

Previous Test on vocabulary and grammar (grade 8)
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ENGLISH, GRADE 8, SEMESTER ONE, 2nd SESSION

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GRAMMAR/VOCABULARY 1 (Items 1-5)

(2½ marks)

Complete the text. For each item, shade in the bubble next to the correct option.

The Arabian Leopard is the largest _____⁽¹⁾ cat in Arabia. Sixty years _____⁽²⁾ there were a lot of them in the mountains in Oman. You will probably never see a wild leopard nowadays because they are almost _____⁽³⁾. There are two reasons for this. Firstly, they were shot by _____⁽⁴⁾ for their valuable skins. Another reason is, losing of their _____⁽⁵⁾ that has made the number of leopards to become fewer.

1.

domestic

wild

tiny

2.

ago

last

old

3.

dangerous

several

extinct

4.

tour guides

hunters

zookeepers

5.

houses

habitats

countries

GRAMMAR/VOCABULARY 2 (Items 6-10)

(2½ marks)

Complete each sentence with **ONE** word only.

6. If you don't water your plants for several days, they _____ die.

7. He used _____ ride a bike, but now he drives a car.

8. I couldn't go to my friend's party _____ I was sick.

9. Please turn off the radio. It is _____ noisy.

10. I think reading stories is _____ most interesting hobby I ever had.

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GRM/ VCB 1 (2.5 mks)

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| 1. | <input type="radio"/> | domestic | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | wild | <input type="radio"/> | tiny |
| 2. | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | ago | <input type="radio"/> | last | <input type="radio"/> | old |
| 3. | <input type="radio"/> | dangerous | <input type="radio"/> | several | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | extinct |
| 4. | <input type="radio"/> | tour guide | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | hunters | <input type="radio"/> | zookeepers |
| 5. | <input type="radio"/> | houses | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | habitats | <input type="radio"/> | countries |

Notes: Half-a-mark each. Responses must be indicated clearly.

GRM/ VCB 2 (2.5 mks)

6. will
7. to
8. because
9. too
10. the

Notes: Half-a-mark each. Spelling must be correct.

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