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School Year 2010 - 2011

Test N° 1

**COMPREHENSION ( 10 POINTS)** 



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{BASE ALL YOUR ANSWER ON THE TEXT}

## Raised by animals

There are a number of stories of children who are raised by animals. One of the earliest stories is about the twin brothers Romulus and Romulus. They were the sons of the god Mars. When they were very young, they were left by the banks of the River Tiber. Luckily, they were found by a wolf. The wolf looked after them and fed them with her milk.

Later, a shepherd <u>came across</u> the boys. <u>He</u> took them home and <u>brought them up</u> as his own children. The boys <u>grew up</u> to be very strong and clever they decided to build a town in the place where the shepherd found them. Shortly after building the town the twins had a big argument. Romulus killed his brother Romulus in the fight. Romulus then became the first king of this town, which was named Rome, after him.

More recently, two young girls were discovered in the care of a wolf in 1920, in Godamuri, India. The girls (Kamala, 8, and Amala, aged 18 months) were taken to a children's home but they didn't like their new life there at all. They preferred to be with cats and dogs and they seemed to <u>look up to</u> animals, not people. They never got on with the other children and they sometimes bit and attacked them.

The girls slept during the day and were awake at night. They walked on their hands and feet and enjoyed raw meat. They had extremely good eyesight and hearing. The younger child, Amala, died one year later, but Kamala lived for nine years in the home. She picked up a small number of words but she remained very different from the other children.

A	Read the text and answer these questions. ( 3 pts)	
1.	How many examples of children raised by animals are mentioned?	
2.	Where were Romulus and Romulus left when they were very small?	
3.	What did the boys do when they became adults?	
4.	What was the result of the boys' argument?	
5.	How was the girls' relationship with the other children?	
6.	What special abilities did Kamala and Amala have?	
В	What do the underlined words in the text refer to? (1 pt)	
1	<u>He</u> (paragraph 2)	
2	<u>She</u> (paragraph 4)	

C	Match the <u>underlined</u> phrasal verbs fr	om the text with the definitions below. ( 6 pts)
1	To change from child to adult =	
2	To learn without trying =	
3	To take care of =	
4	To raise / educate children =	
5	To find by chance =	
6	To respect =	
<u>//                                   </u>	LANGUAGE ( 6 POINTS)	
A u	se the words in capitals at the end of ea	ch sentence to make words which fit in the spaces. ( 3 pts)
1	The people on my course are all very	FRIEND
2	My parents are always very	when I have a problem. <b>HELP</b>
3	I didn't enjoy my cousin's 21st birthday	party; it was a bit BORE
4	I lost my purse on the way home from my friend's house yesterday, but someone took it to the police station. <b>LUCKY</b>	
5	There are students of all	at the university my brother goes to. <b>NATION</b>
6	1 with you. I think you	're completely wrong! AGREE
В	Circle the correct words. ( 3 pts)	
1	I broke my arm yesterday, so I am need	ding / need my sister's help to do my homework.
2	John plays / is playing the guitar at the	moment.
3	when I called Gwen yesterday, she was	painting / painted a portrait of her son.
4	Did you go / have you gone to the bead	ch yesterday morning?
5	The new environmental centre in Grim	sgate has costed / cost the city over a million pounds.
6	I didn't use / used to think that sunbat	ning was fun.
<u>III </u>	WRITING ( 4 POINTS)	
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