

1 What climate would you like to live in? Why?

I would like to live in warm / cold / moderate / tropical / Mediterranean climate, because I like high temperatures / low temperatures / I don't like insects / I hate being cold.

2 What natural disasters do you know? Can you describe one?

There are different natural disasters such as volcanic eruptions, tsunami, floods, hurricanes, tornadoes and earthquakes.

A tsunami is a huge, powerful wave which is the result of an underwater earthquake.

An earthquake is a situation when the ground shakes and many structures such as roads and buildings collapse or are destroyed.

A volcanic eruption is an explosion of gases and lava caused by high pressure inside a volcano. When a volcano erupts, it sends fire, smoke and rock into the air.

3 How can we protect endangered species?

In order to protect endangered species we must introduce special laws which will protect them / should protect the animals from poachers / must ban hunting for animals / ought to create nature reserves or sanctuaries / should teach and educate people about the importance of animals.

4 Would you like to take part in a photo safari?

Yes, I would like to take part in a photo safari because I love animals / I would like to see animals close up / it would be an unforgettable experience.

No, I would not like to take part in a safari because animals scare me / Africa seems a very dangerous place / I do not want to disturb animals / because a safari costs a lot of money.

5 What are the pros and cons of zoos?

Zoos protect endangered animals / give animals shelter and protection / have an educational purpose, young children can see and learn a lot about different animals / provide animals with veterinary care / guarantee animals food / run breeding programs.

Zoos are like prisons / Instead of being free, animals spend their lives in cages. / The cages are often small and cramped / Animals at zoos do not have enough space / Animals at zoos suffer from stress / Animals live in artificial conditions / Animals live in climates which are not good for them / Animals do not breed in zoos / Animals change their behaviour.

6 How should we take care of a pet?

It is very important to devote time to our pet. / It is necessary to take care of our pet, take it to the vet and pay attention to its health. / It is important to interact with our pet, play with it, touch it and stroke it. / We should feed our pet regularly. / We should walk our dogs / clean the cages of our hamsters and guinea pigs. / It is vital to pay attention to the hygiene of our pet.

7 Which animal is man's best friend? Why?

I think that the dog is man's best friend because dogs are incredibly loyal / dogs are very sensitive and wise, they love and respect their owners / dogs help people in their everyday lives and make their lives fuller / Dogs help the disabled, they guard our homes and they protect us / dogs are used in therapy with autistic children.

8 What kind of pet would you like to have? Why?

I would like to have a dog / cat / fish / guinea pig / hamster, because dogs / cats / fish / guinea pigs / hamsters are incredibly intelligent / are faithful / can make our life more active / do not need a lot of attention / are beautiful to look at / can make me feel more relaxed.

9 Why is it important to fight global warming?

Because of global warming the polar ice caps are melting and many islands and low-lying areas are being flooded.

Because of global warming the climate is changing and many animals are losing their habitat and dying.

10 How should cruelty to animals be punished?

We should confiscate animals from people who are cruel to them / People who are cruel to animals should be judged and sent to prison. / Cruelty to animals should be fined.

