

**e-future PYP Readers**

**LEVEL 5-1**

# Parismina



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**A Write the correct word for each definition.**

insect

poison

vegetation

plastic

extend

guard



- \_\_\_\_\_ can cause you to become sick or die if you eat or drink it.
- A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ is a small animal with six legs and a body formed of three parts.
- To \_\_\_\_\_ something is to protect it from danger or attack.
- To \_\_\_\_\_ a part of your body is to stretch it out.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is the plants and trees that grow in a particular area.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is a light, artificial material that can be made into different shapes.

**B Write the synonym for the given word. Change the form if needed.**

dreadful

species

resplendent

glow

sip

- Costa Rica has many \_\_\_\_\_ of butterflies.  
kinds
- The minibus was bouncing because the road was \_\_\_\_\_.  
terrible
- If an animal has fluorescence, it can \_\_\_\_\_ in the dark.  
shine
- The video said the quetzal was \_\_\_\_\_.  
gorgeous
- The two college students were \_\_\_\_\_ coconuts.  
drinking

## C Write the correct word to complete the sentence.

away      of      up      after      around      to

1. The driver **turned** the bus \_\_\_\_\_ and sped back up the road.
2. I wonder if the blue morph's color is **related** \_\_\_\_\_ fluorescence.
3. Parismina is **named** \_\_\_\_\_ a girl called Mina.
4. The tribes in South Africa **dress** \_\_\_\_\_ for ceremonies.
5. The bags are to **keep** \_\_\_\_\_ the insects.
6. The bananas will be **full** \_\_\_\_\_ poison.

## D Write your own sentences using the same pattern.

### Reported Speech

You can report what someone said or thought by using *said/thought (that)* + sentence.

The tense of speech in the present usually shifts to past tense when it is reported.

- Video: "It is resplendent."  
→ The video **said (that) it was resplendent.**
- Chantal: "There will be a beach."  
→ She thought **(that) there would be a beach.**

1. "It's an endangered species," the scientist said.  
→ The scientist said it was an endangered species.
2. "I hate scary insects," said Olivia.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
3. "The Caribbean Sea looks beautiful," said Nico.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
4. "I'll have a good time on the trip," thought Cameron.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.

**A Circle T for true or F for false.** (pp. 2-8)

1. The bus that the children are on does not have air conditioning. T / F
2. They saw a lot of banana trees. T / F
3. There were bags on the bananas to keep monkeys from eating them. T / F
4. The children had all seen the Caribbean before T / F
5. The bus entered real rainforest. T / F
6. The quetzal is a Central American bird with a long tail. T / F

**B Choose the best answers.** (pp. 9-11)

1. **When Chantal and Neha first saw the blue morph, they**  
a. were confused and curious..  
b. thought it was beautiful.  
c. were scared and screamed.
2. **Who caught the butterfly?**  
a. Mpho      b. Peter      c. Keum Jung
3. **Which is true about Costa Rica?**  
a. It has butterfly farms.  
b. It has only a few kinds of butterflies.  
c. It buys thousands of butterflies from other countries.
4. **Which is true about the students' first view of the Caribbean?**  
a. It looked very romantic.  
b. There was vegetation.  
c. There was a lovely beach.

## **C** Match and complete the sentences.

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|-------------------------|---|---|
| 1. Mr. Petrey           | • | • a. suggested that the kids try coconut juice. |
| 2. Mpho                 | • | • b. are an unusual color.                      |
| 3. Blue morphs          | • | • c. knows the story of Parismina's name.       |
| 4. Sea turtles          | • | • d. are endangered.                            |
| 5. The college students | • | • e. enjoys taking trips with his students.     |
| 6. Chantal              | • | • f. is from South Africa.                      |

## **D** Complete the summary with the correct words.

brilliant   sip   minibus   rainforest   beach   plantations   protect

Five classmates in Mr. Petrey's class are on a(n) 1. \_\_\_\_\_ in Costa Rica. It's a hard trip because the road is bad. But they see some interesting things, including banana 2. \_\_\_\_\_. The bananas are covered with bags to keep bugs away. Then they drive through some real 3. \_\_\_\_\_. They see something flying around the bus. Two of the girls are afraid of it, but it's just a blue morph butterfly. One of the kids catches it. They discuss its 4. \_\_\_\_\_ blue color and then let it go. Finally, the bus reaches the Caribbean Sea. The kids are surprised that there is no 5. \_\_\_\_\_. They meet two college students who are there for the same reason they are: to 6. \_\_\_\_\_ endangered sea turtles on Parismina Island. As they 7. \_\_\_\_\_ coconut juice, they talk about what the name "Parismina" means.