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This question paper consists of 13 pages.

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INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

1. This question paper consists of THREE sections:

SECTION A: Comprehension (30)
SECTION B: Summary (10)
SECTION C: Language (40)
2. Answer ALL the questions.
3. Start each section on a NEW page.
4. Leave a line after each answer.
5. Number the answers correctly according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
6. Write neatly and legibly.
7. Pay special attention to spelling and sentence construction.

SECTION A: COMPREHENSION**QUESTION 1**

Read the following passage (TEXT A) and answer the set questions.

TEXT A**FIGHTING CRIME ONE YOUNG LIFE AT A TIME**

1. Captain John Maluleke is no ordinary cop. He is also a soccer coach, and a passionate youth and community development activist.
2. While growing up in Sebediela village, Limpopo, Maluleke aspired to be a singer and stage actor. But he gave up the prospect of a showbiz lifestyle for a life dedicated to service to his country after his father persuaded him to join the police force in the early 1980s. 5
3. 'We, the police, are there to serve, protect and make this country a safer and better place for its inhabitants, so we should be friends to our communities. Community police forums inspired me to work with people, but the youth were not really interested,' says Maluleke. 10
4. The Adopt-a-Cop project was launched in 1997 with the aim of establishing and building a relationship of trust between the police and the youth. Maluleke was inspired to take the project to street children and shelters in inner-city Johannesburg and Hillbrow, getting them to adopt a cop. 'I became their friend and helped most of them get off the streets,' he reveals. Maluleke also involved children living in high-rise buildings in the inner city. 15
5. A street children's soccer project, Inner City Ambassadors' Football Club, was later launched and has grown to 120 players. His players are forced to play in parks because of the lack of proper playing grounds, but Maluleke thinks they may soon have proper soccer fields. 20
6. According to Maluleke, 'Creating a positive lifestyle at a tender age is more likely to influence children to live positively as adults. Officers must be role models and attract youngsters to the police force. Imagine if each police officer, or any other community member for that matter, can change the life of one youth for the better. We will be launching a silent war against drug lords and crime kingpins. If we can come together as businesses and communities, we will surely beat crime.' 25

[Adapted from an article in *The Star*, 11 September 2009]

NOTE: All questions must be answered in your own words, unless you are asked for a quotation.

- 1.1 Explain the meaning of the following expressions as used in the passage:
- 1.1.1 'no ordinary cop' (line 1) (2)
- 1.1.2 'launching a silent war against drug lords and crime kingpins' (lines 25 – 26) (2)
- 1.2 Indicate whether the following statement is TRUE or FALSE. Quote ONE line from the text to support your answer.
- Captain John Maluleke's childhood dream was to become a policeman. (2)
- 1.3 Has Captain Maluleke done well in his chosen career? Give a reason for your answer. (2)
- 1.4 Refer to lines 9 – 10 ('Community police forums ... interested,' says Maluleke').
- Suggest a reason why the young people were not really interested in community police forums. (2)
- 1.5 Refer to paragraph 4 ('The Adopt-a-Cop ... inner city').
- What positive influence did the Adopt-a-Cop project have on street children in the city? (2)
- 1.6 Refer to paragraph 5 ('A street children's ... proper soccer fields').
- 1.6.1 In your opinion, why did Captain Maluleke launch the Inner City Ambassadors' Football Club? (2)
- 1.6.2 Why do the players of this club play in parks? (1)
- 1.7 Refer to lines 22 – 23 ('Officers must be ... the police force').
- In your view, why is it important to attract young people to the police force? (2)
- 1.8 Refer to lines 26 – 27 ('If we can ... surely beat crime').
- Do you agree with Captain Maluleke's view that communities and businesses must come together to fight crime? Give a reason for your answer. (2)
- 1.9 Refer to lines 26 – 27.
- Give a synonym for the underlined word in the following sentence:
- 'If we can come together as businesses and communities, we will surely beat crime.'
- (1)
- [20]**



QUESTION 2

Read the following passage (TEXT B) and answer the set questions.

TEXT B**THE FAST-FOOD TRAP**

1. We live in a pressurised, madly busy world and are spending far less time preparing and eating wholesome, home-cooked meals. We also spend far less time involved in physical activities. More families are relying on convenience meals, purchased from frozen-food sections, fast-food outlets, canteens, tuck shops or restaurants, than ever before. After all, who wants to spend time in the kitchen when fast food is a quick pit stop away? On top of this it is filling, tasty and fairly affordable. Seems like a win-win situation. Well, not exactly. 5
2. Globally the world is getting fatter and diseases associated with poor eating habits, little or no exercise, smoking and alcohol abuse are on the increase. Some of these diseases are obesity, high blood pressure, diabetes, high cholesterol, stroke, certain cancers and coronary heart disease. And South Africa is no exception. These diseases are all directly linked to unhealthy diets which are high in fats, refined starches and sugars but low in fresh fruit and vegetables. 10
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3. Fast foods are generally high in fat, cholesterol, salt, refined starches and sugars and contain little or no fresh fruit and vegetables. Eating fast foods is therefore like digging your grave with your teeth. Fast foods also seriously affect your blood glucose levels. Swings in blood glucose can leave you feeling tired, lethargic, moody and performing below your best performance level. Furthermore, the absence of fresh fruit and vegetables depletes your body of the essential vitamins and minerals that are vital for maintaining a healthy immune system. 20
4. A major problem with fast foods is that even small portions are very high in kilojoules. A solution may be to eat fast foods only occasionally and to eat healthy, home-cooked meals as often as possible. 25

[Adapted from an article in *BANKMED*, Summer 2008/2009]

NOTE: All questions must be answered in your own words, unless you are asked for a quotation.

- 2.1 According to the passage, why are fast foods so popular? Give TWO reasons. (2)
- 2.2 State any TWO factors that have resulted in an increase in diseases such as high blood pressure and stroke. (2)

2.3 Refer to lines 12 – 13.

Give a reason why the writer states the following:

'And South Africa is no exception.' (2)

2.4 Explain what is meant by the following expression as used in the passage:

'like digging your grave with your teeth' (line 18) (2)

2.5 Refer to lines 25 – 26 ('A solution may ... often as possible').

Do you consider this sentence to be a suitable conclusion to the passage?

Give a reason for your answer.

(2)

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TOTAL SECTION A: 30

SECTION B: SUMMARY (TEXT C)

The following article appeared in a magazine. Your Life Orientation teacher wants to send a memo to parents to suggest ways to protect their children against bullying and action that could be taken, based on this article. She has asked you to write down seven points on *what parents can do to stop bullying from happening at schools*.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. List SEVEN points in full sentences using no more than 70 words.
2. Number your sentences from 1 to 7.
3. Write only ONE point per line.
4. Use your OWN words.
5. Indicate the total number of words you have used in brackets at the end of your summary.

TEXT C**BULLYING IN SCHOOLS**

Bullying is common in schools where there are large groups of children. Teachers cannot always maintain close supervision on the playgrounds. It takes various forms, from beating children up to other types such as pinching, tripping, mocking, teasing, and even stealing valuable items.

Bullies are not always boys. Girls bully other girls and boys and can also be violent, but often their bullying is more psychological, like spreading stories and ruining another girl's reputation.

Often children don't like to complain about being bullied because they have already been shamed and humiliated, and parents must be sensitive to any change of behaviour in their children.

The best way for parents to protect children against bullying is to teach them self-confidence. Children who lack confidence are more likely to become victims of bullies. Parents can help children who lack social skills by enrolling them in activities outside of school. Children who mix with many others are less likely to be intimidated by a few bullies at school.

Parents should also listen to their children when they complain about bullying. If they see that something is wrong and the children do not talk about it, they should keep on asking until they find out. Parents should speak to other parents about the bullying. If one child is being bullied, it is likely that other children are also being bullied. If the school denies that anything is wrong, parents should insist on an investigation.

[Adapted from: REAL, September 2009]

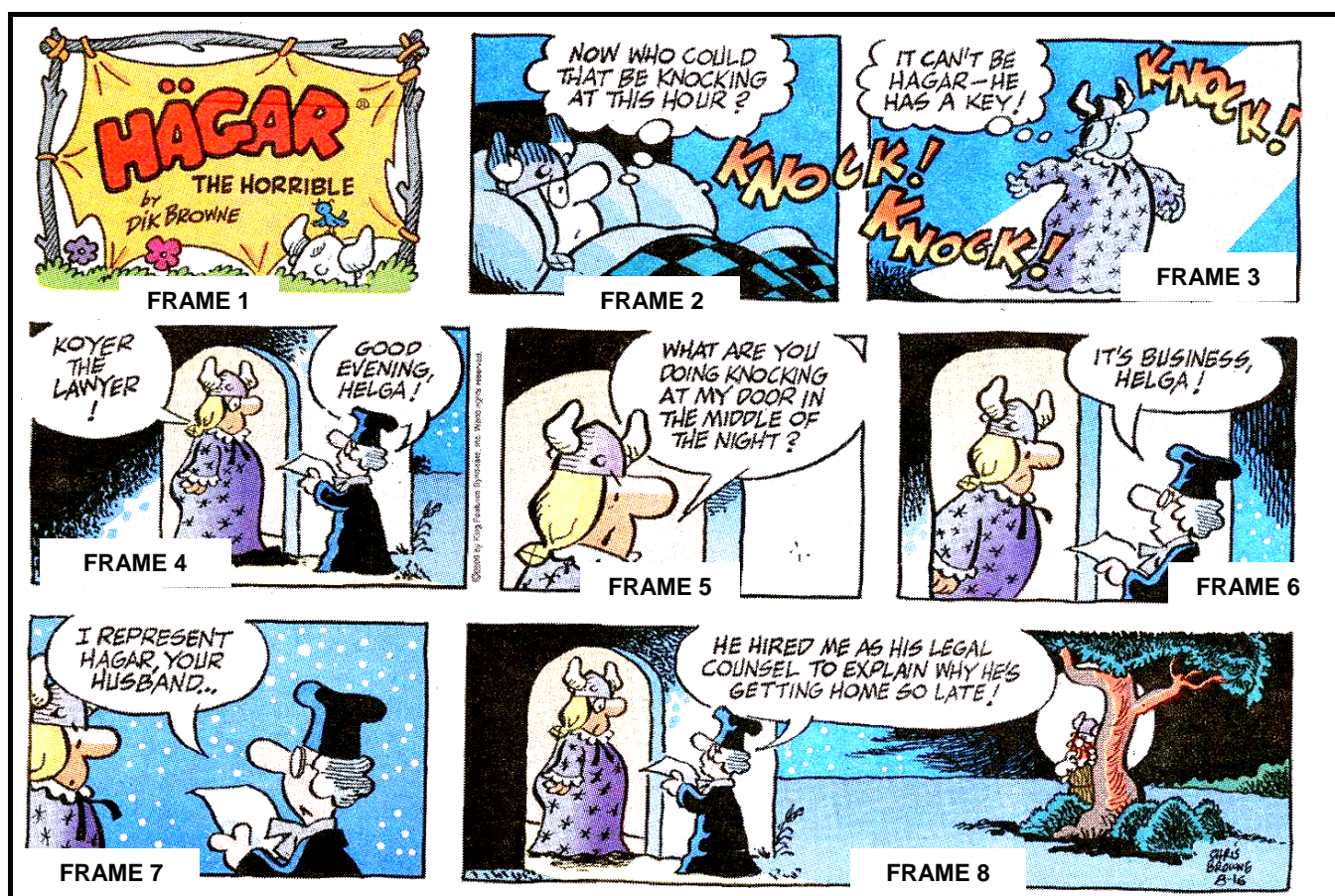
TOTAL SECTION B: 10



SECTION C: LANGUAGE**QUESTION 4: VISUAL LITERACY****4.1 ANALYSING A CARTOON**

Read the following cartoon (TEXT D) and answer the set questions.

NOTE: In this cartoon, the woman in frame 2 is Helga. Her husband is Hägar.

TEXT D

4.1.1 Refer to frames 2 and 3.

Explain why the word 'knock' is in a large font (print) size.

(2)

4.1.2 Refer to frames 7 and 8.

State TWO ways in which the cartoonist shows that Hägar is afraid to face Helga.

(2)

4.1.3 Why, in your opinion, does Helga's facial expression remain unchanged throughout this cartoon? Give TWO reasons.

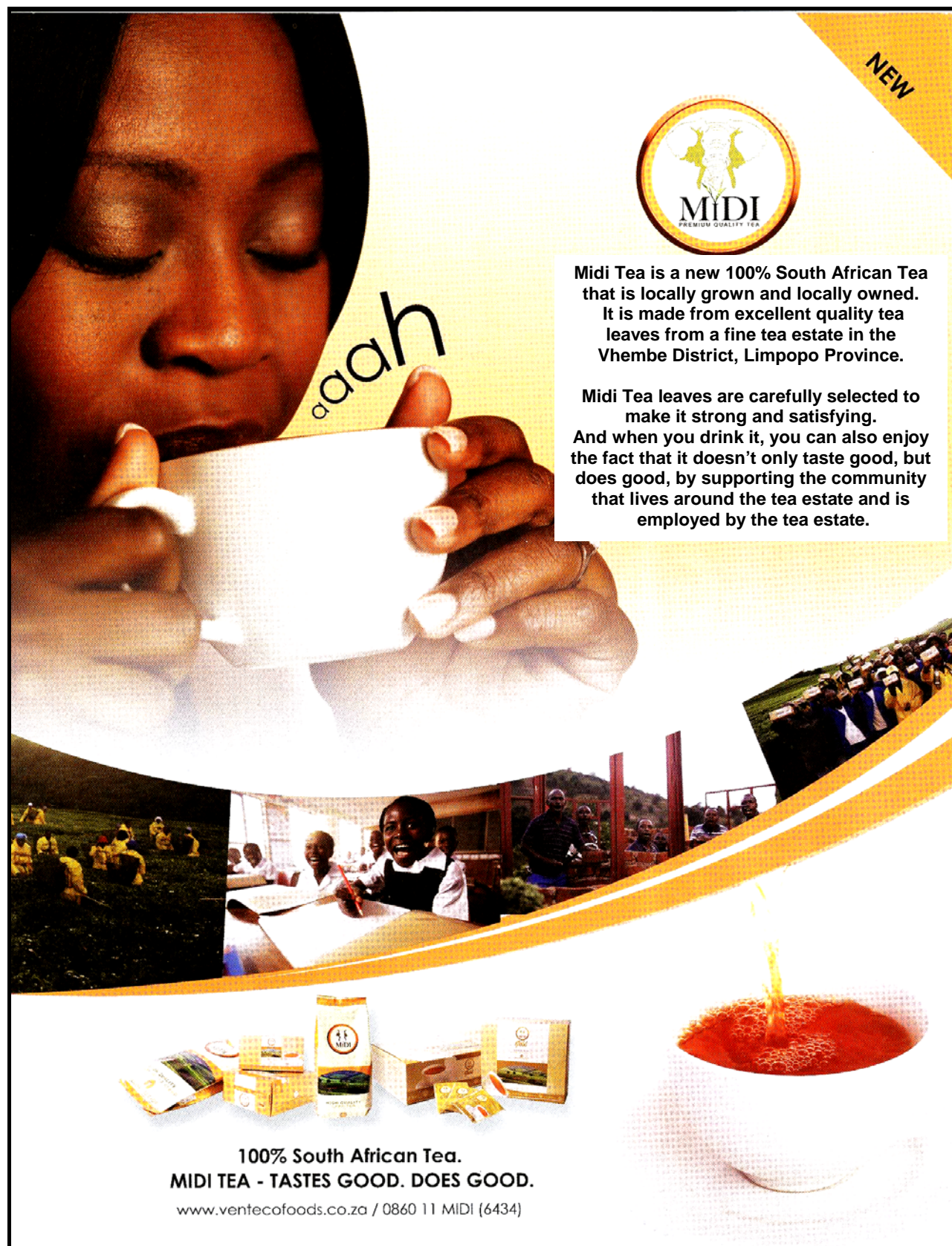
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4.2 ANALYSING AN ADVERTISEMENT

Study the advertisement (TEXT E) and answer the set questions.

TEXT E



NEW

MIDI
PREMIUM QUALITY TEA

Midi Tea is a new 100% South African Tea that is locally grown and locally owned. It is made from excellent quality tea leaves from a fine tea estate in the Vhembe District, Limpopo Province.

Midi Tea leaves are carefully selected to make it strong and satisfying. And when you drink it, you can also enjoy the fact that it doesn't only taste good, but does good, by supporting the community that lives around the tea estate and is employed by the tea estate.

100% South African Tea.
MIDI TEA - TASTES GOOD. DOES GOOD.
www.ventecofoods.co.za / 0860 11 MIDI (6434)

- 4.2.1 The word 'NEW' is placed in the top right-hand corner of the advertisement.
Why is this effective? Give TWO reasons. (2)
- 4.2.2 Explain how the following claims are designed to influence the reader:
(a) '100% South African Tea.' (2)
(b) 'Midi tea leaves are carefully selected to make it strong and satisfying.' (2)
- 4.2.3 Why is the exclamation 'aaah' appropriate in this advertisement? (2)
- 4.2.4 Pictures of various tea products are placed in the bottom left of the advertisement.
Why, in your opinion, has the advertiser done this? (2)
- 4.2.5 What does the advertiser mean by, 'MIDI TEA – TASTES GOOD. DOES GOOD'? (2)
- 4.2.6 Choose the correct answer to complete the following sentence. Write only the letter (A – D) next to the question number (4.2.6) in the ANSWER BOOK.
This advertisement has been placed by ...
A Midi Tea.
B Vhembe District.
C Limpopo Province.
D ventecofoods. (2)
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QUESTION 5: LANGUAGE AND EDITING SKILLS

Read the following passage (TEXT F), which contains some deliberate errors, and answer the set questions.

TEXT F**LOST PARROT**

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| 1. | The parrot which swears in Afrikaans when his feathers get ruffled has every reason to be more than a little peeved. He was found soaking wet and lost outside a northern Johannesburg home, and his owners has yet to claim him. | |
| 2. | Three people have come forward to say the African Grey – who is been called Jack – belongs to them, but the man looking after the parrot, Jerry Wilson, said he could tell the bird did not belong to them. | 5 |
| 3. | 'People came to have a look at the bird, but when they spoke in English, straightaway I knew it wasn't there bird. Jack speaks English too, but when he gets cross, it's only in Afrikaans. I will know when the owner comes.' | |
| 4. | Wilson's relatives found the bird seven or eight months ago. They asked him to take care of the bird because he already has another parrot, Sonny Boy. | 10 |
| 5. | 'I know birds. You must see my bird; he is out of this world. If he wants to bath, he flies to the sink and shouts. If you open the tap and the water's too cold, he shouts until you make it warmer,' said Wilson. | |
| 6. | Jack cough like a grown man. He is also very tame. Wilson said I know someone is looking for him you can see hes very tame | 15 |
| 7. | He has a ring on his leg and doesn't like males. 'He nips me, but with the wife he is 100 percent,' said Wilson. 'He knocks on the door if he wants to come into the house. You would swear it's someone at the front door. | |

[Adapted from an article in *The Star*, 15 September 2009]

- 5.1 Choose the correct answer. Write only the letter (A – D) next to the question number (5.1) in the ANSWER BOOK.

The word 'parrot' (line 1) is a ...

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| A | verb. |
| B | noun. |
| C | adjective. |
| D | adverb. |

(1)

5.2 One word is incorrect in each of the following sentences. Identify the **INCORRECT** word and write down the correct word next to it.

5.2.1 The parrot which swears in Afrikaans when his feathers get ruffled has every reason to be more than a little peeved (lines 1 – 2). (1)

5.2.2 He was found soaking wet and lost outside a northern Johannesburg home, and his owners has yet to claim him (lines 2 – 3). (1)

5.2.3 Three people have come forward to say the African Grey – who is been called Jack – belongs to them (lines 4 – 5). (1)

5.2.4 People came to have a look at the bird, but when they spoke in English, straightaway I knew it wasn't there bird (lines 7 – 8). (1)

5.2.5 Jack cough like a grown man (line 15). (1)

5.3 Give an antonym (word opposite in meaning) for:

5.3.1 cross (line 9) (1)

5.3.2 tame (line 16) (1)

5.4 Rewrite the following sentence in reported speech:

Wilson said, 'I will know when the true owner comes.' (2)

5.5 Combine the following two sentences into a single sentence, using the word **who**:

Wilson's relatives found the bird seven or eight months ago.
They asked Wilson to take care of the bird. (2)

5.6 Choose the correct answer. Write only the letter (A – D) next to the question number (5.6) in the ANSWER BOOK.

The apostrophe used in the word 'Wilson's' (line 10) indicates ...

- A the plural form.
- B omission.
- C possession.
- D a quotation. (1)

5.7 Rewrite the following sentence in the past tense:

He has a ring on his leg and doesn't like males. (2)



5.8 Rewrite the following sentence, inserting all the missing punctuation marks:

Wilson said I know someone is looking for him you can see hes very tame (3)

5.9 Complete the following sentences by filling in the missing word. Write only a suitable single word next to the question number.

5.9.1 It is clear from this article that Wilson is very ... of his bird, Sonny Boy. (1)

5.9.2 Sonny Boy sometimes gets jealous ... Jack. (1)
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TOTAL SECTION C: 40

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