

Course No: EENG 1306
Course Title: Reading` (1)
Date: 18 / 04 /2019
No. of Questions: (4)
Time: 1 hour
Using Calculator (No)

University of Palestine

2nd mid-term Exam
2018 / 2019
Total Grade: 30 marks

Instructor Name: All Teachers
Student No.: _____
Student Name: _____
College Name: Education
Dep. / Specialist: _____
Using Dictionary (No)

Question One: Read the following passage and answer the questions below. (15 marks)

Do you know how animals are caught for a zoo? I often think that this must be one of the most interesting but the most difficult job in the world. Hunting animals is fairly easy, but catching them alive is both difficult and dangerous. A hunter risks his life and many hunters are injured or killed during catching fierce animals. An animal collector is a hunter, and at the same time a scientist. He must be an expert who knows how and where to find animals, birds or insects that he wants. In addition, he should know how to feed and look after animals when he catches them.

There are many ways of hunting and catching animals. Traps are usually built for flesh – eating animals. A trap can be very simple, just a large hole covered with branches and sand; or it can be a kind of cage with a door that shuts as soon as the animal touches the meat inside it.

Some animals can't be easily transported. For example, an elephant is too heavy to lift, and a giraffe six metres high is difficult to take. Small snakes are caught with nets or sharp sticks. However, a large snake, like ten – metres long must be hunted when it is sleepy after eating some animals. It usually sleeps for several days after the huge meal.

Each different animal is a special problem for the collector. He may need a ladder for climbing trees or reaching birds' nests. His troubles do not end by catching the animals but they must be kept in the zoo. The animals must learn to like the new food. Some animals become ill if they change their food, and the collector must be patient while feeding them. If he is not successful in this, he must let the animal go, or send it to a zoo where it can easily find the right food.

A. Give full answer to these questions. (6 marks)

- a) Is catching animals an easy job? Why?
.....
- b) What is an animal collector?
.....
- c) How can huge snakes be caught?
.....
- d) What does flesh – eating animals mean?
.....
- e) What happen to some animals when their food changes?
.....
- f) What does the passage tell us about catching animals?
.....

B. Complete these statements with a suitable word or phrase. (4 marks)

- 1. The main idea of the passage is about
- 2. A trap means
- 3. If the hunted animals didn't like their new food, collectors

4. A huge snake should be hunted when it

C. Find the meanings (synonyms) of these words from the passage. (5 marks)

- a) A box in which animals or birds are kept =
- b) To take care of someone by helping him =
- c) To give food to a person or an animal =
- d) Consists of two long pieces of wood or metal used for climbing walls =
- e) A place where animals of many kinds are kept so that people can go and watch them =

Question Two: Choose the correct synonym of the underlined word. (8 marks)

- 1. It is inevitable that smoking will damage your health.
a) difficult b) favourable c) firm d) unavoidable
- 2. Reading a daily newspaper will make you aware of what is going on in the world.
a) knowledgeable b) alike c) ignorant d) dependent
- 3. A person who has no money.
a) modest b) generous c) traditional d) penniless
- 4. His ignorance of the best ways of investing in the stock market brought him to the brink of ruin.
a) peak b) edge c) break d) bank
- 5. If you don't get to work on time, your boss will dismiss you.
a) hire b) rebel c) praise d) fire
- 6. Your fitness obviously depends upon the amount of food, exercise, and rest you get.
a) readiness b) health c) preparation d) sleep
- 7. I prefer bright colours in my bedroom.
a) shining b) changeable c) dull d) light
- 8. How often do you go to the gym? Twice a week.
a) Where b) How c) Why d) How many times

Question Three: Fill in the blank with the correct word according to the context of the sentence.

(7 marks)

- 1. Students in many school activities every Thursday.
a) engage b) leave c) feel d) have
- 2. She suffered from back pain after the accident.
a) silly b) different c) acute d) hot
- 3. Those two guys are friends. They always sit together in class.
a) better b) intimate c) serious d) heavy
- 4. There is still no cure for the common cold.
a) effective b) beautiful c) much d) happy
- 5. Because his wife was, he learned how to do the housework himself.
a) active b) useful c) sure d) foolish
- 6. I ate lunch with a most group of my friends.
a) cheerful b) dark c) able d) deep
- 7. She came for Christmas with gifts for everyone.
a) lifted b) loaded c) later d) likely

=====

