

## Question Types

### Locating Details

Looking for information in the text.	
How many deserts are mentioned in the text?	Three (Short answer)

### Comparing and Contrasting

Finding differences	
In what way are Dromedary camels different from Bactrian camels? (give two points).	Dromedary camels have a single hump while Bactrian camels have a double one and Dromedary camels are larger than Bactrian camels.

### Vocabulary - context clues

Guessing the meaning of words	
Which word in the text refers to the openings in the nostrils'... (It can be guessed from the context the nose?)	the text

### Grammar - Changing word form (parts of speech)

Finding details and changing the verb word form.	
What does the underlined refer to?	The underlined 'it' refers to water. (agreement)

### Referential Questions

Finding what pronouns refer to.	
What does the underlined refer to?	The underlined 'it' refers to water.

### Inference Questions (Thinking skills)

Working out answers based on facts and common sense.	
Why do you think the Bactrian camels' thick coat of fur falls off in the spring?	I think the Bactrian camels' thick coat of fur falls off in the spring because it gets warmer and they no longer need it.

### Multiple choice - paraphrasing (same meaning/different words)

Looking for information in the text.	
Bactrian camels usually weigh more than Dromedary ones.	Double-humped ones weigh more than single-humped ones > NOT correct

## Exercise 2

Read the following text and answer the questions in complete sentences.

### Aqua City

Ocean Park has recently opened its new Aqua City which is full of exciting water attractions. The main exhibit is one of the best aquariums in the world. The best highlight of the aquarium is the 13-metre viewing panel, one of the largest in the world.

Inside the Grand Aquarium, guests can view 5,000 marine animals including over 400 species, including many that are new to Ocean Park. Two other highlights in the Grand Aquarium that are sure to capture your attention are the Bubble Tunnel, where you can see the movements of the fish as they swim over your head and the Shark Tank, which cleverly shows the swirling movement of a school of fish swimming. Young visitors will be thrilled with the Touch Pool where they can touch sea cucumbers and sea stars.

The Lagoon is also part of Aqua City. Refreshing sprays from the dancing fountains create patterns in the air. When it gets dark, the whole area is transformed into a stage for the world's first 360° water screen show called 'Symbio!' in which two 9 metre-tall fiery dragons meet on screen! The show is a story about the interaction between humans and animals and how we should protect our planet.



## Exercise 2 - questions

What is the main attraction in Aqua City?

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What is the length of the viewing panel in the aquarium?

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What can people see in the aquarium?

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Why do you think the Bubble Tunnel is interesting?

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Which part of Aqua City was designed for children?

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How do you think children enjoy it?

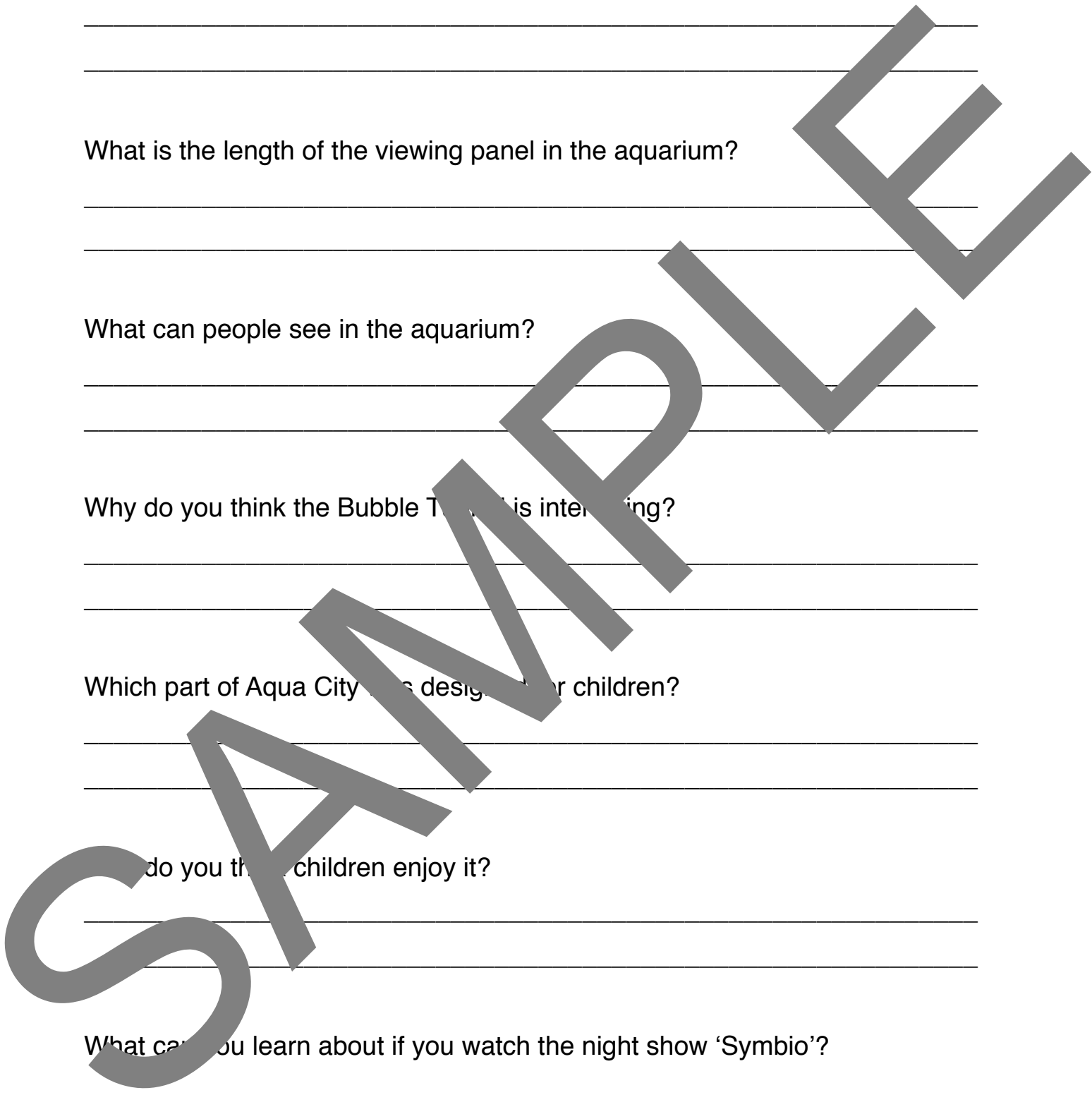
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What can you learn about if you watch the night show 'Symbio'?

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**Exercise 3**

Read the notice and give short answers to the questions.

**Do you love getting close to nature and animals? If so one of our our Discover Australia Holidays would be perfect for you. Join one of our Get-to-know Animals Tours and discover some of the natural wonders of Australia.**

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- Take a whale-watching cruise around Sydney Harbour.

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## Exercise 3 - questions

Which of the following can you NOT do on this tour? Underline the correct answer:

- (A) Spend time with water animals.
- (B) Take a boat.
- (C) See koala bears.
- (D) Jump with kangaroos.

Give short answers:

What is the name of the company that offers these tours?

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How long does the shortest tour group last?

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Does the price include the flight from Hong Kong to Australia?

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What are the living arrangements?

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Answer in complete sentences:

Where can travellers see water animals?

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What must travellers fly to in order to join the tours?

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## Exercise 2 - answers

What is the main attraction in Aqua City?

The main attraction in Aqua City is the Grand Aquarium.

What is the length of the viewing panel in the aquarium?

The length of the viewing panel in the aquarium is 13 metres. (Do not have 's' on metres)

What can people see in the aquarium?

People can see 5000 marine animals (including over 400 species).

Why do you think the Bubble Tunnel is interesting?

I think the Bubble Tunnel is interesting because you can see the fish as they swim over your head. (Accept any similar answer).

Which part of Aqua City was designed for children?

The Touch Pool was designed for children/them.

Why do you think children enjoy it?

Children/They enjoy it because they can touch sea cucumbers and sea stars.

What can you learn about if you watch the night show, 'Symbio'?

You can learn about the interaction between humans and animals and how we should protect our planet.

## Exercise 3 - answers

Which of the following can you NOT do on this tour? Underline the correct answer:

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- (B) Take a boat.
- (C) See koala bears.
- (D) Jump with kangaroos.

Give short answers:

What is the name of the company that offers these tours?

Australia Holidays

How long does the shortest tour group last?

7/Seven days

Does the price include the flight from Hong Kong to Australia?

No, it doesn't.

What are the living arrangements?

Camping (in the tents)

Answer in complete sentences:

Where can travellers see water animals?

Travellers can see water animals in Kakadu National Park, Perth and around Sydney harbour.

Where must travellers fly to in order to join the tours?

Travellers/They must fly to Sydney in order to join the tours.