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Grade 4

ENGLISH 1ST ADD LANGUAGE

Comprehension and Language: Memorandum

Date: _____

Question 1: (Underline the correct answer.)

- 1.1 The period when the San and Khoi lived in Africa, was called the Stone Age, because:
- a) The San and Khoi hunted for food and gathered food.
 - b) Most of the tools and implements of that era were made of stone.
 - c) The soil of African is full of stones.
- 1.2 Which part of Africa is the driest?
- a) East Africa
 - b) Southern Africa
 - c) North Africa

Question 2: (Answer the following questions)

- 2.1 List four interesting facts about Africa.

Africa has a variety of wildlife

Africa is known for its natural beauty

Africa has some of the highest recorded temperatures.

Africa is the continent where the most languages are spoken.

- 2.2 Where were the old tools made of stone found?

In the Sterkfontein Caves

- 2.3 How old do they think these tools are?

Approximately two million years old.

2.4 Complete the following:

- The **Sahara Desert** stretches across **eleven** countries and is roughly the size of North America.
- Central Africa is known for its **warm** and **rainy** conditions.
- Many **rainforests** are found in Central Africa.
- The highest recorded temperature in the world was recorded in **Libya** and measured **58°C**.

Language in Context

3. Sort all the underlined nouns in the passage under the correct heading:

Common Nouns	Proper Nouns
continent animals plants tools countries books	Southern Africa Khoi Stone Age Sterkfontein Caves Sahara Desert Libya

4. Complete the table by giving either the singular or plural of the words:

Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural
country	countries	root	roots
animal	animals	name	names
fly	flies	church	churches
person	people	berry	berries
bus	buses	child	children

5. Which compound words are formed by the following?

5.1 **rain + bow = rainbow**

5.2 **rain + forest = rainforest**

5.3 **butter + fly = butterfly**

5.4 **sun + flower = sunflower**

