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# Your World Quiz

**Directions:** Read the Your World section on pages 3-5, and answer the following questions.

1. What materials did sculptors use to make the 196-foot replica of Gulliver from *Gulliver's Travels*?

- (A) steel and clay
- (B) rubber and linen
- (C) plastic and canvas
- (D) copper and wood

2. How did visitors tour the giant Gulliver in Taichung, Taiwan?

- (A) They walked around him.
- (B) They followed a path through his body.
- (C) They climbed his limbs.
- (D) They viewed him from a nearby platform.

3. Abigail Macias wrote a prize-winning essay about how her father is similar to Atticus Finch in *To Kill a Mockingbird*. You can infer that she ...

- (A) wishes her dad were more educated.
- (B) admires her dad.
- (C) thinks her dad was wrongly accused of a crime.
- (D) is embarrassed by her dad.

4. Who helped write *Family Huddle* along with brothers Eli and Peyton Manning?

- (A) their father, Archie

- (B) their brother, Cooper
- (C) their mother, Olivia
- (D) Jim Madsen

5. Which of the following statements is an opinion?

- (A) Peyton Manning was named MVP in 2007.
- (B) Eli, Peyton, and Archie are Ambassadors of Reading.
- (C) The Mannings state that they value education.
- (D) More children should be able to own books.

6. What genre of literature did Alfred Lord Tennyson write?

- (A) plays
- (B) poetry
- (C) essays
- (D) nonfiction

7. Why does the article compare Tennyson to J. K. Rowling?

- (A) Both are very famous.
- (B) Both wrote about wizards.
- (C) Both wrote about their best friends.
- (D) Both like concerts.

8. The description of *John Adams* by David McCullough explains that the second President faced **controversy**. What does "controversy" mean?

- (A) economic depression

- (B) sadness
- (C) heated disputes
- (D) enemy plots

9. Why did visitors to the giant sculpture of Gulliver from *Gulliver's Travels* feel like Lilliputians?

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10. After reading "Atticus Essayist," what can you conclude is the main idea of *To Kill a Mockingbird*?

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