

Reading

1 Circle the correct words.



- 1 Clay tablets were very **heavy** / **light**.
- 2 They were very **hard** / **soft** when they were dry.
- 3 Clay tablets were **difficult** / **easy** to break.



- 4 Papyrus was very **light** / **heavy**.
- 5 It was also **hard** / **soft**.
- 6 Papyrus was **easy** / **difficult** to make.

2 Read the Class Book. Write *T* (true) or *F* (false).

- 1 Five thousand years ago, people wrote on paper.
- 2 People used a reed to write on wet clay.
- 3 Clay tablets were very heavy.
- 4 They were difficult to break.
- 5 People used each tablet many times.
- 6 Papyrus is a kind of plant.
- 7 Papyrus was soft and light.
- 8 People in other countries also started to use papyrus.
- 9 Papyrus was not expensive.
- 10 Sometimes people washed papyrus and used it again.

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