Extra training

Revision Task 246

1. Fill in with:

wiped out *protect* *collaborates* *destroyed* *capture* *adjust*
confirm *increase* *battered* *proclaim*

1. During the epidemic of COVID-19 it's necessary to _____ yourself wearing a mask and gloves.
2. Many of the animal species were said to be _____ when an asteroid hit the Earth 65 million years ago.
3. The lynx in the zoo was injured and it was too hard to _____ to give it the medical treatment.
4. The leader of the Liberal Democratic party announced that he would _____ the new approach to social issues in the country.
5. WWF _____ with many other environmental groups.
6. The _____ in the pensions could not cover the rate of inflation.
7. When we called the hotel the clerk was eager to _____ our reservation.
8. The poor RNE results _____ all his plans to enter Moscow University.
9. When she was accepted to the company, she found it rather difficult to _____ to the new working schedule.

2. Fill in with:

destructive *coin* *natural* *keep in* *soil*
ozone *radical* *acid* *eye* *ruin*

1. _____of the storm
2. _____changes
3. _____captivity
4. _____the term
5. _____forces
6. _____-friendly
7. _____habitats
8. _____one's career
9. _____rain
10. _____fertility

3. Fill in the gaps with the necessary words using passive forms for the sentences to mean the same.

1. They say that George took the book a few moments ago.
   The book _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ by George a few moments before.
2. The factory has dumped large amounts of toxic waste into the lake.
   Large amounts of toxic waste _____ _____ _____ into the lake by the factory.
3. Greenpeace will hold a rally at the local stadium.
   A rally_____ _____ _____ at the local stadium by Greenpeace.
4. People say that the Earth is heating up too fast.
   The Earth _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ up too fast.
5. The local government is proposing a law to stop fishing at night.
   A law _____ _____ _____ by the local government to stop fishing at night.
6. The poachers caught twelve gorillas last month.
   Twelve gorillas _____ _____ by poachers last month.

4. Complete each of the sentences using the word in bold.

1. It would have been better if they hadn't built the power plant here.

only If _____ _____ _____ _____ built the power plant here.

2. We didn't go on that holiday because it wasn't environmentally friendly.

been If _____ _____ _____ _____ environmentally friendly, we would have gone.

3. She didn't join the organisation and now she can't go to the meeting.

wished She _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ organisation, so she could go to the meeting.

4. Firefighters evacuated the area.

was The area _____ _____ _____ firefighters.

5. They ought to have banned salmon fishing on the lake by now.

been Salmon fishing _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ on the lake by now.

5. Rewrite the sentences, filling the missing words; mind the inverted word order.

1. As soon as it got hot and windy, a forest fire broke out.
No sooner _____ _____ _____ hot and windy _____ a forest fire broke it.

2. I have never seen Oksana so beautiful before.
Never _____ _____ _____ Oksana so beautiful before.

3. He was admitted to the club after his friend had recommended him.
Only when _____ _____ _____ recommended by his friend _____ _____ admitted to the club.

4. If we had known what they would ask we could have prepared the answer.
_____ _____ _____ they would ask we could have prepared the answer.

5. The number of species disappearing will never decrease unless people stop polluting.
Not until _____ _____ polluting _____ _____ _____ of species disappearing decrease.

5. Complete the missing prepositions.

1. The group stands _____ _____ the rights of animals.

2. Shelley didn't know what RSPCA stands _____.

3. After the teacher found the reason of their absence from the test he let them _____ with the promise to rewrite it later.

4. It was rather hard for the girl to recover _____ the serious illness. She didn't want to follow the doctor's instructions and he strongly insisted _____ a diet of fruit and vegetables.

5. The test will consist _____ a few complicated tasks.