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Evaluation Test

Recount Text

(Exercise 1)

Read these texts below and compare text A and text B with filling the table below!

Text A

Last vacation, I decided to visit the Dani tribe in Baliem Valley to do a little adventure.

First, I stopped at Muliama village, which was about 20 kilometres from Wamena, to enjoy the Baliem Cultural Festival. It was held for several days. People of the Dani were singing, dancing and playing their traditional music in the festival. They painted their faces with pig grease, clay, ash and fur. They held their bows, arrows and spears to act as if they were attacking each other. However, no blood was shed. It was all intended only as a threatening show of force.

When the festival ended, I chose to join a trekking trip to the spectacular villages of the Dani. The trip gave me an opportunity to see the real lifestyle of the Dani people. I saw great wooden bridges across the fast-flowing mountain rivers. I also learnt that men and women did not live in one traditional house. Another amazing thing that I learnt was that people missing fingers were a result of a custom whereby both men and women might cut off their fingers if they were left by the loved one.

My eight-day trip to Baliem Valley gave me a remarkable impression of how rich Indonesia's culture is.

Text B

Sean and Mark Saunders joined a tour to South Africa. There were eight tourists in the group and two National Park guards.

Early in the morning, the group arrived at the park. It was a beautiful and peaceful morning. They started their journey on a path near a small river. Along the way, they saw many kinds of animals roaming about, such as African buffaloes, elephants, and giraffes. Those animals drank from the river and then walked away.

Suddenly, Sean saw a black rhino among the bushes. He told the group, The tourists were so excited to see the rare animal. They took pictures of the animal, which was only a hundred meters away. Then the guards realised that it was a male rhino and it was a bit nervous by the tourists'presence on its territory, The guards made some noise by yelling and hitting their guns with their hands to scare the animal.

However, their efforts didn't work well. The action made the male black rhino angry, It charged towards the group. It was ready for a fight. Sean, who was very close to the animal, was its first target. The rhino struck him powerfully with its horn on his left leg. The rhino then turned to Mark who was trying to save his brother, The rhino hit Mark's chest. It broke some of Mark's rib bones.

One of the guards, then, aimed his gun at the rhino before it made another attack. He shot the rhino in its belly. The wounded animal escaped to the bushes.

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Categories	Text A	Text B
	Generic Structure	
Topic of text		

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Social Function		
1. Orientation		
2. Events		
3. Reorientation		
Language Features		
1. Past verb		
2. Past adverb of time		
3. Chronological connection		

(Exercise 2)

After reading two texts above, Read each statements below carefully. Place a T on the line if you think a statement it TRUE. Place an F on the line if you think the statement is FALSE and write the correction of statement!

No	Statement	True / False	Correction
Text A			
1	The writer enjoyed the Baliem Cultural Festival last vacation.		
2	When the festival ended, the writer didn't join a trekking trip to spectacular villages of the Dani .		
3	The people of Dani cut off parts their fingers to make opponents scared		
4	The trip gave the writer opportunity to see the real lifestyle of the Dani people.		
5	The Baliem Valley gave the writer a remarkable impression of how rich Indonesia's culture is		
Text B			
1	Sean and Mark are National Park guards		
2	Many kinds of animals drank from the river and then walked away.		
3	There was no an animal who felt annoying with the tourists		
4	The rhino hit Sean's chest and broke some of Sean's rib bones.		
5	One of the guards could shoot the rhino in its belly and it escaped to the bushes.		

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