

Elements of Fiction and The One and Only Ivan

1. How does the author use imagery in describing the mall?

- To depict a busy, artificial environment
- To display the mall as a quiet place
- To encourage readers to visit the mall
- To show the mall as a paradise

2. How does the author characterize Ivan's feelings about his surroundings?

- Ivan is excited about the mall activities.
- Ivan despises the humans who visit him.
- Ivan is content and happy.
- Ivan feels out of place and wishes for more.

3. Ivan's memory of his father's anger shows...

- that Ivan's father was a fierce and terrifying creature.
- the contrast between Ivan's life now and his natural habitat.
- that anger is never necessary for survival.
- that Ivan has inherited his father's anger.

4. What does Ivan mean when he describes anger as "precious"?

- It is an emotion only gorillas feel.
- It is a common and frequently felt emotion.
- It is a valuable emotion used for specific purposes in the wild.
- It is an emotion that should be hidden and never used.

5. Ivan's reflection on anger shows that...

- he has many gorillas to lead and protect.
- he feels lonely and lacks purpose.
- he feels threatened by his surroundings.
- he frequently uses anger to get what he wants.

6. What is the primary purpose of the passage?

- To show the reader how to take care of a gorilla
- To teach about gorillas in the wild
- To promote the Big Top Mall
- To provide insight into Ivan's life and thoughts at the mall

7. Which statement best summarizes Ivan's perspective on his life in the mall?

- Ivan feels confined, misunderstood, and yearns for more.
- Ivan is hopeful about returning to the wild soon.
- Ivan enjoys the attention and activities in the mall.
- Ivan is focused on protecting the other animals.

8. How does Ivan feel about the billboard?

- Indifferent, as billboards don't matter
- Amused by the artist's creativity
- Misrepresented because he is not an angry creature
- Proud because it shows his strength

9. Why does Ivan mention that he cannot read?

- To explain why he doesn't like books
- To highlight a longing for more fulfilling activities
- To suggest that gorillas can be taught to read
- To show his dislike for literature

10. What does the passage imply about Mack's relationship with Ivan?

- Mack rescued Ivan from the wild.
- Mack is the owner, and Ivan is one of the attractions.
- Mack fears Ivan's strength.
- Mack and Ivan are close friends.

11. In the context of the passage, what does "domain" mean?

- A kingdom where Ivan rules
- A place where Ivan can read
- Ivan's confined living space at the mall
- A place that reminds Ivan of the wild

12. The mood of the passage is...

- sad and reflective.
- tense and suspenseful.
- joyful and carefree.
- energetic and lively.