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**Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow.**

**All About Hippos**

The word 'hippopotamus' means "river horse", but the hippopotamus is actually more closely related to a pig than to a horse. (1)

It is a large animal that lives in rivers and in wet and damp places. Its eyes, ears and nose are on the top of its head. This allows it to see, hear and breathe while most of its head is under the water. The nostrils and ears of the hippopotamus can be closed so that water does not enter them when it goes under the water completely. The hippopotamus is a very good swimmer and moves with great quickness in the water. It can go 11 metres under the water. It can stay underwater for periods of five minutes or more. (2)

At night, it comes on land to eat grass, leaves and fruit, but it never goes very far from the water. If it feels that it is going to be attacked, it usually runs back to the water. (3)



**Source (edited): 'What Does a Hippopotamus Do All Day', A Child's First Library of Learning, Time Life Series, Volume 5, Educational Technologies limited.**

**Q: 1 Where does the hippopotamus live?**

**1** on land

**2** in dry places

**3** under the water

**4** in water and on land

**Q: 2 From the passage, we can say that a hippopotamus \_\_\_\_\_.**

**1** is a very shy animal

**2** moves fast in the water

**3** likes to eat during the day

**4** mostly sleeps under the water

**Q: 3 Where does the hippopotamus get its food from?**

**1** from land

**2** from underwater

**3** from other animals

**4** from nearby ponds

**Q: 4 From paragraph 3, we can say that the hippopotamus is a \_\_\_\_\_ animal.**

**1** lazy

**2** strong

**3** careful

**4** cunning



**Q: 5 What is special about the nostrils and ears of the hippopotamus when it is underwater?**

- 1** They can shake in the water.
- 2** They stop water from entering inside.
- 3** They help in breathing easily under water.
- 4** They can hear sounds that are above the water.

**Q: 6 The last line of the passage tells us that the water is likely to be \_\_\_\_\_ for the hippopotamus.**

- 1** a guard
- 2** an enemy
- 3** a teacher
- 4** an attacker

**End of Passage Related Questions**

**Q: 7 Which word is SECOND in ALPHABETICAL ORDER (A-B-C order)?**

- 1** shirt
- 2** frock
- 3** pants
- 4** coat

**Q: 8 Choose the set of words that is in the correct alphabetical (A-B-C) order.**

- 1** ludo, monopoly, tambola, scrabble, chess
- 2** ludo, chess, monopoly, tambola, scrabble
- 3** chess, ludo, monopoly, scrabble, tambola
- 4** chess, tambola, scrabble, monopoly, ludo

**Q: 9 Choose the word group that is in the correct A-B-C order.**

- 1** eagle, hawk, kite, flamingo, swan, duck
- 2** duck, eagle, flamingo, hawk, kite, swan
- 3** flamingo, kite, swan, hawk, duck, eagle
- 4** swan, kite, flamingo, duck, eagle, hawk

**Q: 10 Choose the sentence with the correct punctuation.**

- 1** I bought a doll a bag a dress and a box of sweets.
- 2** I bought a doll a bag a dress and, a box of sweets.
- 3** I bought a doll, a bag a dress and a box of sweets.
- 4** I bought a doll, a bag, a dress and a box of sweets.

**Q: 11 In which sentence are capital letters used correctly?**

- 1** Maria said she will go to spain in june.
- 2** Maria said she will go to Spain in june.
- 3** Maria said she will go to Spain in June.
- 4** Maria said She will go to spain in june.

**Q: 12 Choose the correct option for the blanks in the sentence below.**

**On \_\_\_ hot afternoon, Sita ate \_\_\_ ice-cream cake that \_\_\_ friend had given her.**

- 1** a - an - a
- 2** a - a - a
- 3** an - an - a
- 4** an - a - a



**Q: 13** This picture shows many fruits. Before the name of which fruit is "an" used correctly?

**1** an banana**2** an orange**3** an pear**4** an peach

**Q: 14** In which sentence is the comma used correctly?

**1** The magazines that Salma reads are: Champak Chandamama Gokulam, and Khushi.**2** The magazines that Salma reads are, Champak Chandamama, Gokulam and Khushi.**3** The magazines that Salma reads are: Champak, Chandamama Gokulam and, Khushi.**4** The magazines that Salma reads are: Champak, Chandamama, Gokulam and Khushi.

**Q: 15** Choose the correct option to complete the sentence below.

Harish plays \_\_\_ piano and his father plays \_\_\_ guitar.

**1** a - an**2** the - the**3** an - an**4** an - a.

**End of Questions in Paper**