

The Desert

Read the following questions carefully and choose the correct answer from the given alternatives:

Question 1.

Which plants can store water in their thick stems?

- (a) Cactus
- (b) Rose
- (c) Banana
- (d) Mulberry

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Answer: (a) Cactus

Question 2.

The major feature of all deserts is

- (a) dryness
- (b) variation of temperature
- (c) lack of water
- (d) all the above

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Answer: (d) all the above

Question 3.

What does the moisture in the air act as?

- (a) like a blanket
- (b) like an umbrella
- (c) like a water table
- (d) none of the above

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Answer: (a) like a blanket

Question 4.

Deserts heat up rapidly during and cool off rapidly at

- (a) day, day
- (b) night, day
- (c) day, night
- (d) none of the above

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Answer: (c) day, night

Question 5.

What is a green island in the middle of a desert with a little water called?

- (a) Desert
- (b) Oasis
- (c) Spring
- (d) None of the above

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Answer: (b) Oasis

Question 6.

Heaps of sand are called

- (a) hills
- (b) deserts
- (c) sand dunes
- (d) mountains

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Answer: (c) sand dunes

Question 7.

Which animal is called 'The Ship of the Desert'?

- (a) Horse
- (b) Lion
- (c) Camel
- (d) Cow

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Answer: (c) Camel

Question 8.

From where do the small desert animals get water?

- (a) From plant juices
- (b) From moisture in the meat
- (c) Both (a) and (b)
- (d) None of the above

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Answer: (c) Both (a) and (b)
