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Objective Test Answer Key
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Foundation Tier

Question	Key		
One	**A**	conserves forests	**4**
	B	uses a renewable energy source	**2**
	C	reduces quarrying	**1**
	D	saves electrical energy	**3**
Two	**A**	The camel's stomach can hold 200 litres of water.	**3**
	B	The camel produces little urine and does not sweat.	**1**
	C	Camels store fat in a hump.	**4**
	D	Camels can withstand an increase in body temperature of 9°C without harm.	**2**
Three	**A**	Humboldt	**2**
	B	Magellanic	**3**
	C	Rockhopper	**4**
	D	Emperor	**1**
Four	**A**	insulin is produced by genetically engineered bacteria	**3**
	B	diabetics inject insulin to control diabetes	**4**
	C	the insulin gene is 'cut out' using enzymes	**1**
	D	the insulin gene is transferred into a bacterium	**2**
Five	**A**	cell	**4**
	B	nucleus	**1**
	C	chromosome	**2**
	D	gene	**3**

	A	B	C	D
Six	**2**	**1**	**4**	**1**
Seven	**3**	**3**	**4**	**3**
Eight	**2**	**3**	**3**	**2**
Nine	**2**	**4**	**4**	**3**

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Higher Tier

Question	*Key*		
One	**A**	cell	**4**
	B	nucleus	**1**
	C	chromosome	**2**
	D	gene	**3**
Two	**A**	oxygen	**4**
	B	sulfur dioxide	**1**
	C	pesticide	**3**
	D	carbon dioxide	**2**

	A	**B**	**C**	**D**
Three	**2**	**3**	**3**	**2**
Four	**2**	**4**	**4**	**3**
Five	**4**	**1**	**3**	**2**
Six	**2**	**4**	**1**	**3**
Seven	**3**	**2**	**4**	**4**
Eight	**4**	**3**	**4**	**3**
Nine	**1**	**3**	**2**	**3**