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	A. Vocabulary(6 points)											
2	Fill in the following blanks using the word bank. defend/means/donate/ destroyed/hopefully 1. A: "I really didn't mean to get you emotionally....." B: "Never mind , you should have thought about what you were saying." 2. A: "Excuse me, Sir! I can't understand this new word." B: "If you don't know what the word, look it up in a dictionary." 3. A: "You look depressed, What happened to your close friend?" B: "He had brain death and his family decided to.....his vital organs for transplantation." 4. A: "What do you plan to do for those endangered species which are going to die out?" B: "....., our organization took responsibility to save them."	1										
2	Choose the best answer. (vocabulary) 1. A: "Do you know what Ali does these days?" B: "Yeah, Until veryhe has worked as an English teacher." a. verily○ b. recently○ c. dangerously○ d. carefully○ 2. A: "I never forget the favor you have done to me to myday." B: "You're welcome, I have done nothing." a. getting○ b. hiring○ c. dying○ d. opening○ 3. A: "Why did he come out of the manager's room with heart?" B: "I don't know what happened in that room." a. light○ b. heavy○ c. crying○ d. upset○ 4. A: "Is Mercury's different from other planets ones?" B: "Yeah. This is the reason why Mercury is the nearest planet to the Sun." a. orbit○ b. ring○ c. moon○ d. nature○	2										
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B. Grammar (6 points)		
2	<p>Write the correct forms of the words in parenthesis.</p> <p>1. She is standing at the edge of the cliff. She..... (will fall /is going to fall)</p> <p>2. Life is a pure adventure. Theyou get,.....you understand(older-the more /old-the most)</p> <p>3. Some <u>research</u> involves gathering from various sources. (data/datum)</p> <p>4. By doing that bizarre behavior ,he showed his true(personality/personalities)</p>	4
2	<p>Find four mistakes in the following passage and correct them.</p> <p>One of my close friend 'job is animal husbandry. He has two child. They live in a beautiful small village. They keep a lot of goats. A wolf will hunt one of their goats last year. But, they didn't hunt wolves because they are endangered species. His son is going to become a postmen, but her daughter is going to be a dentist.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1. 2. 3. 4.</p>	5
2	<p>Choose the best answer. (structure)</p> <p>1. A: "What would you like to drink, Sir?" B: "I a glass of milk, please." a. am having○ b. have○ c. will have○ d. is going to have○</p> <p>2. A: "What's the matter, you look puzzling?" B: "I've got with my computer. It isn't connecting to" a. some problem/Internet○ b. the problem/the Internet○ c. a problem/the Internet○ d. a problem/an Internet○</p> <p>3. A: "Can I help you?" B: "Yes, I am looking for a dress for my daughter." a. small pink cotton○ b. small cotton pink○ c. pink small cotton○ d. cotton small pink○</p> <p>4. A: "Do you have room in the hotel?" B: "Honestly speaking, this is..... room we have available." a. The bigger/biggest○ b. a bigger/the biggest○ c. bigger/the biggest○ d. big/the biggest○</p>	6
C. Writing (4 points)		
2	<p>Unscramble the words in each group to make meaningful sentences.</p> <p>1. protection/animals/need/endangered/and/attention/close/.</p> <p>2. beautiful/have/never/I/brown/forgotten/that/large/wooden/table/.</p>	7
2	<p>Identify the types of nouns in the following sentences.(idea, thing, place, proper,...)</p> <p>1. In the <u>Amazon forest</u>, various <u>species</u> of rare <u>plants</u> and animals could be found.</p> <p>2. <u>Iran's plains</u> are the natural <u>habitat</u> for black <u>bear</u>.</p>	8

D. Reading Comprehension (8 points)

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Fill in the following text using the options given below it.

Many people in the world tend to travel to south Africa. It is a scorching hot1....., but people would like to have a safe voyage there to visit2..... My parents said that we3.....there next week. I wonder how many animals live there but I am fond of seeing all of them. My father says we cannot4.....wild animals as they may attack us .The folks over there know the animals fully well and we will need their help to achieve our aim.

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| 1. a. country○ | b. continent○ | c. planet○ | d. tropical○ |
| 2. a. museum○ | b. wildlife○ | c. countryside○ | d. malls○ |
| 3. a. are going○ | b. will be gone○ | c. will go○ | d. going○ |
| 4. a. converse○ | b. improve○ | c. educate○ | d. approach○ |

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Text One: Read the following text and answer the questions after it.

Earth is the planet we live on. It is the fifth largest planet and the third planet from the Sun with only Mercury and Venus being closer. It is the only planet known to have life on it. It is one of four rocky planets on the inside of the Solar System. The other three are Mercury, Venus and Mars. It is the largest of the rocky planets moving around the sun by size. It is much smaller than Jupiter. Earth is the only planet in our solar system that has a large amount of liquid water. About 71% of the surface of Earth is covered by oceans. No other planet has oceans, other life forms, and enough oxygen. Because we have so much water, Earth is called the Blue Planet. Because of its water, Earth is home to millions of species of plants and animals.

- Why is the earth called the blue planet?
.....
- Which planets are rocky?
.....
- There is life on other planets. True○ False○
- Earth is bigger than Jupiter. True○ False○
- Earth is the largest rocky planets. True○ False○
- It is the fifth largest planet and the third planet from the Sun with only Mercury and Venus being closer. This sentence means that
 a. Venus is closer to the Sun than Earth○
 b. Earth is closer to the Sun than Venus○
 c. Mercury isn't closer to the Sun than Earth○
 d. Earth is closer to the Sun than Mercury○

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Text Two: Read the following text and answer the questions after it.

Tigers are hunted for many reasons. People have long valued the famous striped skins. Though trading tiger skins is now illegal in most parts of the world, tiger fur is worth around \$10,000 on the black-market. Though the fur would be encouraging enough for most hunters, other parts of the tiger can also fetch a pretty penny.

Some people in China and other Asian cultures believe that various tiger parts have curing properties. Traditional Chinese medicine calls for the use of tiger bones, amongst other parts, in some medical writings. Tigers have also been hunted as game. In other words people hunted tigers just for the excitement and pleasure of killing them. Such killings took place in large scale during the 19th and early 20th centuries, when a single maharaja or English hunter might claim to kill over a hundred tigers in their hunting career. Though this practice is much less popular today than it was in the past, it has not stopped entirely.

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Though tiger population faces many threats to recovery, there have been some successes in conservation and preservation efforts. For example, Save China's Tigers, an organization working to restore the wild tiger population, successfully rewilded a small number of South China tigers. These tigers were born into cages from parents who were also prisoners and unable to stay and nourish in the wild.

1. Information in the first paragraph is *mainly* organized using which text structure?
 - a. Cause and effect
 - b. Compare and contrast
 - c. Chronological order
 - d. Spatial order
2. Based on context, which *best* defines the term "rewilded" as used in the last paragraph?
 - a. To preserve animals by keeping them in zoos
 - b. To teach animals to coexist with humans
 - c. To teach humans to coexist with animals
 - d. To bring animals born in zoos back to nature
3. What does this idiom mean: "*other parts of the tiger can also fetch a pretty penny*"?
 - a. The fur is the only valuable part of the tiger.
 - b. Other parts of the tiger are worth a lot of money.
 - c. The tiger is a very beautiful animal.
 - d. Tigers can be trained to do tricks like in the circus.
4. Which of the following could be best supported by information from the text?
 - a. Efforts to save tigers have had some success, but there are many obstacles to recovery.
 - b. Efforts to save tigers have failed in the past, but there is reason to continue trying.
 - c. Efforts to save tigers have been so successful that they saved tigers from endangerment.
 - d. Efforts to save tigers have failed completely.
5. The population of tigers are increasing gradually. True False
6. In the past, tigers were used for medical treatment. True False