PRIMO TESTO

OLD WIFE STORIES

This text talks about the assumptions that the shepherds made about the weather, and also explains that this has scientific foundations, in fact this was used by shepherds for example to know when to put the flock in the stable or when to leave it outside or to the sailors when to travel with the sails raise or lower.

But they also have these superstitions like the red sky which contains dust and humidity, and if you see it in the evening it means that there will be no bad weather.

SECONDO TESTO

NEW INHABITANTS OF THE CITY

In this text we talk about the causes that urbanization has on animals, we examine in particular the case of leopards in mumbai where a film was also shot that explains that the felines are getting used to city life and also explains that they will not attack the man if they do not feel in danger, in fact they prefer the pigs that the families raise.

Then it also talks about the archer bird that no longer finding flowers to decorate its nests uses artificial objects, the text also explains the newts who use plastic bags to lay their eggs in place of the leaves floating on the ponds.

TERZO TESTO (pag 64)

Do I want to help the environment? Add your voice to ours

This text reports the testimony of some young people from Bristol who want to sensitize as many people as possible to change their life and make it a more eco-sustainable one that will help reduce global warming and therefore save the planet.

QUARTO TESTO

POWER OF THE PLANT!

This text is about a grandmother who to treat simple colds or everyday illnesses uses home remedies such as herbs or vegetables from her garden, but this also has scientific foundations in fact, for example, she uses garlic to treat a sore throat, garlic contains allicin which helps to eradicate the bacteria that cause sore throats.

QUINTO TESTO

Health and safety versus Common sense?

this text talks about laws that would not make sense such as that the cell phone cannot be used in petrol stations, in fact it is stated that with its transmitters it would set the petrol on fire, causing an explosion. Either the law that prevents families from taking all of their children to the pool to reduce the risk of drowning or that phones must be turned off during the take-off or landing of an airplane, in fact it is said that electronic devices would interfere with the computers of the plane.