1. Read Danny’s diary and complete his timetable. Remember there are **extra words**!

   EXTINCT / WATERFALL / VALLEY / PATH / WOOD / ROCKS / FENCE / STREAM / BARBECUE / REGION / FOUNTAIN / SPECIES / CAVE / MIGRATION / CONSERVATION

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<td>1. A place where you can cook food outside.</td>
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<td>2. A structure which separates two areas of land, gardens, houses, it’s similar to a wall but made of wood</td>
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<td>3. This is something that is usually in a public place, which supplies water for drinking</td>
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<td>4. A road between one place and another. It’s usually in the countryside or the forest.</td>
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<td>5. Water, especially from a river or stream, dropping from a higher to a lower point, sometimes from a great height</td>
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<td>6. An area of land between hills or mountains, often with a river running through it</td>
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<td>7. Big stones next the sea or the mountains, sticking up from the ground</td>
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<td>8. Water that flows naturally. Similar to a river but smaller.</td>
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<td>9. A group of animals or plants that have similar characteristics to each other</td>
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<td>10. An area of a country or of the world</td>
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2. Look at the pictures. Can you write a definition for 6 of them? Look at the example to help you.

**Example:** This is a tent. You can use it for sleeping when you are in the mountains.

1. _____________________________________________________________________________
2. _____________________________________________________________________________
3. _____________________________________________________________________________
4. _____________________________________________________________________________
5. _____________________________________________________________________________
6. _____________________________________________________________________________

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3. **Read about the Pyrenees Mountains then answer the questions.**

The Pyrenees mountain range is incredibly long, about 430 kms. It divides France and Spain, little Andorra is in the middle! The form of the mountains was made by glaciers which have waterfalls beside them that form four rivers that flow to the valleys on the Spanish side. Due to the extreme differences in climate between the peaks and valleys, the ecosystem is currently supporting 1500 species of flora.

In the Pyrenees you can find a great national park called The Odesa National Park. Inside the park there are all kinds of wildlife, 32 different species of mammals, for example, the Ibex, foxes or otters; over a 100 different kinds of birds like vultures or golden eagles, 8 varieties of reptiles, several different kinds of fish, six amphibians and an incredible 139 species of butterfly!

Several species of fauna which exist in the the park are on red or endangered species lists such as the Pyrenean Ibex goat mentioned above.
The Ordesa Valley has been a National Park since 1918. In 1997 Mount Perdido, as part of the national park site, was inscribed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. According to UNESCO, Mount Perdido has classic geological formation with deep canyons and “spectacular cirque walls.” The landscape is also a beautiful scene with lakes, caves, forests and mountain slopes. Science has also invested in the area with a large number of conservation projects in place to ensure the sustainability of the park for generations to come.

More than 3,000 people live in the surroundings of the biosphere reserve in the Comarca de Sobrarbe and the Comarca de Alto Gallego municipalities. Most people make a living through tourism or cattle and sheep farming. More than 700,000 tourists (2000) visit the reserve annually. Serious climbers go up one of the peaks, even in winter when there is a lot of snow. Others go walking, skiing, snowboarding, have a group trek with friends or go rafting along one of the many rivers. The choice of what to do is varied. Apart from the natural attractions, visitors also have access to the Eco Museum, Romanesque Chapels, and ancient churches.

There are lots of legends about Monte Perdido, some say there is a palace on top of the mountain, right on the peak but only a few chosen people can see it and even then you can only go inside if you are riding on a flying horse. Another legend says there are enormous gardens around the palace and high walls. Lots of people believe the legends and try to find the palace but no-one has found it yet. Maybe that’s why they call it the Lost Mountain!

1. Where are the Pyrenees Mountains? ____________________________________________

2. What can you find or see in the valleys? ____________________________________________

3. Why do you think there are so many mammals or butterflies in the park? ____________________________________________

4. Why do farmers have animals there? ____________________________________________

5. What can tourists do there? ____________________________________________

6. Do you believe the legend? Why / why not? ____________________________________________

Points: __/12
Find words in the text that mean:

A. a mass of ice that moves *(paragraph 1)*
B. all the animals that live wild in a particular area *(paragraph 2)*
C. the protection of plants and animals, natural areas, and interesting and important structures and buildings, especially from the damaging effects of human activity *(paragraph 3)*
D. the highest point of a mountain *(paragraph 5)*

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4. Answer the questions. Write a complete sentence.

1. Do you prefer mountains or cities? Why?
2. Would you like to live in the mountains? Why / why not?
3. What is your favourite (famous) place? Why?
4. Imagine you have a weekend free and you can go anywhere you want. Where are you going to go? Why?

Points: __ / 8
5. Imagine you are on a camping trip to the mountains with your class. Which of the things below do you think are really important and which are not important there. Explain why. Write about 80 words.

- a mobile phone
- a camera
- some binoculars
- your favourite walking boots
- some bars of chocolate
- anti-mosquito spray
- lots of sweets
- an iPod
- a skate board
- an alarm clock
- a tent
- a sleeping bag

**e.g.** I think the …. is important because….and you can…

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**Points: ___ / 10**

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TOTAL POINTS: ___ / 50