Siamese crocodiles, the Cambodian government decided to …… 3 million acres of forest.

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Speaker A:

That's ……

Speaker B:

Yes. An island called Antigua has a ……..called the Antiguan racer. It was almost extinct too, but Daltrey led a snake conservation project.

Speaker A:

And how is the snake doing now?

Speaker B:

Well, although there are still challenges, they’re making ……..

Speaker A:

So that's quite an achievement. She saved an animal species, and it's an animal that most people don't even like.

Speaker B:

That is part of the problem. People sometimes kill the snakes, and rats also kill and eat the snakes. Even the weather is hard on the snakes—hurricanes and other storms.

Speaker A:

Well, you chose an interesting …… for the assignment.

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B 22 Listen to the conversation. Circle the correct options.

1. What is the man working on?
   a. a conservation project **b.** a presentation assignment
2. What did Daltry convince people in Cambodia to do?
   a. to care about the crocodiles **b.** to kill fewer crocodiles
3. What causes problems for the Antiguan Racer snakes?
   a. progress on the island **b.** people, rats, and bad weather
4. What will Tim probably talk about next?
   a. other things he learned about besides crocodiles and snakes
   b. other people he wrote about in his presentation

C 22 Listen again. Complete the statements with two or three words you hear.

1. The assignment is to learn about someone who _____.
2. As a result of Daltry's work, the Cambodian government decided to protect _____ acres of forest.
3. She saved _____, and it's an animal that most people don't even like.

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