## ARTICLES



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## THE GREAT WALL OF CHINA

| The Great Wall of China is one of (1) wonders of (2)          |
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| modern world and became (3) UNESCO                            |
| Heritage Site in 1987. It is (4) one of (5)                   |
| longest (6,700 km) structures in (6) world, and has           |
| (7) history of more than (8) two thousand                     |
| years. (9) building of (10) wall began                        |
| between (11) 7th and 8th centuries BC as (12)                 |
| means of defending most of (13) China                         |
| from (14) invading people of (15) north. (16)                 |
| rulers of different parts of (17) country                     |
| built sections of the wall, and these were joined together in |
| the time of (18) Qin dynasty. During (19)                     |
| Ming dynasty (1368-1644 AD) (20) wall was                     |
| repaired and extended and took on the appearance it has       |
| today, with (21) complex system of (22)                       |
| forts and towers. It has (23) average height of ten           |
| metres and (24) width of five metres, and it runs             |
| from (25) east to (26) west                                   |