



MAGNO BICULTURAL COLLEGE
THIRD TERM EVALUATION
SIXTH GRADE
READING COMPREHENSION

NAME _____	R.N. _____	GROUP _____
DATE _____	SCORE ____ / 20 = ____	

Part I.- Read the text. Write T (true) or F (false). (5 points)

Sarah Marquis

Sarah Marquis is an explorer and a National Geographic Adventurer of the year. In 2010, she decided to walk from Siberia, in the far south of Russia, all the way to the south coast of Australia by way of Mongolia, China, Laos, and Thailand. Then she got on a cargo boat and crossed the sea to Australia. But for most of her journey, she walked— all day, every day and slept in a tent at night. She met some people from a remote tribe along the way, but she walked alone all the way. The journey took three years!

Sarah has always loved exploring. At the age of eight, she went exploring with her dog and found a cave with a lot of bats inside it. She was very interested in the bats, so she stayed in the cave overnight. When her mother couldn't find her, she was very frightened and called the police. Then, when Sarah was seventeen, she rode a horse across the center of Turkey. If she hadn't had the chance to explore so much when she was young, she might not have become so brave.

1. Sarah Marquis started her journey in 2010. _____
2. She often walked with other people. _____
3. She traveled part of the way by cargo boat. _____
4. Sarah was very frightened of the bats in the cave she found. _____
5. Sarah rode across the center of Turkey when she was seventeen. _____



Part II.- Read the text. Then write Yes or No. (5 points)



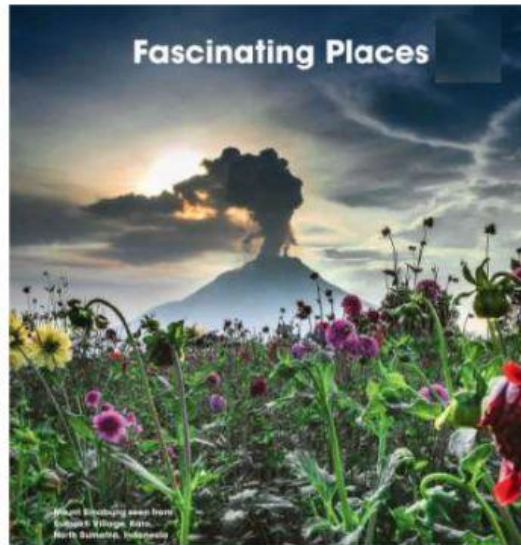
The Museo Subacuática de Arte

The Museo Subacuática de Arte was opened in Mexico in 2009. It's an unusual museum because it's underwater. There are about 500 sculptures, including a car, a house, and a sofa, all attached to the ocean floor. Tourists can go snorkeling and swim through the water to see the sculptures, or if they prefer, they can ride in a glass bottomed boat and see the sculptures without getting wet.

The underwater museum was designed by Jason deCaires Taylor, who's a sculptor and also a scuba diver. He created the museum so that divers and snorkelers would admire the sculptures in the underwater museum instead of damaging other parts of the ocean by going to them. The sculptures provide interesting places for divers and snorkelers to explore. They also provide new places for fish and sea creatures to swim and live. Jason deCaires Taylor hopes that the museum will help protect the ocean for the future.

1. Is this museum in Mexico? _____
2. Do you have to get wet to see the sculptures? _____
3. Are there about 900 sculptures on the ocean floor? _____
4. Is one of the sculptures a car? _____
5. Do the sculptures help marine creatures? _____

Part III.- Read the text. Write T (true) or F (false). (5 points)



The Chocolate Hills

The Chocolate Hills are a fascinating group of hills on the island of Bohol in the Philippines. There are between 1,000 and 2,000 of these hills in a small area. They aren't very high – in fact, the highest one is only about 120 meters, but they're an unusual shape. Each hill is pointed and looks like a small triangle. There are no trees on the tops of them, only grass. The grass on the hills turns brown in the dry season. This is why they are called the Chocolate Hills. I'm sorry to say you won't find any chocolate there! Visitors aren't allowed to climb the hills, but they can walk up some steps and admire the view from the top.

Scientists can't agree on how the Chocolate Hills were formed. Some have said that different types of rock have come together to make them, but people still think the hills are mysterious.

1. There are over 2,000 chocolate hills. _____
2. The hills are unusual because of their shape. _____
3. Grass grows on top of the hills, but trees don't. _____
4. They're called the Chocolate Hills because there's a lot of chocolate there. _____
5. Visitors can't climb the hills. _____

Part IV.- Listen to the podcast about Patagonia. Then read the sentences and check (✓) the correct place. TR: 13 (5 points)

	Torres del Paine National Park	Ushuaia	Valdes Peninsula
1. It's famous for its mountains and climbing routes.			
2. You can see penguins there.			
3. You can see the Grey Glacier there.			
4. You can go whale watching there.			
5. Its nickname is "the end of the world".			