

Read the extracts below then answer the questions that follow.

<p>A. A river is a long strip of water that moves downhill because of gravity. A river can be big and deep, or it can be narrow and shallow enough to walk across. A stream, creek, or brook is a moving body of water that isn't as big as a river. Some rivers run all year, while others only do so in certain seasons or after a lot of rain. Some of the world's <u>longest</u> rivers are thousands of miles long. Rivers have the power to erode rocks, which is how the Grand Canyon was made.</p> <p>The water in <u>rivers</u> is <u>fresh</u>, which means that it contains less than 1% salt. But rivers still carry and <u>spread</u> <u>salts</u> and <u>nutrients</u> that plants and animals <u>need</u> to stay alive. Because of this, some of the <u>most</u> <u>diverse</u> places on Earth can be found <u>near</u> rivers. Farmers in California's Central <u>Valley's</u> floodplain grow about one-third <u>of</u> the vegetables and two-thirds of the fruits and nuts that Americans eat. Rivers can <u>even</u> be used to make electricity with hydroelectric dams.</p>	<p>C. The ocean is a huge body of saltwater that covers about 71 percent of the Earth's surface. There is only one ocean on Earth, but traditionally, oceanographers and countries have divided it into four different parts: the Pacific, Atlantic, Indian, and Arctic oceans.</p> <p>It is thought that about 97% of the water on Earth is in the ocean. Because of this, the ocean has a big effect on the weather, the temperature, and the food that people and other animals eat. Even though it is huge and affects every living thing on Earth, the ocean is still a mystery. Humans have never mapped, explored, or even seen more than 80% of the ocean. The moon and Mars have been mapped and studied much more than our ocean floor.</p> <p>Oceanographers still have a lot to learn, but they have already found some amazing things.</p>
<p>B. A gulf is any large dip in the coast. More specifically, this type of feature is the reentrant of an ocean, no matter how big, deep, shaped, or made of rock it is.</p> <p>Gulfs can be made when the Earth's crust moves and the tectonic plates of the planet could rift, or break apart. Or, a process called subduction can cause one plate to slide under another. Subduction can make downfolds, or troughs, in the rock under the ocean, which can lead to a gulf. Gulfs can also have wide entrances, and sometimes they look the same as bigger bodies of water.</p> <p>Single gulfs usually form on the straight edges of continents. If the shoreline is not</p>	<p>D. A waterfall is a <u>steep</u> <u>drop</u> of a river or other body of water over a rocky ledge into a pool below. <u>Cascades</u> are another word for a waterfall. A big part of how waterfalls form is the <u>process</u> of <u>erosion</u>, which is the <u>wearing</u> <u>away</u> of earth's surface. Erosion is also <u>caused</u> <u>by</u> <u>waterfalls</u> themselves. Streams that <u>flow</u> from soft rock to hard rock often form waterfalls. A fall line is an imaginary line along which parallel rivers drop as they flow from highlands to lowlands. When there are a lot of waterfalls in an area, geologists and hydrologists can figure out where the fall line is and what rocks are underneath.</p> <p>People who like to get a rush like to do stunts or events on or near waterfalls</p>

	<p>straight and the geology is complicated, groups of similar gulfs may form. Most shorelines have bays, which are small places where water comes back in.</p> <p>Gulfs have a wide range of shapes and bottom features. They depend on how the land is made and how it has changed over time. Bedrock that is all the same and not very strong or resistant makes simple shapes and shallow depths.</p>		<p>because they are so beautiful and dangerous. People cross waterfalls in canoes, on tightropes, and even in barrels, which are safer. Many of these stunts, like jet-skiing over Niagara Falls, don't go as planned, and many daredevils have fallen to their deaths. Only two people are known to have survived a free fall from the top of Niagara Falls. These two men were hurt very badly.</p>
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Answer the following questions by choosing the correct letter that matches the description. Take note that the letters can be repeated accordingly.

Which extract mentions about...

1	how when the surface of the Earth moves, the tectonic plates of the planet can rift, or split apart, creating a specific body of water?
2	a body of water where some of the planet's most diverse locations can be located near them?
3	a body of water that plunges sharply over a rocky ledge into a pool below, whether it be a river or another type of water body?
4	a body of water having a variety of shapes and bottom characteristics that rely on the composition of the ground and its historical development?
5	in which some of them flow year-round whereas others do so at specific seasons or following a lot of rain?
6	a body of water where thrill-seekers like performing tricks or participating in activities on or near these water forms because it is both stunning and hazardous?
7	a body of water that has a significant impact on the climate, the temperature, and the food consumed by humans and other species?
8	a body of water that is capable of producing energy?
9	a body of water that remains a mystery today and that has been investigated significantly less than two heavenly bodies?
10	a body of water whose formation involves the eroding away of the planet's surface?

<p>A.</p>	<p>The Siamese cat is a popular breed known for its striking blue eyes and unique coloured coat. These cats are intelligent, active, and vocal, making them excellent companions for those who enjoy an interactive pet. Siamese cats are also affectionate and can form strong bonds with their owners.</p> <p>One of the most notable traits of the Siamese cat is its vocalisation. They are known to be talkative, using a range of meows, chirps, and purrs to communicate with their owners. This breed also tends to be more active than other cats, enjoying playtime and games. They are also quite intelligent and can learn tricks and tasks quickly.</p> <p>Siamese cats are often referred to as "lap cats" because they enjoy snuggling up with their owners. They are also quite social and will often follow their owners around the house. This breed is also known for its loyalty, forming strong bonds with their owners and becoming very attached to them.</p>	<p>C.</p> <p>The Sphynx cat's most distinctive feature is its lack of fur. Although they may appear to be completely bald, they actually have a fine layer of downy fur covering their body, which gives them a soft and velvety texture. The Sphynx cat's hairless appearance makes it a unique and exotic breed. They come in a range of colours and patterns, and their wrinkled skin and large ears give them a distinctive look.</p> <p>Since sphynx cats do not have a coat of fur to keep them warm, they are naturally drawn to warm places. They enjoy curling up under blankets, sitting in sunny spots, and cuddling with their owners to stay warm.</p> <p>Because of their lack of fur, Sphynx cats are more susceptible to certain health conditions than other cat breeds. They are prone to sunburn and can develop skin irritations if exposed to harsh chemicals or cleaning products. They are also more prone to respiratory infections and require regular bathing to keep their skin clean and healthy.</p>
<p>B.</p>	<p>The Bengal cat is a unique and exotic breed known for its stunning coat and wild appearance. These cats are active, intelligent, and curious, making them excellent companions for those who want a playful and interactive pet. Bengal cats are also quite expressive.</p> <p>One of the most notable traits of the Bengal cat is its stunning appearance. They have a wild and exotic appearance, with a coat that is covered in spots or marbled patterns. Bengal cats also have large eyes that give them a fierce and intense expression. The Bengal cat's coat also has a glittering effect that makes it appear as if it is sparkling in the light. Its muscular and</p>	<p>D.</p> <p>The Maine Coon cat is a large and majestic breed known for its thick coat and distinctive appearance. These cats are intelligent, playful, and social, making them excellent companions for those who want an interactive and affectionate pet.</p> <p>One of the most notable traits of the Maine Coon cat is its large size. They are one of the largest domesticated cat breeds, with males weighing up to 18 pounds or more. Maine Coon cats also have a thick, shaggy coat that requires regular grooming to prevent matting and tangling.</p> <p>Maine Coon cats are also known for their social nature. They enjoy being around people and other animals, and they are</p>

	<p>athletic build also adds to its wild appearance.</p> <p>The Bengal cat is known for its high energy levels and needs plenty of physical and mental stimulation to stay happy and healthy. This breed is also quite intelligent and can learn tricks and tasks quickly. They are also very curious and enjoy exploring their environment.</p> <p>Bengal cats are also known for their love of water. They enjoy playing with water and often enjoy splashing in a shallow pool or drinking from a running faucet</p>		<p>extremely loyal to their owners and will often follow their owners around the house. This breed is also quite affectionate and will often seek out attention and affection from their owners.</p> <p>Another notable trait of the Maine Coon cat is its adaptability. They are comfortable living in many environments, from apartments to large homes with outdoor space. They are also adaptable to different types of people, including families with children or single individuals.</p>
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Which extract mentions about...

11	a cat breed is known for its talkative and vocal nature, using a variety of sounds to communicate with its owners?
12	a cat breed whose distinguishing characteristic is adaptability, meaning that it can live in a variety of environments and with a variety of people?
13	a cat breed with a wild, unique physique and big eyes that give them a strong, deep expression?
14	a cat breed whose absence of fur is one of its most defining characteristics?
15	a cat breed that one of its most remarkable characteristics is its big size, in fact this breed is one of the largest domesticated cat breeds?
16	a cat breed is famed for its love of water and enjoys playing with it?
17	a cat breed distinguished by its stunning eye colour and distinctive coloured fur?
18	a cat breed that prefers warm environments by nature, they enjoy rolling up underneath covers, sitting in the sun, and snuggling with its owners to remain warm?
19	a big, graceful cat breed that is known for its heavy coat and unique look?
20	a cat breed that is more prone to particular health issues than other cat breeds?