

SELF LEARNING WORKSHEET 2018-19
PASSAGE -1



Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow:

The giraffe has the distinction of being the tallest animal in the world. The most striking feature of a giraffe is its unusually long neck. The neck is so long that it can reach a height of 18 feet. It also has two pairs of long legs.

The dark soft eyes of this tall animal give it a gentle look. Its ears are quite large and so sharp that they can pick up the faintest of sounds. It has a remarkable sense of hearing and a keen sense of smell.



The giraffe has a tongue about a foot and a half long with which it can pick the smallest of leaves off thorny plants without getting pricked .

Did you know that the giraffe has no voice at all? It may appear to be gentle but if attacked , the giraffe can put up a good fight . Its head and hind legs are its weapons against its enemies.

1. Complete the following sentences:

a) The two striking features of a giraffe are.....

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b)The giraffe's neck is so long that

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c) When attacked, a giraffe uses

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d) The ears of the giraffe can.....

e)An interesting feature of the giraffe is that it.....

f) The giraffe's tongue is special because.....

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2.Thinking Corner

Most of us have pets. Suppose you were asked to domesticate any wild animal, which animal would you like to choose and why? Think well and write a short paragraph on it.

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