

Test 2

Questions 14–17

Reading Passage 2 has six paragraphs, **A–F**.

Which paragraph contains the following information?

*Write the correct letter, **A–F**, in boxes 14–17 on your answer sheet.*

NB You may use any letter more than once.

- 14** a reference to how further disappearance of multiple species could be avoided
- 15** explanation of a way of reproducing an extinct animal using the DNA of only that species
- 16** reference to a habitat which has suffered following the extinction of a species
- 17** mention of the exact point at which a particular species became extinct

Questions 18–22

Complete the summary below.

Choose **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** from the passage for each answer.

Write your answers in boxes 18–22 on your answer sheet.

The woolly mammoth revival project

Professor George Church and his team are trying to identify the

18 which enabled mammoths to live in the tundra. The findings could help preserve the mammoth's close relative, the endangered Asian elephant.

According to Church, introducing Asian elephants to the tundra would involve certain physical adaptations to minimise **19** To survive in the tundra, the species would need to have the mammoth-like features of thicker hair,

20 of a reduced size and more **21**

Repopulating the tundra with mammoths or Asian elephant/mammoth hybrids would also have an impact on the environment, which could help to reduce temperatures and decrease **22**

Questions 23–26

Look at the following statements (Questions 23–26) and the list of people below.

Match each statement with the correct person, **A**, **B** or **C**.

Write the correct letter, **A**, **B** or **C**, in boxes 23–26 on your answer sheet.

NB You may use any letter more than once.

- 23** Reintroducing an extinct species to its original habitat could improve the health of a particular species living there.
- 24** It is important to concentrate on the causes of an animal's extinction.
- 25** A species brought back from extinction could have an important beneficial impact on the vegetation of its habitat.
- 26** Our current efforts at preserving biodiversity are insufficient.

List of People

- A** Ben Novak
- B** Michael Archer
- C** Beth Shapiro