

| Question | | Answer | Mk |
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| 1. | a. | What equipment do researchers use to count tiger numbers? | Camera Traps 1 |
| | b. | How many tigers were identified in 2008? | 50 1 |
| | c. | Give two ways in which people in Thailand have helped tiger numbers grow. | Stopping poachers, having anti-poacher squads, using cameras, reducing human activities in tiger areas, standardised reporting. 2 |
| 2. | a. | What species of toad is killing crocodiles? | Cane Toads 1 |
| | b. | Explain how conditional taste aversion works to save crocs in Australia. | Mention any four: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catch toads • Cut them in half as front half is more toxic. • Add salt • Hang over river • Crocodiles hate the salty taste • Crocodiles will not eat toads 4 |
| 3. | a. | What valuable material is taken out of this mine? | Diamonds 1 |
| | b. | Explain two ways in which this mine is making life for people in Botswana better. | Explain any two: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most diamond money goes to the government • Money is used for education • Money used for roads/hospitals/other infrastructure • Botswana is one of the most successful countries in Africa • Protects wildlife through conservation strategies 4 |
| 4 | | '2024 was a year in which our environment got better rather than worse.' Do you agree? Explain your answer. Aim to talk about a range of arguments both for and against the statement. Be sure to come to a definite conclusion as to what you think and WHY. | For this question, use the following best fit from the table below. 10 |

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| Level 1 | Describes some reasons for OR against the statement. Low quality of English – SpaG (Spelling, punctuation and grammar) | 1-3 |
| Level 2 | Explains some reasons for OR against the statement. OR Describes some reasons from both sides of the statement. Comes to a basic conclusion as to whether the statement is true or not but this may not be explained. Good SPaG – some mistakes but not many. | 4-7 |
| Level 3 | Complex explanations of arguments BOTH for and against the statement. Uses a range of examples (at least three.) Comes to a clear, reasoned conclusion. Excellent SPaG with very few errors. | 8-10 |

When you have found a mark out of 24, use this grid to show what grade you have achieved:

| Marks | Grade |
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| 10 or less | 2 |
| 11-14 | 3 |
| 15 | 4c |
| 16 | 4a |
| 17 | 5c |
| 18 | 5b |
| 19 | 5a |
| 20 | 6c |
| 21 | 6b |
| 22 | 6a |
| 23 | 7c |
| 24 | 7b |