

Reading & Writing M.6

Part A: Choose the correct their definitions of words. (10 scores)

1. extinct

- a. To need or depend on somebody/something.
- b. A new or difficult task that tests somebody's ability and skill.
- c. a type of plants, animals, etc) no longer in existence.
- d. Any animal that gives birth to live babies, not eggs, and feeds its young on milk.

2. mammal

- a. A living thing, real or imaginary, that can move around, such as an animals.
- b. To need or depend on somebody/something.
- c. Any animal that gives birth to live babies, not eggs, and feeds its young on milk.
- d. The state that something is in.

3. creature

- a. The state that something is in.
- b. To need or depend on somebody/something.
- c. A living thing, real or imaginary, that can move around, such as an animals.
- d. A new or difficult task that tests somebody's ability and skill.

4. challenge

- a. a type of plants, animals, etc) no longer in existence.
- b. Any animal that gives birth to live babies, not eggs, and feeds its young on milk.
- c. To need or depend on somebody/something.
- d. A new or difficult task that tests somebody's ability and skill.

5. convicted

- a. To enter illegally.
- b. To meet or find somebody/something by chance.
- c. To recognise and be able to say who or what they are.
- d. To decide and state officially in court that somebody is guilty of a crime.

6. evidence

- a. To recognise and be able to say who or what they are
- b. To meet or find somebody/something by chance.
- c. Something that helps the police decide who the criminal is
- d. A person who sees something happen and is able to describe it to other people

7. investigate

- a. Something that helps the police decide who the criminal is
- b. To carefully examine the facts of a situation, an event, a crime, etc. to find out the truth about it or how it happened
- c. To enter illegally.
- d. To recognise and be able to say who or what they are

8. identify

- a. To recognise and be able to say who or what they are
- b. To enter illegally.
- c. A person who sees something happen and is able to describe it to other people
- d. To decide and state officially in court that somebody is guilty of a crime.

9. come across

- a. To meet or find somebody/something by chance.
- b. To recognise and be able to say who or what they are
- c. To decide and state officially in court that somebody is guilty of a crime.
- d. To enter illegally.

10. witness

- a. A person who sees something happen and is able to describe it to other people
- b. To decide and state officially in court that somebody is guilty of a crime.
- c. To enter illegally.
- d. To recognise and be able to say who or what they are.

Part B: (item 11-20) Read the passage then answer the questions. (10 scores)

Fingerprints

- 2 Early on the morning of 19 September 1910, Clarence Hiller's wife noticed that a light which they usually left on was off. When Clarence went to investigate, he came across a stranger at the top of the stairs. The stranger had broken in and was about to burgle the house. Hiller and the stranger started to fight, but the stranger had a gun. He shot Hiller twice and ran away. Hiller's wife ran to him when she heard the gunshots but found him dead. Soon after, the police arrested a man named Thomas Jennings not far from the Hillers' house.

Choose the correct answer "Fingerprints" (4 scores)

11. What does "they" in line 2 refer to?

- a. the stranger
- b. Thomas Jennings
- c. Mr. and Mrs. Hiller
- d. the polices

12. What does "he" in line 2 refer to?

- a. the stranger
- b. Thomas Jennings
- c. Mr. Hiller
- d. the police

13. What does "he" in line 4 refer to?

- a. the stranger
- b. Thomas Jennings
- c. Mr. and Mrs. Hiller
- d. the police

14. What does "him" in line 5 refer to?

- a. the stranger
- b. Thomas Jennings
- c. Hiller's wife
- d. Mr.Hiller

15. What does "she" in line 5 refer to?

- a. the stranger
- b. Thomas Jennings
- c. Hiller's wife
- d. the police

16. Who is Thomas Jennings?

- a. Mr.Hiller
- b. the stranger
- c. Clarence
- d. the police

Mammoth ice block

- 2 One person who has spent many years studying woolly mammoths is the French explorer Bernard Buigues. To find the mammoths, Buigues relies on tribes that live in the frozen areas where the creatures once lived. One of these tribes, the Dolgans, live on Siberia's frozen Taimyr Peninsula. The Dolgans knew of many places where frozen woolly mammoths could be found and often used mammoth tusks for tools.

17. Who is the expert on woolly mammoths?

- a. The Dolgans
- b. The creatures
- c. One person
- d. Bernard Buigues

18. Where did he find them?

- a. France
- b. Siberia's frozen
- c. Peninsula
- d. the frozen areas

19. What are the Dolgans?

- a. the France explorer
- b. Siberia's frozen
- c. Taimyr Peninsula
- d. One of tribes

20. What did the Dolgans use mammoths tusks for?

- a. find the other creatures once lived.
- b. often used for tools
- c. woolly clothes
- d. could be found some foods