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**Exotic Pets**

**PART 1: Video Questions**

Directions: Watch the video and answer the following questions

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| What are exotic pets? |
| According to the video, why do people often ignore warnings against owning exotic pets? |

**PART 2: Reading Questions**

Directions: Read the Scope article and answer the following questions

1. What is the difference between a domesticated and exotic pet?
2. What are two reasons someone might want an exotic pet?
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1. According to the article, what is one reason why people often end up neglecting or abandoning their exotic pets?
2. What is the meaning of the phrase “wreaking havoc” as used in paragraph 10?
3. In the last paragraph, Jack Hanna compares sleeping with a tiger to “sleeping with a bomb.” What does Hanna mean by this comparison?

**Part 3: Text Evidence Practice**

Directions: Find two pieces of text evidence to support each claim

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| Claim | Text Evidence #1 | Text Evidence #2 |
| Exotic pets are dangerous |  |  |
| Owning exotic pets is cruel |  |  |
| Exotic pets are just like regular pets |  |  |