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1. Which country has the most inhabitants?

2. What was Kevin's ambition for when he grew up?

- (A) to have a cap
- (B) to know all the answers
- (C) to really learn
- (D) to observe spiders

3. How do we know Kevin was a curious boy?

- (A) He was not afraid of the attic.
- (B) He had a cap that whispered.
- (C) He wanted to study spiders.
- (D) He explored the attic, and wanted to learn.

4. How could Kevin do his homework without the cap?

- (A) He could use a book.
- (B) He could use a different cap.
- (C) He could cheat.
- (D) He could ask his mother for the answers.

5. Write the sentence from the text that best shows that Kevin wants to learn?

6. Which sentence best expresses the main idea of the text?

- (A) "The trunk held all sorts of interesting things."
- (B) "Is it better to hear the answer to every question, or do you have the ambition to really learn?"
- (C) "Kevin's cap seemed normal at first."
- (D) "Kevin liked spiders and wanted to study them when he grew up."

7. In the sentence '*his cap whispered, "China."*' What figurative language is it?

- (a) hyperbole
- (b) personification
- (c) metaphor
- (d) simile

8. You can conclude that this passage was about

- (a) Kevin and the mysterious cap
- (b) Kevin playing with spiders
- (c) Kevin wanting to learn about spiders
- (d) Kevin using his brain.