

ENGLISH  
Grade 6

Task 1. March of the Penguins.



In 2003, two French cameramen went to Antarctica to film emperor penguins for a year. Their fantastic film is called March of the Penguins.

Emperor penguins are amazing birds. They go on a very long and difficult journey every year. Hundreds of penguins get together and walk more than one hundred kilometers across the ice. They walk until they find a safe place for the mother to lay eggs. After they lay their eggs, the mothers give them to the fathers to look after. Then they walk back to the sea to find food for their new chicks. The fathers stay with the eggs. They balance the eggs carefully on their feet because it is too cold on the ice. The fathers wait for sixty-four days for the eggs to hatch. They stand close together to keep warm in the snow and icy wind.

The mother come back with food after two months. They feed the chicks while the fathers walk to the sea and back to find food for themselves. The parents make several journeys to find food until the chicks are about four months old. After that, the parents leave the chicks to look after themselves and return to the sea.

March of the Penguins is a very famous film. Lots of people all over the world went to watch it at the cinema. It's a documentary, but it is a wonderful story, too.

Complete the sentence with the words from the box.

feed film find leave wait walk

1. The cameraman went to Antarctica to \_\_\_\_\_ penguins.
2. The penguins \_\_\_\_\_ more than 100 km to find a safe place.
3. The fathers \_\_\_\_\_ sixty-four days for the eggs to hatch,
4. The mothers go to the sea to \_\_\_\_\_ food for their chicks.
5. The mother return from the sea and \_\_\_\_\_ the chicks.
6. The parents \_\_\_\_\_ the chicks when they are about four months old.

Match the questions and the answers.

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| 7. How many cameramen went to Antarctica? __                        | a. 64 days        |
| 8. How far do the penguins walk? __                                 | b. 4 months       |
| 9. How long do the fathers wait for the eggs to hatch? __           | c. 100 kilometers |
| 10. How long do the mothers go away for? __                         | d. 2              |
| 11. How old are the chicks when their parents return to the sea? __ | e. 2 months       |

Complete the definitions with the words from the box.

hatches feed chick balance cameramen documentary journey lay

- When an egg \_\_\_\_\_, a chick comes out of it.
- Female birds and fish \_\_\_\_\_ when they push them from their bodies.
- When you give food to someone, you \_\_\_\_\_ them.
- When you \_\_\_\_\_ something, you put it somewhere carefully so that it doesn't fall.
- \_\_\_\_\_ use cameras to make films
- A \_\_\_\_\_ is a baby bird.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ is a film about real life.
- When you travel from one place to another, you make a \_\_\_\_\_ .

Task 2. Choose the correct form.

- Fay **get** / **gets** up at 7.30 every morning.
- I **wash** / **washed** my dog every month.
- My sister and I **have** / **has** dinner at 8.00 every evening.
- George **go** / **goes** to karate classes twice a week.
- Sophie **cook** / **cooks** chicken with rice at the weekend.
- Kelly and Tim **wash** / **washes** the car every Friday afternoon.

Task 3. Choose the correct answer, a or b.

- My mother \_\_\_\_\_ the house now.  
a. paints    b. is painting
- Jonathan \_\_\_\_\_ a new CD every Saturday.  
a. buys    b. is buying
- \_\_\_\_\_ your room now?  
a. Are you decorating    b. Do you decorate
- They \_\_\_\_\_ their friends every weekend.  
a. aren't meeting    b. don't meet
- Ben and Neil \_\_\_\_\_ chocolate at the moment.  
a. aren't selling    b. don't sell

Task 4. Match the verbs with the nouns.

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| 1. have ___     | a. your teeth  |
| 2. go ___       | b. to Italy    |
| 3. take out ___ | c. a shower    |
| 4. brush ___    | d. a gift      |
| 5. buy ___      | e. the rubbish |

**Task 5. Answer the questions.**

1. What is your favorite game?

\_\_\_\_\_.

2. Why are you studying English?

\_\_\_\_\_.

3. When were you born?

\_\_\_\_\_.

4. What does your mother do?

\_\_\_\_\_.

5. What will you tomorrow evening?

\_\_\_\_\_.

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