Exercises 11.03.

Class 5

* *Animal Congregation*

Many types of animals combine the advantages of family association with those conferred by membership in still larger groups. Bees congregate in hives; some fish move in schools; ants gather in mounds; wolves live in packs; deer associate in herds. The main advantage of membership in a mass community is the safety that it provides. A large group of prey may be easier for a predator to find at any given point than is a small one, and a predator may think it twice before taking on such a group; if a predator does decide to challenge a large group, it may merely encounter a confusing mass of moving bodies and possibly may not succeed in its primary goal.

1. The word “those” refers to

1. types
2. animals
3. advantages
4. groups
5. The word “it” in line four refers to
6. advantage
7. membership
8. community
9. safety
10. The word “one” refers to
11. group
12. prey
13. predator
14. point
15. The word “it” in line 6 refers to
16. predator
17. group
18. mass
19. goal