

Read part Two and answer the questions



UNIT 1

PART TWO

I also noticed the way the people of Lopburi treat the monkeys. They are kind to them and make sure that they are not hungry. In the beginning, I found this attitude¹ a bit strange. Why would these people care so much about the monkeys? After all², they are quite scary and they often steal things.

5 I asked my friend Aroon, who owns a small business in the center of town. He explained that the people of Lopburi admire the monkeys because of a famous story that happened many centuries ago. It is about Prince Rama and it tells how monkeys helped him save³ his wife from a horrible monster.

They take care of the monkeys and once a year, every November, they honor⁴ them by 10 having a monkey festival. They believe that these monkeys will bring them good luck, like they did for Prince Rama.

¹attitude / موقف

³save / ينقذ

²after all / في النهاية

⁴honor / يحترمون

5. What was the writer's opinion about monkeys before he spoke to Aroon?

- a. He didn't understand why people were kind to them.
- b. He thought they bring good luck.
- c. He thought they were amazing.
- d. He thought they were funny.

6. Complete the sentence.

Aroon told the writer the story of Prince Rama to explain why