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Instructions: Read each question carefully and choose the best answer.

1. What is another good title for this book?
 - Ⓐ *Saving the Earth*
 - Ⓑ *A Friend of the Chimps*
 - Ⓒ *African Animals*
 - Ⓓ *A Chimp Named David*
2. The author included photos in this book to show _____.
 - Ⓐ Jane Goodall throughout her life
 - Ⓑ the chimpanzees Jane lived with and studied
 - Ⓒ the habitat of the Gombe Forest
 - Ⓓ all of the above
3. Why did Jane's reports on the Gombe chimps surprise people?
 - Ⓐ Her reports were mostly about an older chimp named David.
 - Ⓑ She reported on how chimps and humans were not alike in any way.
 - Ⓒ Her work made many scientists think that their old ideas about chimps might be wrong.
 - Ⓓ None of the above
4. Which of the following is an opinion?
 - Ⓐ Chimpanzees have the strongest family groups.
 - Ⓑ Chimpanzees can use simple tools.
 - Ⓒ Chimpanzees can behave in many ways.
 - Ⓓ Chimpanzees live in threatened forests.
5. According to the book, what caused Jane to leave Gombe and travel the world?
 - Ⓐ She needed to ask for help to save the chimps and their forest.
 - Ⓑ She wanted to see chimps in other forests.
 - Ⓒ Her family wanted her learn more about the world.
 - Ⓓ She was injured by one of the chimps and had to leave.

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6. What is the main reason the author wrote this book?
 - Ⓐ to entertain readers with photos of cute chimpanzees
 - Ⓑ to inform readers about the life and work of Jane Goodall
 - Ⓒ to persuade readers to travel to Africa
 - Ⓓ all of the above
7. Which of the following is not a detail about Jane Goodall?
 - Ⓐ She was born in 1934.
 - Ⓑ She named all of the chimps she observed.
 - Ⓒ She started organizations that protect wildlife.
 - Ⓓ She continues to work full time in Gombe.
8. Jane wanted to _____ chimpanzees and take careful notes.
 - Ⓐ hurt
 - Ⓑ study
 - Ⓒ clean
 - Ⓓ buy
9. What is the main reason the author included the section titled "Jane Goodall Today"?
 - Ⓐ to show readers that Jane has not done enough to save Gombe chimps
 - Ⓑ to show readers that Jane is a patient person with a love for animals
 - Ⓒ to show readers that Jane continues to learn and teach others about wildlife
 - Ⓓ to show readers that Jane is the only person who knows about chimpanzees
10. **Behavior** is _____.
 - Ⓐ a scientific research project
 - Ⓑ taking care of and saving for the future
 - Ⓒ the way a human or other animal acts in a certain situation.
 - Ⓓ none of the above
11. **Extended Response:** How was Jane Goodall able to get the chimps to trust her?

Quick Check Answer Sheet

Jane Goodall

Main Comprehension Skill: Author's Purpose

1. Ⓑ Main Idea and Details
2. Ⓓ Elements of Nonfiction
3. Ⓒ Cause and Effect
4. Ⓐ Fact or Opinion
5. Ⓐ Cause and Effect
6. Ⓑ Author's Purpose
7. Ⓓ Main Idea and Details
8. Ⓑ Main Idea and Details
9. Ⓒ Author's Purpose
10. Ⓒ Vocabulary
11. Answers will vary but should include ideas such as: *she gave one of the chimps food; she was patient because the trust grew over time; she sat and quietly watched the chimps, the chimps saw her all day, every day, and so on.*