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1 Five sentences clearly showing meaning of given words (5 x 1)

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2 Equivalents of five given words (5 x 1)

Note: In Questions 3 and 4 there are standard deductions in the 5 marks available for language if any question receives a zero mark. Please refer to the list on page 3.

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3 Suggested answers

پرانے زمانے میں چڑیا گھروں کی کیاصورت حال تھی؟ بہت *رُدا حال تھا۔ حال خراب تھااور کام کرنے والے جانو روں کی د کمیے بھال ہیں کرتے تھے۔*

[2]

[3]

Very bad conditions, workers were cruel and didn't look after the animals.

ماضی میں اور موجود ہ دور میں چڑیا گھر کے بارے میں تماشائیوں کی طرز فکر میں کیا تبدیلیاں آئیں؟ پرانے زمانے میں اوگ جانوروں کو تک کرنے اور ان کی مجیب حرکتوں کا نداق اڑائے جاتے تھے ۔ آج کل اوگ ان کے بارے میں جانا جاجے ہیں اور ان کو نقصان پنجانے کی موج نہیں رکھتے۔

In old times people came to laugh at the animals' antics and to tease them.

Nowadays people want to know about the animals and don't want to see them hurt.

مصنف کےمطابق چڑیا گھروں کےکون کون سے فرائض ہوتے ہیں؟ چڑیا گھر کے کردار جانوروں کی دیکھ بھال تا کہلوگ ان کے بارے میں معلومات حاصل کرسکتے ہیں اورا بسے جانوروں کا تحفظ کرنا جن کوشتم ہونے کا خطرو ہے۔ بچوں کی تعلیم -

Roles are to look after the animals and find out about them AND to protect those in danger of dying out in the wild.

مصنف نے پانڈ اکا ذکر کیوں کیا؟ پانڈ اکا ذکر اس لیے کیا گیا ہے کیونکہ پانڈ ا جانوروں کے تحفظ کی زندومثال ہے۔اداروں نے اس کے تحفظ کے لیے بہت محنت کی ہےاور آخر کارچڑیا گھروں میں اس کی افز اکش نسل کا پروگرام کامیاب ہوتا جارہا ہے۔

The panda is a living example of conservation. Lots of effort to save it and now there is a successful breeding programme in zoos. [3]

آپ کی رائے میں جنگلی جانوروں کا تحفظ کیون ضروری ہے؟ تفصیل سے بتائے۔ اس سوال کا جواب متمن مِنحصر مبیں ۔امیدواروں کوانی رائے صفی ہوگی اور تتمن سے پچھ علومات حاصل کر سکتے ہیں۔

This is an open question not dependant on the text. Candidates have to give their opinion and can use information from the text. [4]

[Total: 15 + 5 for accuracy = 20]

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Quality of Language: Accuracy (for question 3)

5 Very good

Consistently accurate. Only very few errors of minor significance. Accurate use of more complex structures (verb forms, tenses, prepositions, word order).

4 Good

Higher incidence of error than above, but clearly has a sound grasp of the grammatical elements in spite of lapses. Some capacity to use accurately more complex structures.

3 Sound

Fair level of accuracy. Common tenses and regular verbs mostly correctly formed. Some problems forming correct agreement of adjectives. Difficulty with irregular verbs, use of prepositions.

2 Below average

Persistent errors in tense and verb forms. Prepositions frequently incorrect. Recurrent errors in agreement of adjectives.

0-1 Poor

Little or no evidence of grammatical awareness. Most constructions incomplete or incorrect. Consistent and repeated error.

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4 Comprehension

Suggested answers

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نہ ہی کتابوں میں جانوروں کے متعلق کیا بتایا گیاہے؟ ان نہ ہی کتابوں میں خدانے انسان کو جانوروں پر برتری دی ہے۔

All the great religious books give mankind superiority over animals.

جانوروں کے حقوق کے بارے میں مصنف کی کیارائے ہے؟ مصنف کہتا ہے کہ جانوروں کوانسان جیسے حقوق دینا پراناخیال نہیں ہے۔ وہ سجھتا ہے کہاس صدی کے انسانی حقوق کا فطری متیجہ ہے

The author says that it is not an old idea. It is the natural result of the 20th century's thoughts about human rights.

ہے گناہ انسانوں کی مثال سے مصنف کیا مقصد حاصل کرنا چاہتا ہے؟ اپنا جواب مثالوں سے واضح کیجیے۔ کیونکہ وہ ہمیں دکھانا چاہتا ہے کہانسان ہے گناہ جانوروں کوقید یوں کی طرح پنجروں میں بند کرتے ہیں۔ اس نے شیراور ہاتھی کی مثالیں ویں۔ایسے جانور مگر پنجرے جیسے غیرفطری ماحول میں بند کرکے وہ نفسیاتی مسائل کا شکار بن جاتے ہیں۔

He uses the example of big animals like lions and elephants to show us what it is like locking up innocent prisoners. He gives us examples of big animals who when shut in a small unnatural cage exhibit mental problems. [3]

He says that animals are held in small cages which is against nature. In the wild animals travel and even fly long distances.

اس عبارت میں مصنف نے پاغرا کے بارے میں کن مسائل کا ذکر کیا ہے؟ انہوں نے پاغراک بارے میں ان مسائل کا ذکراس لیے کیا ہے کیونکہ وہ ہمیں سجھانا چاہجے ہیں کداگران کا شخط اوران کی افزائش نسل اپنے قدرتی ماحول میں کی جاتی بہت سے مختلف پاغراؤں کی نسلوں سے کی جاسکتی۔ چڑیا گھروں میں ایک بی نسل کے پاغراؤں کا استعمال کرنا مستقبل میں جنسی مسائل بیدا کرسکتا ہے۔

He mentions pandas' problems because he wants to explain to us that in the wild breeding pandas could have been done with different 'races' of pandas but in zoos it is only one 'race' of panda that is used which leads to future problems. [4]

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Quality of Language: Accuracy (for question 4)

5 Very good

Consistently accurate. Only very few errors of minor significance. Accurate use of more complex structures (verb forms, tenses, prepositions, word order).

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5 Comprehension Essays

These are marked according to published mark grid.



Points to be included:

Two opposing arguments here:

On one side, zoos are bad for animals, they are stuck in cages which causes physical and mental torment.

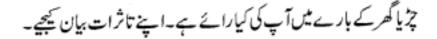
People see them as things to be laughed at.

They are better off in the wild unless there are exceptional circumstances.

On the other hand modern zoos are essential for finding out more about animals and especially to find ways to conserve those in danger of extinction in the wild.

The panda is a great example, very endangered but now breeding programme ensures their survival.

[10]



Response should be only 40 words long so not much detail can be given.

Candidates own appropriate experience is important here.

Two or three appropriate points should be given.

[5]

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Quality of Language: Accuracy (for question 5a)

5 Very good

Consistently accurate. Only very few errors of minor significance. Accurate use of more complex structures (verb forms, tenses, prepositions, word order).

4 Good

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