

- 19 What is the purpose of this text?
- To describe beautiful Bu Tinah
  - To explain the history of Bu Tinah
  - To convince people to vote for Bu Tinah
  - To warn people to stay away from Bu Tinah
- 20 Why does the first sentence of the text refer to Bu Tinah as 'one of the natural jewels of the UAE'?
- It is hard.
  - It is shiny.
  - It is valuable.
  - It is expensive.
- 21 Which of these is a type of fish?
- Hilali       Osprey       Flamingo       Mangrove
- 22 In the second paragraph of the text, what does 'competition' mean?
- Organisation
  - Contest
  - Nation
  - Island
- 23 Why is Bu Tinah a safe place for animals?
- The water is warm.
  - It has fences around it.
  - It is in a protected area.
  - There are many hiding places.



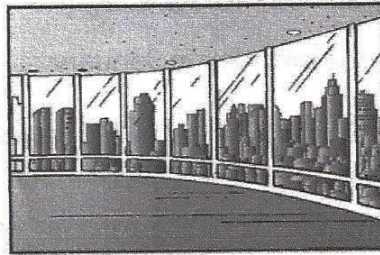
Read the text and answer questions 24-29.

## At the Top Celebrates Its First Anniversary

**3 January 2011**

The Burj Khalifa in Dubai is the tallest building in the world. It is 828 metres high and has 160 floors. At the Top is the name of the observation deck on the 124th floor. It is the highest observation deck in the world. It has spectacular views of the city and area below. This tourist hot spot was recently voted the best tourist attraction in Dubai.

At the Top will celebrate its first anniversary on the 4th of January. On that day, all who visit At the Top will receive free chocolates. Those with January birthdays, however, may receive much more. The first 828 visitors with January birthdays will receive special prizes.



In addition, visitors who buy an 'Immediate Entry Ticket' will have their names entered in a drawing. Winners of the drawing will receive a one-night stay at the hotel in the Burj Khalifa and dinner in its excellent Indian restaurant. Those who visit At the Top should give feedback about their visit, because At the Top is having a 'Guest Feedback Contest'. Winners will receive Burj Khalifa souvenirs and dinner at the hotel's restaurant.

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What type of text is this an example of?

- A poem
- A myth
- A news article
- A personal essay



25 Why will At the Top give away 828 special prizes?

- To show how many days the building has been open
- To show how many floors the building has
- To represent the address of the building
- To represent the height of the building

26 What must someone do for a chance to win a one-night stay in the hotel at the Burj Khalifa?

- Enter the 'Guest Feedback Contest'
- Buy an 'Immediate Entry Ticket'
- Have a birthday in January
- Visit on the 4th of January

27 What does the word 'spectacular' mean in this sentence from the text?

*'It has spectacular views of the city and area below.'*

- Poor
- Fancy
- Strange
- Wonderful

28 Identify the purpose of the text.

Support your answer with one detail from the text.

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29 Describe how At the Top celebrates its first anniversary.

Support your answer with one detail from the text.

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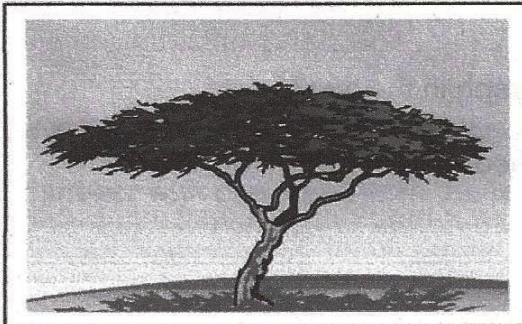
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Read the text and answer questions 30-37.





## Take a Picture, Win a Camera!

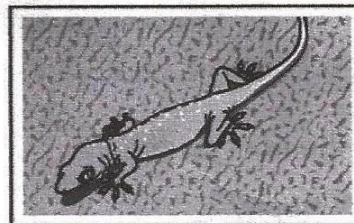
Flora and Fauna of Abu Dhabi *Emirates Photo Magazine* Contest



Use your artistic skill to take a photograph of a plant or animal found in Abu Dhabi. From date palms to wild grasses, from goats to geckos, there are many great subjects for photos!

This contest is open to all amateur photographers. There are two categories: under age 18, and over age 18. Each person may submit up to three photos.

-  Twelve winning photos will be chosen and used on a calendar to be published in the January, 2012 issue of *Emirates Photo Magazine*.
-  Each winner will receive a high-quality print of their photo and a trophy. Winners will be notified by 1 December, 2011.
-  In addition, the person whose photo is judged *Best Overall* will receive a digital camera set. It will include a camera with a built-in flash, a case, and a tripod.
-  Photos should be submitted by email, in jpeg format. File size should not be larger than 2 MB. Email entries to [floraf fauna@emiratesphotocalendar.ae](mailto:floraf fauna@emiratesphotocalendar.ae). The deadline is 31 May.



30 Read this sentence from the text.

'There are two categories: under age 18, and over age 18.'

What is the meaning of the word 'categories'?

- Prizes       Groups       Magazines       Photographs



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31 What is the purpose of the photos with the text?

- They are examples of good photos.
- They show this year's winning photos.
- They give readers directions to enter the contest.
- They let readers know what their photos must show.

32 What is the purpose of the **last** paragraph in the text?

- It tells when winners will be notified.
- It tells how many people will win.
- It describes the biggest prize.
- It explains the rules.

33 Which is **most likely** to be the subject of a winning photo?

- A sunset
- A statue
- A desert flower
- A football player

34 How will the winning photos be displayed in the magazine?

- On the front cover
- On a trophy
- On an email
- On a calendar



35 Identify a subject for a photo that could be entered in this contest.

Support your answer with one detail from the text.

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36 Describe how this text is like real texts students might read.

Support your answer with one detail from the text.

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37 Identify the purpose of the email.

Support your answer with one detail from the text.

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