NAPLAN Reading Year 9 2013

Quick Answers

1. can recognise its own reflection

2. the animal knows that it should not have a dot on it.

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- 2. Take the mirror away.
- 4. Bring the mirror back.
- 5. Record what the animal does.
- 3. Put a coloured dot on the animal.
- 1. Put the animal in front of the mirror.
- 4. touch the coloured dot on its body.
- 5. to attract readers' attention so that they start to read the whole text
- 6. Humans don't pass the test until they are about eighteen months old.
- 7. Crocodiles should not be hunted for sport.
- 8. hunting that is authorised.
- 9. securely.
- 10. trained professionals
- 11. it is not an appropriate way to manage the crocodile population.
- 12. SAY NO TO CROCODILE HUNTING
- 13. chemical features of the organism
- 14. identify parasites and defend itself.
- 15. the structure of the parasite alters.
- 16. It can deceive the immune system.
- 17. to emphasize the need to consider future implications
- 18. details about how amber is created

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- 19. to outline the setting of the story
- 20. She is an imposing figure.
- 21. areas outside the enemy's occupation
- 22. wisdom
- 23. fortress
- 24. surprise at the unexpected meeting
- 25. tainted by betrayal.
- 26. The writer is irritated by people's attitudes towards vegetarians.
- 27. presents information to give credibility to their point of view.
- 28. to emphasize the words that come after them
- 29. to refute an argument
- 30. ... so they should just get over it.
- 31. contemptuous
- 32. anticipation and ends with a sense of uncertainty.
- 33. intrigued by highly specific details.
- 34. the stripes of the kimono
- 35. appearance of the crayons and the sense of joy they evoke.
- 36. They were happily engrossed in their drawing.
- 37. a detailed memory drawn from a significant time in the narrator's life.
- 38. present and future neuro-technology
- 39. to read the brain's electrical signals
- 40. Wireless signals are sent from the headset to the computer.
- 41. on the neuro-headset.
- 42. She begins the last paragraph with 'but'.
- 43. It will need to be used with caution.

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44. his sense of purpose

45. sensitivity to visual features

46. the aging setting with "older houses" and "lichen-encrusted palings of a collapsing fence" are contrasted by the man with of purpose, "striding" past, and yet as the writing continues we see that the man is also aging and changing.

47. what Laurie wants to become

48. helplessness

49. wants to distance himself from him.