

In other words

A. What is the main purpose of the passage?



1. To tell the story of Terry Fox's life.
2. To describe a race across Canada.
3. To describe how and why Terry Fox ran across Canada.

General understanding

Circle T for true or F for false for each of the following statements.

1. Terry only had one leg when he ran across Canada.
2. Terry found it easy to run across Canada.
3. Terry couldn't finish his run across Canada.
4. People gave Terry a lot of money to run across Canada.

In detail

Write short answers to the following questions.

A. Because he had cancer.

B. Terry had a new leg .

C. A new leg made of metal and plastic.

D. Newfoundland.

E. Terry wanted to help the hospital and other people with cancer.

F. He was getting sick again.

1. Why did the doctors have to amputate Terry's right leg?

2. What was Terry's new leg made of?

3. What did Terry have to learn to do again?

4. Why did Terry decide to run across Canada?

5. Where did Terry begin his run?

6. Why did Terry have to go back into hospital?