Reading comprehension worksheet 3

Read the following passage carefully then answer the questions below:

The Eiffel Tower

The *Eiffel Tower* is one of the most famous building in the world. It is a 324m high structure in the center of Paris, France. Over the years, it has become a symbol of the city and the country. When they built it, *The Eiffel Tower* was the tallest building in the world. The tower got its name from its designer, Gustave Eiffel, and it build, from 1887 to 1889. The tower opened to the public on 6 May 1889. Today, it is without doubt one of the most recognizable memorial in Europe, one that can be compared to the Statue of Liberty in New York, and the Big Ben is London.

However, soon after opening, newspapers were full of angry letters from people saying how much they hated the new building. This soon changed, and today it is very popular with millions of tourists who visit it every year. You can even find smaller copies of the structure in many cities around the world.

A) Now, answer the following questions in complete sentence:

1- Who was the designer of The Eiffel Tower?

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2- When did the Tower open for the public?

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B) Put (T) or (F) in front of each sentence of the following:

1- When they built it, the Eiffel Tower was the tallest building in the world. **( )**

2- The Tower is one of the most recognizable memorial in Africa **( )**

3- No one can visit The Tower. **( )**

E) Choose the correct answers:

1- The Eiffel Tower is in .....

B) France **B) America** **C) Italy**

2- The Eiffel Tower is a .....

B) 234m high **B) 324m high** **C) 342 m high**

3- The Eiffel Tower is a very famous .....

B) station **B) hospital** **C) building**