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Every time you conceptualize, categorize, and put a name on something that is not a proper name, you abstract away from its particularities. Picture daisies and clover flowers in a lawn. Those four ordinary nouns leave out their differences. “Flower” co-categorizes the white and yellow types with the beige ones, and all the many other sorts to be found elsewhere. “Lawn” ignores the varieties of grass and all the nongrassy plants that are there. Zoom in, and you will find _____ everywhere. No two daisies, no two clovers, are exactly alike, and yet they present to a quick glance a carpet patterned uniformly enough. For most practical purposes, the differences can be ignored—making a daisy chain, sunbathing, and the like. Not so, however, for the groundskeeper of a sports stadium, where the constituent grasses and their stages of growth really do matter. And to an infinite mind, with infinite memory, each blade of grass, with its own distinct life history, need not be co-categorized with all its fellows. Each could have its own name, as you yourself do.

**1.** 빈칸 추론 윗글의 빈칸에 들어갈 말로 가장 적절한 것은?

① uniform patterns
② the same kind of grass
③ individuality and uniqueness
④ a carpet of identical flowers
⑤ a perfect order of categories

**2.** 주제 윗글의 주제로 가장 적절한 것은?

① how naming and categorizing ignore individual differences
② the best way to keep a sports field green
③ why daisies and clovers grow together
④ the importance of memorizing plant names
⑤ the history of lawn care

# 정답 및 해설

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**1.** ③ 이름을 붙이면 개별성이 사라지지만, 가까이 들여다보면 어떤 두 데이지도 똑같지 않다. 바로 뒤 문장이 근거다.

**2.** ① 이름을 붙이고 범주화하는 일은 대상의 개별적 차이를 추상화해 지운다는 내용이다.