



PROPOSTA DE ACOMPANHAMENTO DA APRENDIZAGEM

AVALIAÇÃO DE LÍNGUA INGLESA: 2º BIMESTRE

Nome do(a) aluno(a): _____

Turma: _____ Data: _____

Text for questions 1-5.

AIR POLLUTION: AFRICA'S INVISIBLE, SILENT KILLER

Air pollution remains a major challenge in Africa. About 600,000 deaths every year across the continent are associated with this invisible killer. [...]

Air pollution is caused by harmful particulates and gases [...]. These pollutants cause disease and death to humans, damage to other living organisms such as animals and food crops, and harm our ecosystems. Air pollution is caused by indoor and outdoor activities though the latter, which is largely a result of burning fossil fuels to produce electricity and to power vehicles, is responsible for most of the world's air pollution. Large and small scale industrial activities also cause air pollution by emitting substances into the air [...].

[...]

[...] In Africa, the increasing level of urbanization coupled with poor urban planning leads to large numbers of people living in congested

and poorly serviced housing. This serves to exacerbate the problem of pollution.

[...]

Most developed countries have high-tech equipment and monitoring systems to collect and analyze data on air quality [...]. Unfortunately, access to this technology is still limited in Africa. [...]

[...]

At the second session of the UN Environment Assembly, UNEP released the latest report on air quality. The report, entitled Actions on Air Quality, focuses on ten measures to improve air quality [...].

[...] It shows that the majority of countries are yet to adopt these air quality policy actions. [...]

[...]

Until this is all in place, a large portion of the African population will still have to bear the consequences of this silent, mass killer.

UNITED NATIONS ENVIRONMENT. **Air Pollution: Africa's Invisible, Silent Killer**. Disponível em: <<https://www.unenvironment.org/news-and-stories/story/air-pollution-africas-invisible-silent-killer-1>>. Acesso em: 25 out. 2018.

1. In the title, air pollution is called “an invisible, silent killer” because...

- a) we cannot see or hear the gases that kill people.
- b) nobody says anything to improve the situation.
- c) there is no technology in Africa to control pollution.
- d) the population does not complain about the diseases.

2. Choose the sentence that is **FALSE**.

- a) There is no single cause for air pollution in Africa.
- b) A great number of people live in the cities in Africa.
- c) Africa's housing problem is complex and a cause of pollution.
- d) Poor urban planning is the cause of all environmental problems in Africa.

3. Which sentence ending is similar in meaning to this one “Until this is all in place, a large portion of the *African population will still have to bear the consequences of this silent, mass killer.*”?

Until all these actions are implemented in Africa, ...

- a) a lot of people are reported to have died of health problems.
- b) deaths for pollution are not likely in the near future of the continent.
- c) a lot of people are expected to die as a consequence of air pollution.
- d) the number of deaths is going to go down in the continent.

4. O substantivo *pollution* é formado pelo verbo *pollute* + sufixo *-ion*. Analise as palavras em negrito nas frases a seguir e selecione a opção que traz uma palavra cujo sufixo também transforma um verbo em um substantivo.

- a) “[...] the **increasing** level of urbanization [...]”
- b) “[...] poor urban **planning** leads to large numbers of people [...]”
- c) “[...] living in **congested** and poorly serviced housing.”
- d) “Most **developed** countries have high-tech equipment [...]”

5. Explique por que a poluição do ar na África é algo de difícil solução e como o relatório *Actions on Air Quality* propõe ajudar com esse problema?

6. Observe the image. Which of these sentences describes the weather in Cape Town tomorrow?



Cape Town, South Africa



Lat/long: 33°55'S / 18°25'E
Currency: Rand (ZAR)
Languages: Afrikaans, English, Zulu



TIME ZONE

- SAST (South Africa Standard Time), UTC/GMT +2 hours



AIRPORTS

- Cape Town International Airport, CPT, About 17 km ESE of Cape Town



21 °C



SUNRISE

05:51 106° East



SUNSET

19:10 254° West



DAY LENGTH

13 hours, 18 minutes
+1m 57s longer

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- a) It's going to be cloudy tomorrow in Cape Town.
- b) It will be a beautiful sunny day in Cape Town.
- c) There won't be clouds in the sky tomorrow.
- d) The weather is going to be quite rainy tomorrow.

Text for questions 7 and 8.

ECUADOR



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DESTINATION ECUADOR & THE GALÁPAGOS ISLANDS

This small Andean nation towers above most other countries when it comes to _____ and _____ wonders. Amazonian rainforest, Andean peaks, premontane cloud forests and the Galápagos Islands set the stage for Ecuador's spectacular biodiversity. [...]

Ecuador's blend of lush _____ landscapes and volcanic scenery also provides a spectacular backdrop to adrenaline-charged adventures – from white-water rafting on Class V rivers to climbing 5000m-high volcanoes. [...]

The incredibly varied geography of Ecuador is matched only by its _____ diversity. Over a dozen indigenous peoples live here, each contributing to the rich and _____ notion of Ecuadorian identity. [...]

Ecuadorian cities march to _____ alluring rhythms. By day, gorgeous colonial towns such as Quito and Cuenca teem with life, as street vendors, politicians and workers from all parts of the country mingle on the cobblestone streets beneath misty Andean skies. [...]

[...]

DESTINATION Ecuador & the Galápagos Islands. **Lonely Planet**. Disponível em: <<http://media.lonelyplanet.com/shop/pdfs/ecuador-galapagos-8-getting-started.pdf>>. Acesso em: 11 nov. 2018.

GLOSSARY

alluring: atraente

backdrop: pano de fundo

beneath: abaixo

cobblestone: paralelepípedo

mingle: misturar-se

wonder: maravilha

7. Choose the best option to complete the text.

a) natural – culturally – forest – culture – complicated – equal

- b) nature – cultural – forest – culture – complication – equally
- c) naturally – cultural – forested – cultural – complicate – equal
- d) natural – cultural – forested – cultural – complicated – equally

8. Your family and you are planning a trip to Ecuador. Take a look at the text and describe briefly your plans: what places you plan to visit, what things you plan to do etc.

Texts for questions 9 and 10.

Text 1

THE HAKA [New Zealand]



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[...]

The haka is a type of ancient Māori war dance [...].

Today, haka are still used during Māori ceremonies and celebrations

[...].

Haka are also used to challenge opponents on the sports field. [...]

100% PURE NEW ZEALAND. **Haka-Māori War Dances**. Disponível em: <<https://www.newzealand.com/in/feature/haka/>>. Acesso em: 26 out. 2018.

Text 2

[...]

The Masai Jumping Dance [Kenya]



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Each young man will jump as high as he can while the others stand in a circle and sing. The voices of the men get higher as the jumping increases. [...] In the Masai language, this dancing competition is called the "adumu".

[...]

KENYA-ADVISOR.COM. **Traditions of the Massai: Dance and Music**, 2016. Disponível em: <<http://www.kenya-advisor.com/masai-dance.html>>. Acesso em: 26 out. 2018.

Text 3

[...]

BHARATANATYAM [India]



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Bharatanatyam is a dance of Tamil Nadu in southern India. [...] Originally a temple dance for women, bharatanatyam often is used to express Hindu religious stories and devotions. [...]

ELDRIDGE, A. 6 Classical Dances of India. **Encyclopædia Britannica**, [2018?]. Disponível em: <<https://www.britannica.com/list/6-classical-dances-of-india>>. Acesso em: 26 out. 2018.

Text 4

IRISH SET DANCE



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[...]

Set dances are based on quadrilles, which were court dances. These were transformed by the Irish into a unique folk dance of the Irish rural communities.

[...]

To start, four couples are arranged in the form of a square [...]

[...]

WIKIPEDIA. **Irish set dance**. Disponível em: <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Irish_set_dance>. Acesso em: 26 out. 2018.

9. What piece of information can you infer from the texts? Choose all that apply.

- I. Maori people has ancient traditions.
- II. Masai is an African tribe that has its own culture.
- III. Tamil Nadu is one of the 29 states in India.
- IV. There are different types of Set Dances in Ireland.

- a) I and IV.
- b) I and II.
- c) II, III and IV.
- d) III and IV.

10. Qual das danças apresentadas lhe parece mais interessante. Por quê?
