

SUPERCROC

COPY MASTER

Question Support

CRITICAL ANALYSIS

1. Recall Why are Paul Sereno and his team interested in Gadoufaoua?

2. Recall What length does Sereno estimate SuperCroc could have grown to be?

3. Clarify What did Sereno and his team find in Gadoufaoua other than crocodile fossils?

Directions: Answer the questions.

4. Summarize Look at the notes you took as you read. On the lines, write three main ideas you learned about SuperCroc.

5. Compare Information Complete the following sentences.

One similarity between SuperCroc and crocodiles today is _____

One difference between SuperCroc and crocodiles today is _____

6. Examine Text Features Circle the letter of the response that best completes the following sentence.

One kind of information that photographs provide that the regular text usually cannot is that photos _____

- a. identify the main idea of the information that follows.
- b. provide information about a graphic aid.
- c. offer a visual for what is going on in the text.
- d. show where a subheading begins.

7. Draw Conclusions Reread the section subtitled “When Did SuperCroc Live” and then complete the following sentence.

One way scientists determine the age of ancient creatures, such as SuperCroc, is _____
