

1. Why do you think the writer chose to start the piece with an illustration?

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1 mark

2. Why are all the headings in the form of questions?

2g

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1 mark

3. "Their diet was mostly vegetarian along with some meat, most obtained by scavenging."

The word "scavenging" is closest in meaning to which option below? Tick one.

catching and eating animals ☐

eating animals that are already dead ☐

trapping and eating animals ☐

farming and eating animals ☐

2a

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1 mark

4. a) Were the lions that were around 3 million years ago exactly like the ones we see today?

b) How do you know?

2b

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1 mark

5. What is the main way in which *Homo erectus* is different from *Homo habilis*?

2h

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1 mark

6. Tick the best explanation for why the writer uses bullet points in the last section.

To summarise what has already been said. ☐

To explain why *Homo erectus* had a big brain. ☐

To show the main reasons that life began to change for *Homo erectus*. ☐

To show why *Homo erectus* didn't have to hunt. ☐

2g

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1 mark

7. Why did the writer organise the three sections of this text in the order they are in?

2f

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1 mark

8. Draw lines to match the different hominids to their diet.

Australopithecus

raw meat

*Homo habilis*

mostly plants

*Homo erectus*

cooked meat

2d

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1 mark

9. Suggest an alternative heading for the text.

2c

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2 marks