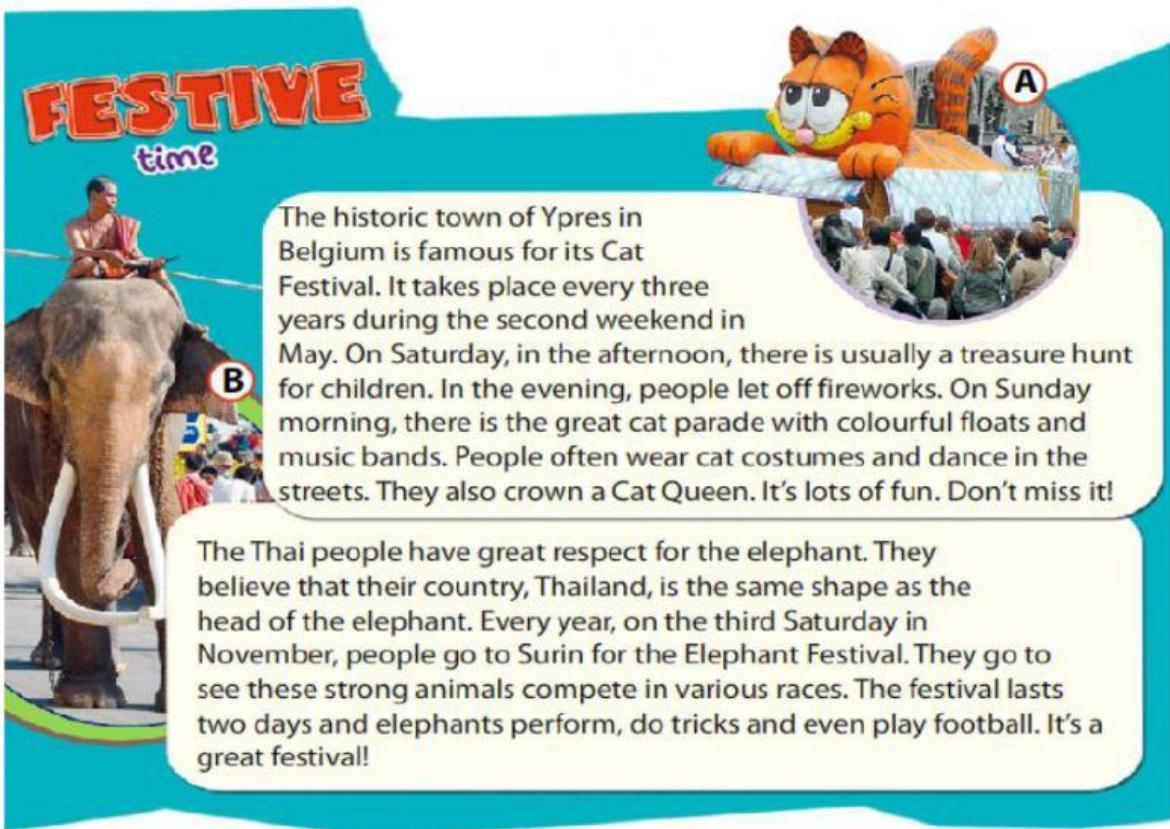


2 Read the texts and answer the questions. 


FESTIVE time

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The historic town of Ypres in Belgium is famous for its Cat Festival. It takes place every three years during the second weekend in May. On Saturday, in the afternoon, there is usually a treasure hunt for children. In the evening, people let off fireworks. On Sunday morning, there is the great cat parade with colourful floats and music bands. People often wear cat costumes and dance in the streets. They also crown a Cat Queen. It's lots of fun. Don't miss it!

The Thai people have great respect for the elephant. They believe that their country, Thailand, is the same shape as the head of the elephant. Every year, on the third Saturday in November, people go to Surin for the Elephant Festival. They go to see these strong animals compete in various races. The festival lasts two days and elephants perform, do tricks and even play football. It's a great festival!

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1 How often is the Cat Festival? 

2 What can children do at the Cat Festival? 

3 When is the cat parade? 

4 Where does the Elephant Festival take place? 

5 What looks like the head of an elephant? 

6 What do elephants do at the festival? 

7 How long does the Elephant Festival last? 