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Instructions: Read each question carefully and choose the best answer.

1. Why do you think a new list of seven wonders was created?
 - Ⓐ Only one of the original seven wonders is left.
 - Ⓑ The original seven wonders are too far away.
 - Ⓒ The new seven wonders are more interesting.
 - Ⓓ The new seven wonders are bigger.
2. What do all of the new seven wonders have in common?
 - Ⓐ They are all in the same country.
 - Ⓑ They are all statues.
 - Ⓒ They were all built by people.
 - Ⓓ All of the above
3. Of the following new seven wonders, _____ is the oldest.
 - Ⓐ Christ the Redeemer Statue
 - Ⓑ the Taj Mahal
 - Ⓒ the Roman Colosseum
 - Ⓓ the Great Wall of China
4. Which of the following is not a detail about the ancient city of Petra?
 - Ⓐ Petra is carved out of pink and gray sandstone.
 - Ⓑ People must drive a car to enter Petra.
 - Ⓒ Several buildings were created in Petra.
 - Ⓓ Petra is about two thousand years old.
5. Which of the following caused the Colosseum to slowly fall apart?
 - Ⓐ The Romans lost power in the late AD 400s.
 - Ⓑ People took away many of its stones.
 - Ⓒ It was damaged in an earthquake.
 - Ⓓ All of the above
6. Fighters in ancient Rome who fought in public to entertain others were called _____.
 - Ⓐ invaders
 - Ⓑ archaeologists

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- ☐ Mongols
☐ gladiators
7. The author wrote this book to _____.
- ☐ let readers know about the Great Pyramids of Giza
☐ entertain readers with photos of famous sculptures
☐ inform readers about the new Seven Wonders of the World
☐ persuade readers to visit monuments
8. The Taj Mahal is an example of a(n) _____, or large tomb.
- ☐ mausoleum
☐ observatory
☐ dynasty
☐ none of the above
9. The new Seven Wonders of the World are _____.
- ☐ all over the world
☐ the most popular by vote
☐ visited by thousands of people every day
☐ all of the above
10. Which statement is an opinion?
- ☐ There should be more than Seven Wonders of the World.
☐ More than 100 million people voted for the new Seven Wonders of the World.
☐ Many of the new Seven Wonders have been rebuilt or fixed.
☐ Only one of the original Seven Wonders can be visited today.
11. **Extended Response:** Which (if any) of the structures shown in the photographs at the end of this book do you think should be included on the new Seven Wonders list, and why? Which new Wonder(s) would your choice(s) replace?
12. **Extended Response:** Do you think voting was a fair and effective way to choose the new Seven Wonders? Explain.

Quick Check Answer Sheet

Seven Wonders You Can Visit

Main Comprehension Skill: Main Idea and Details

1. Ⓐ *Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions*
2. Ⓒ *Compare and Contrast*
3. Ⓓ *Compare and Contrast*
4. Ⓑ *Main Idea and Details*
5. Ⓓ *Cause and Effect*
6. Ⓓ *Vocabulary*
7. Ⓒ *Author's Purpose*
8. Ⓐ *Vocabulary*
9. Ⓓ *Main Idea and Details*
10. Ⓐ *Fact or Opinion*
11. Answers will vary but should include the name(s) of Wonders to include, which Wonders would be replaced, and why, or an explanation of why the list of new Wonders should remain as it is.
12. Answers will vary but should include an explanation of whether or not voting was a fair and effective way to choose the new Seven Wonders.