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“Voyage to the Galapagos Islands” – Movie Questions

Darwin’s Eden:

1. Where are the Galapagos Islands?
2. How old are they?
3. Why aren’t the land iguana’s afraid of humans?
4. Are the creatures the same on each island? **Explain** why or why not.

Evolving Beaks:

5. Each beak seems to be _____ to the lifestyle of the bird.
6. Birds with larger beaks tend to eat _____.
7. Birds with small beaks tend to eat _____.
8. If small seeds are plentiful, _____ will be more successful, produce more offspring, and pass on their _____.
9. If big seeds are plentiful, _____ will be more successful, produce more offspring, and pass on their _____.

Lizards of the Sea:

10. Animal species may have arrived to the Galapagos from _____.
11. Male marine iguanas attract females by _____.
12. The marine iguanas feed on _____.
13. _____ in the gut of iguanas enable them to digest _____.

14. Many marine iguanas died during El Nino because _____
_____.
15. Females choose their mate and produce _____ egg and it is _____ % of their body mass.
16. Sneaker males are not detected by larger males because _____
_____.
17. Females mate with sneaker males possibly as _____.

Masked Killers:

18. Why are the boobies referred to as “masked killers”?
19. Why do the mothers bother laying 2 eggs?

Paradise Lost?:

20. How has the tortoise population increased after being near extinction?
21. What decides the sex of the tortoise offspring?
22. What are **TWO** factors that have threatened the penguin population?
- 1.
 - 2.
23. What is a positive affect of Ecotourism?
24. Why should we care about the preservation of the Galapagos Islands?