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

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Which of the following were not able to survive when the Ice Age began? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ bears Ⓑ woolly mammoths Ⓒ dinosaurs Ⓓ saber-toothed tigers 2. What happened to Woolly's mother and Fang's parents? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ They were killed. Ⓑ They became friends. Ⓒ They fell off a cliff. Ⓓ They migrated together. 3. Why did the woolly mammoths have to leave the glacier in this story? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ The saber-toothed tigers kept attacking. Ⓑ They became too old. Ⓒ It became colder. Ⓓ They needed to find food. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. What is a crevasse? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ a steep hill Ⓑ an area covered by ice Ⓒ a deep crack in the ice Ⓓ a bridge of snow 5. When the woolly mammoths started to leave the glacier, what were the saber-toothed tigers afraid of? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ Fang would die. Ⓑ The woolly mammoths would attack. Ⓒ There would be no more food for them. Ⓓ All of the above 6. What did the woolly mammoth and the saber-toothed tiger have in common? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ⓐ They had thick hair or fur. Ⓑ They were surrounded by danger. Ⓒ They had a hard time finding food. Ⓓ All of the above |
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7. If something is **scarce**, what does that mean?
 - Ⓐ There is plenty.
 - Ⓑ It makes a loud sound.
 - Ⓒ It has an unpleasant smell.
 - Ⓓ There's not much of it.
8. Why did Woolly's mother not attack when the tigers jumped off her back?
 - Ⓐ She was too scared.
 - Ⓑ She was confused.
 - Ⓒ She was too small.
 - Ⓓ She was blinded.
9. What is the main problem of this story?
 - Ⓐ The parents of the young animals were killed.
 - Ⓑ The tigers and mammoths were struggling to find food.
 - Ⓒ The young tiger and mammoth wanted to play all day.
 - Ⓓ The land the tigers and mammoths lived in was getting colder.
10. How were a woolly mammoth's tusks useful?
 - Ⓐ They could uncover grasses beneath the ice.
 - Ⓑ They were a warning to other animals.
 - Ⓒ They could be used as weapons.
 - Ⓓ All of the above
11. **Extended Response:** How does the woolly mammoth herd protect and help Woolly as they migrate?
12. **Extended Response:** How does the beginning of the story introduce the characters and the setting?

Quick Check Answer Sheet

Woolly and Fang

Main Comprehension Skill: Story Elements: Identify Setting, Characters, and Plot

1. Ⓒ Main Idea and Details
2. Ⓐ Story Elements
3. Ⓓ Cause and Effect
4. Ⓒ Vocabulary
5. Ⓒ Story Elements
6. Ⓓ Compare and Contrast
7. Ⓓ Vocabulary
8. Ⓑ Cause and Effect
9. Ⓑ Problem and Solution
10. Ⓓ Main Idea and Details
11. Answers should include the following:
the mammoths placed Woolly in the middle of the herd; the herd trampled the snow into a packed path, making it easier for Woolly to travel.
12. Answers should include some of the following details: *the author described the Ice Age; the Earth became bitterly cold; lakes and rivers were frozen solid; snow fell and compacted into massive frozen mountains called glaciers; winter's chill was like no other; the woolly mammoths were covered with long hair to keep warm and had tusks that were curved; the tusks were well suited to move chunks of ice and snow, which allowed them to get to the grass under the snow and ice; the saber-toothed tigers had heavy coats and strong limbs; they had two upper fangs that were curved like a sword or saber that helped them catch their prey.*