

## Reading Comprehension: Places around the world

Read the texts and select the correct answers.



The Eiffel Tower is one of the most famous tourist attractions in the world. Located in the heart of Paris, France, this iconic structure stands tall at 330 meters. Built in 1889, the Eiffel Tower was initially intended to be a temporary structure for the World's Fair, but it has become a symbol of the city and a must-visit landmark. Tourists flock to the Eiffel Tower to marvel at its impressive architecture, breathtaking views of the city, and the chance to ride its elevators to the top.

### Questions:

Where is the Eiffel Tower located?

**Berlin, Germany**

**Venice, Italy**

**Paris, France**

How tall is the Eiffel Tower?

**1889 meters tall**

**330 meters tall**

**420 meters tall**

Was it originally meant to be a permanent structure?

**Yes**

**No**

Why do tourists visit the Eiffel Tower?

**Because it is a symbol of the city**

**Because its amazing views**

**Because it's a romantic place**



The Great Wall of China is another popular tourist destination. Stretching over 13,000 miles, it is the world's longest wall and a UNESCO World Heritage site. The wall was built more than 2,000 years ago to protect China from invasions. Today, visitors from all over the world come to admire its ancient architecture, panoramic views, and learn about China's rich history. Some parts of the wall have been restored and are easily accessible to tourists, while other sections remain untouched, offering a more rugged and adventurous experience.

**Questions:**

What is the Great Wall of China?

**It is a museum in China**

**It is an UNESCO World Heritage site**

**It is a nice wall in China**

How long is the wall?

**13,000 kilometres long**

**13,000 miles**

**2,000 miles**

Why was the wall originally built?

**To show the power of China to the world**

**To have a good experience**

**To protect China from invaders**

What can visitors do at the Great Wall?

**Nothing interesting**

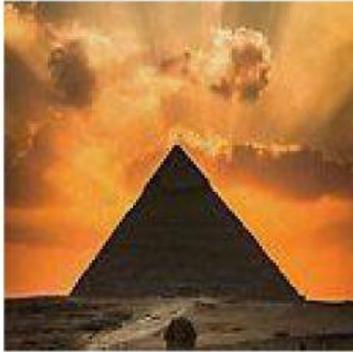
**Admire its panoramic views**

**Eat Chinese food**

Are all parts of the wall accessible to tourists?

**Yes, it's accesible**

**No, some parts are restricted**



The Pyramids of Giza in Egypt are a fascinating tourist attraction. These ancient structures, built as tombs for pharaohs, date back to around 2500 BCE. The most famous pyramid, the Great Pyramid of Khufu, is the oldest and largest of the three pyramids. Visitors can explore the pyramids, marvel at their size and precision, and learn about the ancient Egyptian civilization. Additionally, the Sphinx, a mythical creature with the body of a lion and the head of a human, is another highlight of the area and a popular subject for photographs.

**Questions:**

Where are the Pyramids of Giza located?

**Egypt                      Africa                      India**

When were the pyramids built?

**around 2500 ACE                      around 2000 BCE                      around 2500 BCE**

What were the pyramids used for?

**To admire the power of the pharaoh**

**To use them as tombs**

**To save worthy things as gold**

Which pyramid is the oldest and largest?

**Khufu                      Giza                      Sphinx**

What is the Sphinx?

**It's a mythical creature**

**It's a wonderful statue**

**It's a local monument**