

READING 9B: LURE OF THE LOST CITY

Choose the best answer for each question.

PURPOSE

1. The author's purpose is to describe _____.
a. the search for ruins in La Mosquitia
b. how lidar technology functions
c. the artifacts found in La Mosquitia
d. the vegetation and animal life in La Mosquitia

DETAIL

2. Which of these expeditions first brought back artifacts from the Mosquitia region? ____
a. The first expedition sponsored by the Museum of the American Indian.
b. The second expedition sponsored by the Museum of the American Indian.
c. The third expedition sponsored by the Museum of the American Indian.
d. The expedition described in detail in the passage.

DETAIL

3. What was Theodore Morde's profession? ____
a. reporter
b. archeologist
c. film maker
d. Anthropologist

DETAIL

4. When did the expedition organized by Elkins take place? ____
a. 1940
b. 1990
c. 2010
d. 2015

VOCABULARY

5. The word weird in paragraph K is closest in meaning to _____.
a. huge
b. strange
c. carved
d. cracked