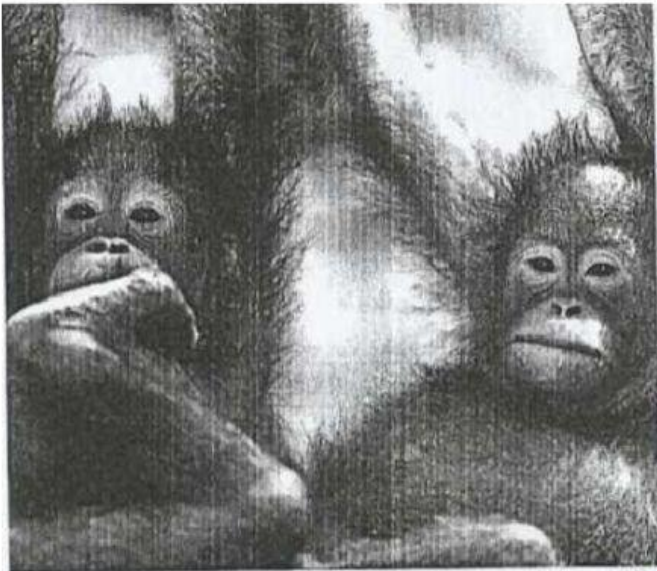


Caring for the environment

1. Read and complete the text with the words in the box.

about continue biofuels lorries
hundreds months safe tropical
wood nest land destroyed

left protected village orphans
extinct help enough reserve
survive orphanage zoos



Kimba is a young orangutan. She was born in a ¹ tropical rainforest on the island of Borneo in Indonesia. She lived in a ² _____ that was built by her mother. It was at the top of a tall tree, and Kimba felt ³ _____ there. Then, when Kimba was only five ⁴ _____ old, people came with chainsaws and ⁵ _____. All the trees were cut down. Kimba's nest was ⁶ _____ and her mother was killed. Every year, ⁷ _____ of orangutans are killed like this. There are only ⁸ _____ 40,000 orangutans in South-East Asia now, but people will ⁹ _____ to destroy the forests where they live. The ¹⁰ _____ is sold for thousands of dollars and the ¹¹ _____ is used to plant palm trees. The oil from these trees is used to make ¹² _____ for cars.

Usually the young orangutans are just ¹³ _____ to die, but Kimba was lucky. She was taken to the Orangutan Care Centre in the ¹⁴ _____ of Pasir



Panjang. The centre has an ¹⁵ _____ for young orangutans.

Here Kimba will be looked after with the other 339 ¹⁶ _____ that are there. They will be fed and taught how to ¹⁷ _____ in the forest.

When they are old ¹⁸ _____, Kimba and her friends will be released in a nature ¹⁹ _____ at Lamandau. Here they will be ²⁰ _____. But scientists are worried that soon orangutans will only survive in nature reserves and ²¹ _____. They will become ²² _____ in the wild. The orangutans need our ²³ _____ to protect the forests that are their homes.





2. Choose the correct words.

Orangutans live in _____. When the trees are cut down, the wood is _____.
 They build _____ in trees. Kimba's mother was _____.
 The land is used for _____. The oil is used to make _____.
 Kimba was taken to _____. Kimba will be taken to _____ when she's old enough.
 Orangutans will become _____ in the wild soon.

3.

a ** 1.25 Listen to some teenagers talking about the environment. What does each person talk about? Choose from these topics and write them in column B.

electricity transport recycling
 heating packaging food waste

A	B	C
 1 Jun	recycling	paper,
 2 Delia		
 3 Henry		
 4 Olivia		

b 1.25 Listen again. What examples do they give? Write two examples for each person in column C.



**REUSE
 REDUCE
 RECYCLE**

