**Mountain Gorillas,** the speech  
Animals in danger

1. Read the text. / Preberi besedilo.  
  
Children are playing on the grass. Their mothers and fathers are eating food and watching them. Is this a family having a picnik in the park? No, it's a group of Mountain Gorillas in a forest in Africa.

Gorillas live in groups in the forest. Mountain Gorillas live in forests in the mountains. They are the biggest kind of gorilla. They have long hair which keeps them warm in the cold mountains. They have got long and strong arms and very big feet.

Mountain Gorillas eat grass and they eat them most of the day. They get up early in the morning and start eating. When it is very hot they sleep a little, and then they get up and eat till it gets dark. Some Mountain Gorillas eat eighteen kilograms of plants in one day. At the end of the day, the gorillas build nests to sleep in. They sleep on the grass or in the trees.

The forests are the Mountain Gorillas' home and food, but people are cutting down the forests. Many Mountains Gorillas die when people cut down forests. Thre are only about fifty Mountain Gorillas in the world today. Twenty years ago, there were about fiften thousand Mountain Gorillas.

We must protect the forests, so we can protect the gorillas.

2. Answer the questions./ Odgovori na vprašanja.

1. What keeps the gorillas warm?   
2. Whre do Mountain Gorillas live?  
3. What happens when people cut down the forests?  
4. How many Mountain Gorillas are there in the mountains today?  
5. How can people protect the Mountain Gorillas?

3. Match the sentences./ Poveži dva dela povedi.

1 Mountain Gorillas live a) the gorillas and the forests.  
2 They are b) the largest gorillas.  
3 They have c) in forests.  
4 They eat d) very long hair.  
5 They sleep e) plants.  
6 Today there are f) in nests.  
7 We must protect g) 500 Mountain Gorillas.

4. Complete. / Dopolni.

When? What the gorillas do?

1 early in the morning - eats plants.  
2 when it gets hot - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
3 at the end of the day - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

5. Fill in the blanks with the words from the box./ Dopolni povedi z besedami, ki manjkajo.

Warm, protect, worried, barks, wag, wrong, forests,  
in danger, member, skin, safely, symbol

1 The water isn't hot and it isn't cold. It's \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
2 My dog likes to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his tail every time he sees me.  
3 Many animals are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_! They need our help!  
4 The dove is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of peace.  
5 Why do people need to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ koalas today?  
6 There are people who cut down the trees in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
7 Their dog always \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at night. I can't sleep.  
8 My mother is always \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about me, when I get home late.  
9 Guide dogs help blind people walk \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ across the street.  
10 Chameleons can change the colour of their\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when they are  
 in danger.  
11 The boy is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of a basketball club.  
12 There is something \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with my cat. It doesn't want to eat.

6. Circle the correct word./ Obkroži pravilno besedo.

1 Do / Does the sharks live in the sea?  
2 Do / Does the koalas live in Australia?  
3 Do / Does the kangaroo keeps its baby in its pocket?  
4 Do / Does the lions live in Africa?  
5 Do / Does a guide dog help blind people?  
6 Do / Does the vet check the animals if they are healthy?  
7 Do / Does the giraffe eat leaves?  
8 Do / Does the panda live in China?

7. Fill in **don't** or **doesn't.**

1 We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ know which animals are in danger.  
2 The panda \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ live in Israel.  
3 My cousin \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ have any pets.  
4 I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ like spiders.  
5 Leopards \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ change their colour when they get angry.  
6 A koala bear \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ keep its baby in the nest.  
7 Penguins \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ live in India.  
8 A giraffe \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ eat fish.  
  
8. Put the words into groups.

1 2 3 4

cow \_\_ shark \_\_ elephant \_\_ sheep\_\_  
 dolphin\_\_ donkey\_\_ duck\_\_ cat\_\_  
 horse\_\_ parrot\_\_ crocodile\_\_\_ rabbit\_\_  
 mouse\_\_ penguin\_\_ dog\_\_ monkey\_\_  
 tiger\_\_ zebra\_\_ chameleon\_\_ panda\_\_  
 lion\_\_\_ puppy\_\_ giraffe\_\_ bear\_

        
   
9. Animals quiz

1 This animal is often called the king of the animals. It is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
2 This animal is grey and small. It is afraid of cats. It is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
3 This animal has got white and black stripes. It is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
4 These birds can swim and dive. But they can't fly. They are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
5 People like to keep this animal as a pet. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ catch mice and  
 like milk.  
6 This is a very large animal with thick grey skin, big ears and a nose   
 called a trunk. It is an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
7 This is a wild animal who likes honey very much. There are many types of   
 a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: black \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Grizzly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,   
 Polar \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Children play with teddy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
8 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is an animal of the horse family, with short legs and long ears.  
9 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is an animal of with a long tail taht climbs trees and lives in   
 hot countries.  
10 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is a large wild animal of the cat family that has black stripes   
 on its fur.  
11 This is a large sea fish with very sharp teeth. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are   
 very dangerouse because they can attack people.  
12 This animal has got four legs and a tail. People keep it as a pet or train   
 for work. Guide \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ help blind and deaf people to cross the street.  
 It is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
13 This animal lives on a farm. It gives us milk. It is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
14 These animals are very small. They are the best workers.   
 They can be wild or domestic. They have got a sting. They are insects.  
 These animals are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

10. Describe your wild animal (gorillas or lions).  
  
I am describing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
It is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
  
It lives in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
It has got \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
It eats \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
It can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
It can't \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
  
I like it because it \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_