

Part 1

Fill in the blanks to complete the facts you have learned.

1. Intolerant trees cannot survive in the _____.
2. In a cow's _____ stomach, the organisms are digested.
3. A rhinoceros provides _____ and _____ for a tickbird.
4. _____ fish eat parasites from larger ocean animals.
5. A _____ removes parasites from a rhinoceros and signals danger.
6. In a cow's _____ stomach, organisms digest the cellulose contained in plants.
7. _____ allow cleaner fish to eat things inside their mouths.
8. _____ trees do not need much sunlight to survive.

Part 2

Read the ad and answer the questions.

Tired of ruining your clothes? Sick of stains? Try No-More-Stains spot remover. People have used No-More-Stains to get out grass stains, mustard, and grape juice. Try it on blood, nail polish, and your other hard-to-treat stains. You won't be disappointed with No-More-Stains.

1. Does the ad actually say that No-More-Stains will get out blood and nail polish stains?

2. Write a sentence that would be in the ad if the ad said that No-More-Stains would get out blood and nail polish stains.

Part 3

Read the evidence and write the conclusion for each item.

Here's the evidence:

To graduate from high school, you must pass a proficiency test.

George did not pass the proficiency test.

1. What's the conclusion?

Here's the evidence:

The United States flag has 13 stripes.

The flag hanging on your wall only has 12 stripes.

2. What's the conclusion?

Here's the evidence:

The post office is closed on national holidays.

Thanksgiving is a national holiday.

3. What's the conclusion?

Part 4

Read the argument and answer the questions.

Mr. Nalawadi has been a football coach for 10 years. He has a near-perfect record, having only lost 13 games in his coaching career.

Mr. Nalawadi began as a high school football coach, but after 2 years he moved on to coach at the local university. He will begin his ninth year there next fall.

Before becoming a coach, Mr. Nalawadi was a star receiver at the University of Michigan. Although he loved the sport of baseball in high school, he gave it up to concentrate on football in college.

If you are interested in a career in football, I would recommend talking to Mr. Nalawadi. He can give you expert advice about the path to greatness in the sport.

1. The argument uses Mr. Nalawadi as a source for what kind of information?

2. Is Mr. Nalawadi a good source for this information? _____

3. For what kind of information would Mr. Nalawadi be a good source?
