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

1. Which of the following is a reason why many plants and animals are losing their habitats in China?
 - Ⓐ The population has grown so quickly.
 - Ⓑ There are too many different types of habitats.
 - Ⓒ Many people are moving to the cities.
 - Ⓓ All of the above
2. On what continent is China located?
 - Ⓐ North America
 - Ⓑ Asia
 - Ⓒ Africa
 - Ⓓ Australia
3. The Chinese were the first to make and use _____.
 - Ⓐ gunpowder
 - Ⓑ ink
 - Ⓒ paper
 - Ⓓ all of the above
4. Which of the following is not an important part of Chinese culture?
 - Ⓐ chopsticks
 - Ⓑ New Year's celebrations
 - Ⓒ ping pong
 - Ⓓ football
5. Which of the following is the main language in China?
 - Ⓐ Communist
 - Ⓑ Mandarin
 - Ⓒ Chinese
 - Ⓓ Shanghai
6. Where do the majority of China's people live?
 - Ⓐ in Beijing
 - Ⓑ in rural towns and villages
 - Ⓒ in Hong Kong
 - Ⓓ along the South China Sea

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7. What can be said about the official language of China?
 - Ⓐ It is very complex and artistic.
 - Ⓑ It is similar to most languages spoken around the world.
 - Ⓒ It is too difficult for most people to learn.
 - Ⓓ None of the above
8. Which statement is an opinion?
 - Ⓐ China is one of the largest countries in the world.
 - Ⓑ China has one of the largest populations in the world.
 - Ⓒ China hosted the most successful Olympics in history.
 - Ⓓ China has one of the largest economies in the world.
9. Which of the following is a challenge China faces as its population grows?
 - Ⓐ providing enough jobs and resources
 - Ⓑ moving toward a system where everyone works for the government
 - Ⓒ limiting private business growth
 - Ⓓ all of the above
10. What kind of landscape might you find in China?
 - Ⓐ mountains
 - Ⓑ deserts
 - Ⓒ tropical forests
 - Ⓓ all of the above
11. **Extended Response:** Would you like to visit China? Provide at least three reasons from the text to support your response.
12. **Extended Response:** Explain why the author of this book titled one chapter "China: An Amazing Country!"

Quick Check Answer Sheet

China

Main Comprehension Skill: Main Idea and Details

1. Ⓐ *Cause and Effect*
2. Ⓑ *Main Idea and Details*
3. Ⓓ *Main Idea and Details*
4. Ⓓ *Main Idea and Details*
5. Ⓑ *Vocabulary*
6. Ⓑ *Main Idea and Details*
7. Ⓐ *Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions*
8. Ⓒ *Fact or Opinion*
9. Ⓐ *Main Idea and Details*
10. Ⓓ *Main Idea and Details*
11. Answers will vary but should include whether or not the student would visit China and three reasons supporting that answer.
12. Answers will vary but should include ideas such as: *China has the largest population in the world; many inventions that people all over the world use today came from China; many incredible cultural sites are found in China; etc.*