



English Test 6th Grade

OA: To demonstrate reading comprehension of a short text, identifying explicit information and expressing what animals can or can't do.

I. Match the words with the correct definition. (5 points)

☐	A. HERBIVOROUS
☐	B. CULTURE
☐	C. HABITAT
☐	D. MAMMAL
☐	E. HUNTING

1. Type of warm-blooded animal that breast feeds their babies and usually has hair.

2. is an animal or insect that only eats vegetation, such as grasses, fruits, leaves, vegetables, roots and bulbs.

3. The ideas, customs, and social behaviour of a particular person or society

4. A place where a person or animal lives.

5. Is the practice of killing or trapping animals.

II. Read the text

Common name: Mountain Gorilla

Scientific name: Gorilla beringei beringei

Type: Mammals

Diet: Herbivorous

Average life span in the wild: Gorillas can live to over 40 years old

Size: 1.2 meters to 1.6. meters.

Weight: up to 200 kilograms



Gorillas are gentle giants and display many human-like behaviors and emotions, such as laughter and sadness. In fact, gorillas share 98.3% of their genetic code with humans, making them our closest cousins after chimpanzees and bonobos, they are mammals.

As their name implies, mountain gorillas habitat is in forests high in the mountains, at elevations of 8,000 to 13,000 feet. The mountain gorilla has longer hair, jaws and teeth, but slightly shorter arms, than the other subspecies. They have thicker fur, and more of it, compared to other great apes. The fur helps them to survive in a habitat where temperatures often drop below freezing. But as humans have moved more and more into the gorillas' territory, In the wild, gorillas can live to over 40 years old.

This subspecies consumes parts of at least 142 plant species and only 3 types of fruit (there is hardly any fruit available due to the high altitude). About 86% of their diet is leaves, shoots, and stems, 7% is roots, 3% is flowers, 2% is fruit, and 2% ants, snails, and grubs.

An adult male gorilla may consume more than 18 kg (40 lbs.) of vegetation per day, They can eat all day long.

Mountain gorillas are also illegally hunted for trophies and live infants. As many as 15 of Virunga's mountain gorillas may have been killed since the outbreak of civil war in 1990.

II. Complete the chart with the text information. (5 points)

Name	Scientific Name	Habitat	Food/diet	Characteristics

III. ANSWER the following questions with your own words. (4 points)

a) What is the gorillas's type of diet?

b) What does "herbivorous" mean?

d) What is the average life of the Mountain Gorilla?

e) How many kilograms of food does the gorilla eat?

IV. Describe your favorite animal (2 points each one = 12 points)

It is a/ an _____.

It is _____.

It can _____.

It has got _____.

It lives in _____.

It eats _____.

