

8º ano e 9º ano

Reading comprehension (interpretação)

EF08LI05

Reading: tigras e Kevlar

① Text 1: Tigers

Read the text and choose the correct answer.

Tigers

Tigers are large, carnivorous mammals with distinctive orange fur and black stripes. They are solitary hunters, often approaching their prey quietly before capturing it. Tigers primarily live in Asia and are classified as endangered due to habitat loss and poaching.

1. What is the main topic of the text?

- ☐ a) Tigers' diet
- ☐ b) General facts about tigers: appearance, behavior and threats
- ☐ c) Tigers' hunting methods
- ☐ d) Tigers' habitats

2. Why are tigers classified as endangered?

- ☐ a) Because they live in Asia
- ☐ b) Because they are solitary hunters
- ☐ c) Because of habitat loss and poaching
- ☐ d) Because of their striped fur

3. What does the word "solitary" most nearly mean in this context?

- ☐ a) Alone
- ☐ b) Friendly
- ☐ c) Group-living
- ☐ d) Endangered

② Text 2: Kevlar

Read the text and choose the correct answer.

Kevlar

Kevlar is a synthetic fiber known for its strength and durability. It is commonly used in bulletproof vests, helmets, and other protective gear. Kevlar's unique molecular structure allows it to absorb and disperse impact energy, making it ideal for safety applications.

1. What is Kevlar best known for?

- ☐ **a)** Its color
- ☐ **b)** Its strength and durability
- ☐ **c)** Its flexibility
- ☐ **d)** Its texture

2. In which of the following is Kevlar commonly used?

- ☐ **a)** Clothing fashion
- ☐ **b)** Decorative art
- ☐ **c)** Cooking utensils
- ☐ **d)** Protective gear

3. How does Kevlar help in safety applications?

- ☐ **a)** By absorbing and dispersing impact energy
- ☐ **b)** By being lightweight
- ☐ **c)** By being inexpensive
- ☐ **d)** By being colorful

③ True or false?

Read the sentences about the two texts. Are they true or false?

1. Tigers live mainly in Africa.

- ☐ True
- ☐ False

2. Tigers usually approach their prey quietly.

- ☐ True
- ☐ False

3. Kevlar is a natural fiber.

- ☐ True
- ☐ False

4. Kevlar is used in helmets.

- ☐ True
- ☐ False