# The power of stories

I. READ THE ARTICLE AND CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER FOR EACH QUESTION.

1. What did people use before the invention of language to tell stories.

   a. Songs
   b. Poems
   c. Signs.

2. What do stories help us to understand?

   a. Our feelings and emotions.
   b. The feelings of others.
   c. The world around us.

## The start of storytelling

3. What was the only entertainment thousands of years ago?

   a. Talk
   b. Watch tv
   c. Read a book.

4. How were stories share over the years?

   a. People write stories they wanted to share.
   b. People recorded audios of the stories.
   c. people learned from their culture and then told their children.

5. What are "songlines"?

   a. It was how people from Russia told stories.
   b. It was how aboriginal people from Australia share stories.
   c. They were very short songs.

# The oldest stories

6. Where did writing appear?

   a. Appeared 5000 years ago
   b. Appeared in Gilgamesh.
   c. Appeared in Mesopotamia.

7. What was the name of the first writing system?

   a. Cuneiform.
   b. Urduk.
   c. Tales.

8. What was one of the most important epics in India?

   a. Sinbad
   b. Mahabharata.
   c. Aladdin.

# Storytelling in the 21st century

9. Where can we find stories?

   a. In books and films.
   b. In food
   c. In planes.

10. What do companies use stories for?

a. To sell their products.
b. For any reason.
c. To have fun.