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1. In the sentence, "The ancient Egyptians *pampered* these animals, making sure they were superbly well cared for and fed," *pampered* means

- A. took care of only their basic needs.
- B. worshipped them as gods.
- C. preserved them with salt and oil.
- D. gave them more food and attention than they needed.

2. *Embalmers* were people who

- A. preserved dead bodies.
- B. cared for animals.
- C. destroyed mummies.
- D. took care of temples.

3. The Egyptians mummified some animals because

- A. they considered the animals sacred.
- B. they wanted to preserve beloved pets.
- C. they thought the animals were living spirits of gods.
- D. all of the above.

4. In the sentence, "When the dog died, the king's followers mummified the animal and placed it in a *crypt*," the word *crypt* means

- A. pet shop.
- B. tomb.
- C. museum.
- D. kennel.

5. How can you tell that Salima Ikram enjoys her work as an archaeologist at the American University of Cairo?

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