
Case study based questions
10th English

How to Tell Wild Animals

Passage - 1

5 Marks

Read the following extract carefully and answer the questions that follow:

"If you have any doubts, I guess
He'll give you just one more caress.
Though to distinguish beasts of prey
A novice might nonplus"

Q1. (1) He' in second line is a bear.

Q2. (3) He' will embrace the human being tightly.

Q3. (4) We may have doubt about the strength of the bear.

Q4. (2) Distinguishing beasts of prey can nonplus a victim.

Q5. (3) A gentle touch

Passage - 2

5 Marks

Read the following extract carefully and answer the questions that follow:

"The Crocodile you always may
Tell from the Hyena thus:
Hyenas come with merry smiles;
But if they weep they're Crocodiles."

Q1. (2) Hyenas come with merry smiles.

Q2. (1) Crocodiles are distinct by their weeping.

Q3. (3) A crocodile is always weeping while a hyena looks always smiling.

Q4. (2) Weep

Q5. (4) Bewail

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Read the following extract carefully and answer the questions that follow:

"The true Chameleon is small,
A lizard sort of thing;
He hasn't any ears at all,
And not a single wing.
If there is nothing on the tree,
'Tis the chameleon you see."

Q1. (1) Chameleon looks like a lizard. It does not have ears and wings.

Q2. (2) Chameleon is generally found on trees.

Q3. (3) The chameleon is similar to lizards.

Q4. (4) We can't see the chameleon on the trees because it can change its body colour according to its surroundings.

Q5. (4) The poet wants to entertain the reader by funnily suggesting dangerous ways to identify wild animals.

Passage - 2

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Read the following extract carefully and answer the questions that follow:

"Or if some time when roaming round,
A noble wild beast greets you,
With black stripes on a yellow ground,

Just notice if he eats you.
This simple rule may help you learn
The Bengal Tiger to discern."

Q1. (1) The Bengal Tiger would be seen roaming around.

Q2. (3) The beast is yellow with black stripes on its body.

Q3. (2) The poetic device used in line 1 is alliteration.

Q4. (1) roaming round

Q5. (4) Or if some time when roaming round..
