

6-10 The Invention of Writing

Before Reading

Think Ahead

1. Watchtowers
2. Sightseeing
3. Statues
4. Underground

Vocabulary

A.

1. d
2. e
3. a
4. g
5. b
6. c
7. h
8. f

B.

1. suicide
2. messenger
3. tomb
4. evidence
5. ban

C.

1. a
2. d
3. d
4. c

During Reading

A.

1. b
2. c
3. a

B.

1. c
2. d
3. a

C.

1. c
2. e
3. b
4. d

D.

1. T
2. F
3. F
4. F
5. T

E.

1. Dynasty
2. grim
3. banned
4. mercury
5. wagon

F.

- a. 2
- b. 5
- c. 4
- d. 1
- e. 3

After Reading

A.

Who?	What?	When?	Where?	Why?
Qin Shi Huang	good things	221 BC	China	enemies

B.

[Answers will vary.]

From this book, I learned about the first empire of China and the rise and fall of the first emperor.

Before I read this book, I knew that China was ruled by a powerful empire in the past.

Now I also know details about that empire that explain much of China's early history.