Grade SIX – 2nd Semester – Unit 15 : Great explorers

Mr. Ali and his class talked about famous explorers. Ibn Battuta was from the north of Africa. He travelled east to visit the holy cities of Makkah and Madinah. He visited Asia in the east, Europe in the north and Africa in the south, but not North America. Jacques Cousteau was from Europe. He sailed in a boat to explore the ocean. He lived on the boat for many months. He saw lots of sea plants and sea animals. Valentina Tereshkova was from Asia. She was the first woman to go into space. Her spaceship went around the Earth forty- eight times.

Questions:

1. Why did Ibn Battuta travel east ?
To visit the holy cities of Makkah and Madinah.
2. Did he visit North America ?
No, he didn't.
3. Who was from Europe ?
Jacques Cousteau was.
4. What did Constean explore ?
The ocean.
5. How long did he live on the boat ?
For many months.
6. Who was the first woman to go into space ?
Valentina Tereshkova was.
7. How many times did her spaceship go around the Earth ?
Forty- eight times.

2) Write (T) or (F):

1. (F) Ibn Battuta was from the south of Africa.
2. (F) He visited the holy cities in the west.
3. (T) Constean is an explorer of the oceans.
4. (F) Valentina was from Europe.

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3) Get from the passage:

1. An explorer of space: Valentina Tereshkova.
2. An explorer of oceans: Jacques Cousteau.
3. A direction: east / A continent: Asia
4. The meaning of "well known" = famous
5. A holy city: Makkah / 6. Something you sail in : boat
7. The opposite of: north X south / west X east
   died X lived / last X first

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1 Complete the following sentences with the suitable words from the box:

[agree / compass / directions / Earth / east / explore / explorer / south / west / woman]

a) We live on the Earth.
b) The compass shows us the directions.
c) Jacques Cousteau sailed in a boat to explore the ocean.
d) I'd like to see the sunrise in the east and the sunset in the west.
e) My parents agree that I could visit my friend
f) Ibn Battuta visited Africa in the south.
g) The compass helps me to know the four directions
h) Ibn Battuta is an explorer.
i) Valentina Tereshkova was the first woman to travel into space.

2 Read and answers

a) Why did Ibn Battuta travel east?
To visit the holy cities of Makkah and Madinah.
b) What did Jacques Cousteau explore?
The ocean.
c) How long did he live on the boat?
For many months.
d) What do we use the compass for?
To know the four directions.
e) Where was Valentina Tereshkova from?
From Asia.

(4) →

3 Write True (T) or false (F):

a) Ibn Battuta was from the south of America. F
b) Coustean is an explorer of the ocean. T
c) Valentina Tereshkova was from North Africa. F

4 Choose the correct answer:

a) Mr. Ali (talks / talk) about great explorers.
b) Rania (don't agree / doesn't agree) with Alia.
c) Omar (agree / agrees) with Rania that Ibn Battuta was wise.
d) Ibn Battuta did the (more / most) exciting things.
e) Travelling in space is (more / most) exciting than exploring the ocean.

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5 Do as required:

a) flew - in - the - Valentina - space - outer (re-arrange)
Valentina flew in the outer space.
b) i don't agree with rania (write correctly)
I don't agree with Rania.
c) Mr. Ali and the class talks about great explorers. (correct the verb) talk
d) Rania not agree with Alia (correct the verb)
doesn't agree
e) Ibn Battuta was from North (America / Africa).
(choose the correct answer).

Finished - Good Luck

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