

Questions 25–35 are about *White Fang* (pages 10–11).

25. Who does the word *them* in the first sentence refer to?

Tick **one**.

the men

the trails

the trees

the wolves

25
1 mark

26. Choose the best word or group of words to fit the sentences below and put a ring around your choice.

(a). The cub had gone down to the stream for

a sleep.

water.

food.

a swim.

26a
1 mark

(b). The cub was careless because

he was fearless.

he knew his mother was near.

he had never come to harm there.

he was wide awake.

26b
1 mark

(c). When the men first saw the cub they were

motionless.

noisy.

fascinated.

excited.

26c
1 mark

27. **Find** and **copy one** word or phrase which shows that the cub was used to that particular trail.

27
1 mark

28. Look at the paragraph beginning: *He went down past the blasted pine...*
Give the **two** ways the cub first notices the men.

1. _____

2. _____

28
1 mark

29. *But at the sight of him the five men did not spring to their feet, nor show their teeth, nor snarl.* (paragraph 2)

What does this show us about the cub's experience of men?

29
2 marks

please turn over

Total
8 marks

30. Look at the paragraphs beginning: *Nor did the cub move...* and *The cub had never seen...*

Find and copy two phrases which show that humans have total control over animals.

1. _____

2. _____

30
2 marks

31. Use the text below to answer questions 31 (a) and (b).

Had he been full-grown, he would have run away. As it was, he cowered down in a paralysis of fear, already half offering the surrender that his kind had made from the first time a wolf came in to sit by man's fire and be made warm.

- (a). **Underline** the phrase that shows that the cub is too frightened to move.

31a
1 mark

- (b). **Find and copy** the word that suggests the cub is giving up to the humans.

31b
1 mark

32. In the final paragraph the cub's last wail is described as having *more of triumph than grief* in it.

Explain why there is a sense of *triumph* in the cub's last wail.

32
2 marks

33. Look at the final paragraph.

Find and **copy** the sentence which is the turning point in this paragraph.

33
1 mark

please turn over

Total

7 marks

34. How does this extract try to make you feel sorry for the cub?
Give **three** ways.

34
3 marks

35. Number the following (1-5) to show the order in which they happen in the story.

The first one has been done for you.

The cub knew his mother was coming to the rescue.

The cub bit the man.

The men sat there quite still.

The cub moved freely through the trees.

The cub felt small and helpless.

35
1 mark