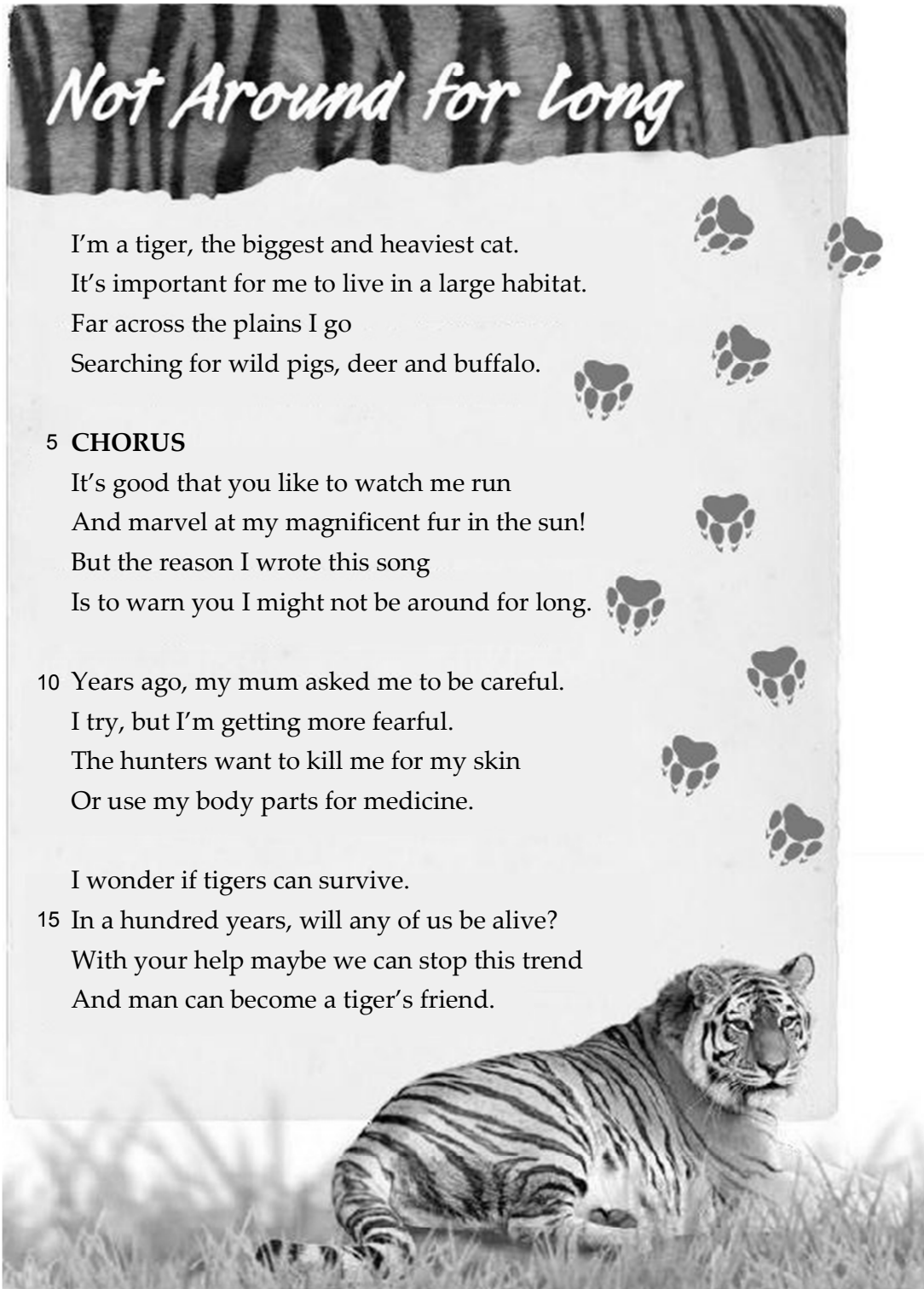


Name: _____ () Class: _____ Date: _____

You have found a song about tigers on an endangered species website. Read the song lyrics.

Text 3 Song lyrics



Not Around for Long

I'm a tiger, the biggest and heaviest cat.
 It's important for me to live in a large habitat.
 Far across the plains I go
 Searching for wild pigs, deer and buffalo.

5 CHORUS

It's good that you like to watch me run
 And marvel at my magnificent fur in the sun!
 But the reason I wrote this song
 Is to warn you I might not be around for long.

10 Years ago, my mum asked me to be careful.
 I try, but I'm getting more fearful.
 The hunters want to kill me for my skin
 Or use my body parts for medicine.

I wonder if tigers can survive.

15 In a hundred years, will any of us be alive?
 With your help maybe we can stop this trend
 And man can become a tiger's friend.

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Comprehension 3 *Your sister listened to the song and she wants to know more about the lyrics. Answer her questions using information from the song lyrics. For multiple-choice questions, choose the best answer and blacken ONE circle only.*

1 Which word in the first verse rhymes with 'cat'? _____

2 Use ONE word to complete each blank.

The tiger needs a _____ place to hunt for wild pigs, deer and _____.

3 Which word in the chorus means 'to be surprised and impressed'?

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| A good | C warn | A B C D |
| B marvel | D watch | ○ ○ ○ ○ |

4 According to the chorus, why did the tiger write this song?

5 Who does 'us' (line 15) refer to?

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|-----------|---------------------|---------|
| A humans | C tigers | A B C D |
| B hunters | D tigers and humans | ○ ○ ○ ○ |

6 Are the following sentences **True (T)**, **False (F)**, or is the information **Not Given (NG)**? Write the correct letter(s) in the boxes.

i) The tiger is not afraid of hunters.	
ii) Hunters kill tigers for their body parts.	
iii) The tiger's mother is no longer alive.	

7 What is the tiger's attitude towards humans? (Put a tick in the correct box.)

- ☐ Hopeless
 ☐ Neutral
 ☐ Hopeful

8 Which of the following is the best alternative title for the song?

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|-------------------------|--|---------|
| A 'Help Animals' | | |
| B 'Animals in the Wild' | | |
| C 'Tigers in Need' | | A B C D |
| D 'Beware of Tigers' | | ○ ○ ○ ○ |