**Read the text below, choose one from the options a, b, c, or d.**

LOST IN THE NATIONAL PARK?

Each year The National Park Service alone conducts more than 6,000 search-and-rescue operations. And each year, about 120 people who get lost there never make it back.

Sudden 1\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the temperature can happen almost anywhere in America. That is why the ﬁrst thing you should do when you are lost — before making ﬁre, even ﬁnding water, is ﬁnd shelter. The main thing is to wake up alive the next morning. You can 2\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ three or four days without water and three or four weeks without food.

When you try to ﬁnd a spot to sleep, look for a ﬂat area that is relatively 3\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. It will stay warmer since cool air sinks. Rocks not only 4\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the wind but absorb heat during the day, and 5\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it at night, staying as much as 10 degrees warmer than the air temperature.

To make a bed, before settling down for the night, look around. Snakes, rodents, scorpions and insects could be in the area. The grass 6\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an excellent base to keep the earth from absorbing your body heat at night.

To ﬁnd water, look 7\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ concentrations of plant life and listen for insect and bird noises. Follow the sounds of the insects and the greenery, and a stream.

Should you drink water in the wilderness if you cannot purify it? If you really need water, you are going to drink it, because even if it is 8\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, you will not get sick for a couple of days. And hopefully you will be rescued before then.

The ultimate goal of any survival situation is to be 9\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and ﬁre is one of the best ways to signal for help. The ﬁre, built up enough, can be seen for miles. If you cannot start a ﬁre, use what you do have. For instance, a lid found on the ground can 10\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ light, to get a pilot’s attention. In this case, trash becomes a potential life-saver.

l a) drops b) changeable c) different d) rise

2 a) life b) live c) leave d) to be

3 a) high b) nice c) pleasant d) warm

4 a) start b) block c) provide d) protect

5 a) shine b) get c) radiate d) absorb

6 a) puts b) makes c) does d) gets

7 a) at b) up c) after d) for

8 a) contaminated b) poisonous c) eatable d) healthy

9 a) lost b) safe c) warm d) rescued

10 a) show b) reﬂect c) block d) absorb