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Your prediction

Name _____

Clues to the Past Quiz

A. True or False:

33 = 90 %

- 1.) _____ The Rosetta Stone is one of the most famous archaeological finds.
- 2.) _____ People developed the skill of writing 6000 years ago.
- 3.) _____ Willard Libby discovered that all living things contain carbon-14.
- 4.) _____ In the African legend P'an Ku was the first man that came out of an egg.
- 5.) _____ Pompeii and Herculaneum were ancient cities uncovered by archaeologists.
- 6.) _____ It is believed that people have been on earth for more than one million years.
- 7.) _____ Scientists use trees to determine the dates by counting the bark.
- 8.) _____ There is so much information that scientists have to specialize in a branch of study.
- 9.) _____ Legends are totally true stories.
- 10.) _____ All remains that are found, are then dated.

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B. Give the word for the definition:

- 1.) _____ - great mounds which rise high above ground level
- 2.) _____ - information organized for analysis
- 3.) _____ - scientists that study the earth.
- 4.) _____ - scientists that study ancient people and civilizations
- 5.) _____ - remains of ancient households
- 6.) _____ - to decode
- 7.) _____ - the study of the development of humans.
- 8.) _____ - people wandering from place to place in search of food.
- 9.) _____ - people devoted to one branch of study
- 10.) _____ - folk tales to explain the past

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C. Long Answer:

1.) How did archaeology begin? (2)

2.) How did people first obtain food? (2)

3.) How did legends come about? (2)

4.) Why are artifacts so important? (2)

5.) Tell me 5 things you learned in this chapter. (5)

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