Year 6 Science: Habitats: measuring their features and who lives where

Name: _____ Date: _____

Try these without your notes first, then check the answer key.

Practice

1. Name two physical features of a habitat you could measure.

2. A plant needs full sun and dry, sandy soil. Would it grow better on a sand dune or on a forest floor?

3. Where would you expect to find moss in a school playground?

4. In Room 10's transect, how much cooler was it at 10 m than at 0 m?

5. You want to grow lettuces, which like some shade on hot summer afternoons. Where in an NZ garden could you plant them?

Fix the mistake

6. Correct this statement: "A habitat is just the home an animal sleeps in, like a nest."

7. Correct this statement: "Measuring only one spot is enough to describe a habitat."

8. Correct this statement: "In New Zealand the sunniest side of a garden is the south side."