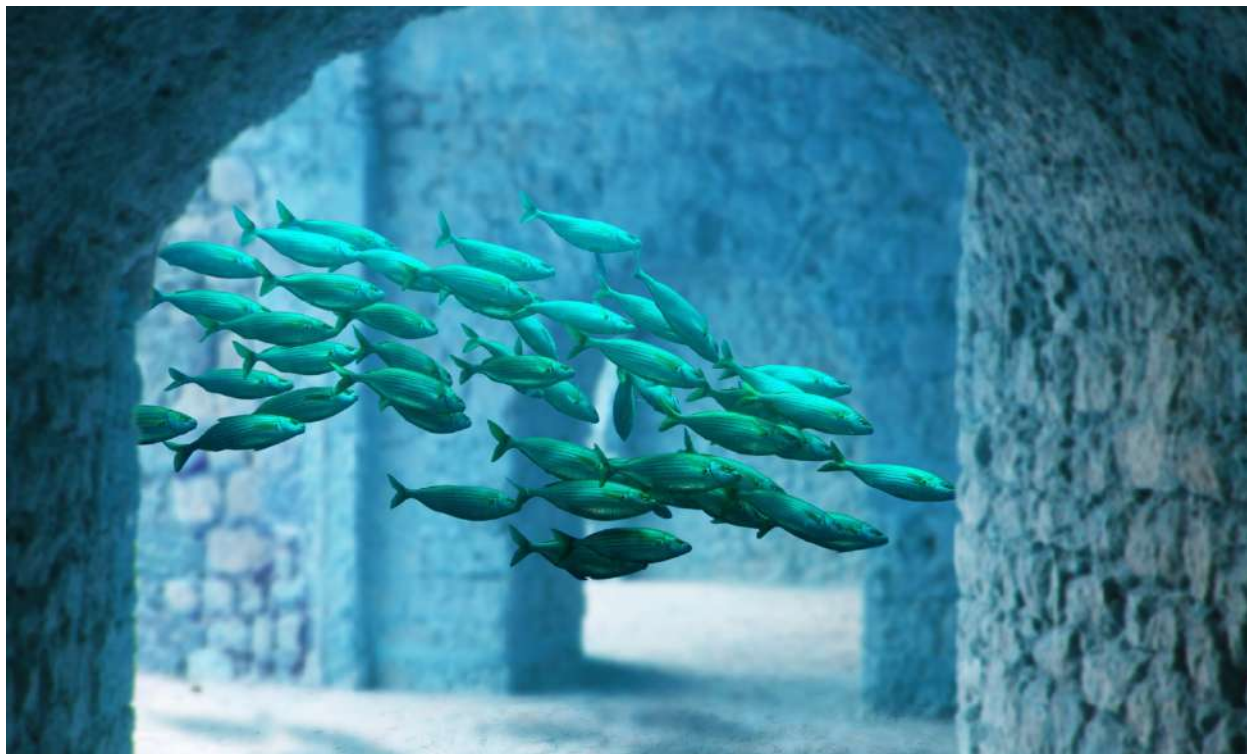




Year 5 Comprehension 4: The Journey to Atlantis



Deep beneath the shimmering waves of the Atlantic Ocean, hidden from the world above, lay the legendary city of Atlantis. For centuries, people had whispered tales of this underwater paradise—a city filled with extraordinary treasures and mysteries waiting to be discovered. And so, the day finally arrived when a brave group of explorers set out on a journey to Atlantis.

Among the explorers was a young girl named Mia, who had always dreamt of exploring the depths of the ocean. Mia was accompanied by her grandfather, Captain Harrison, a seasoned sailor with a twinkle in his eye and tales of adventure to share.

Their journey began aboard a sturdy submarine named the "Aquatica." With the press of a button, the submarine descended into the watery depths, its powerful headlights cutting through the darkness. Mia gazed out of the thick glass window in awe as the ocean transformed into a magical world of colors and creatures.

As they ventured deeper, they encountered schools of shimmering fish, graceful sea turtles, and curious dolphins that danced alongside the submarine. Mia's heart swelled with wonder at the beauty of the ocean.



But the journey was not without challenges. The explorers faced powerful currents and whirlpools that tested their courage. Captain Harrison's steady hand and knowledge of the sea guided them safely through.

After days of exploration, they discovered a mysterious underwater cave covered in luminous corals. As they cautiously entered the cave, their eyes widened in astonishment. It was an ancient gateway to Atlantis.

The city of Atlantis appeared before them like a dream. Towering crystal spires sparkled with a rainbow of colors, and magnificent sea creatures swam gracefully through the streets. The explorers marveled at the advanced technology and breathtaking architecture.

As they explored Atlantis, Mia and Captain Harrison discovered incredible artifacts and learned about the wisdom of its people. They met the Atlanteans, who welcomed them with kindness and shared stories of their history.

One day, Mia stumbled upon a library filled with books that revealed the secrets of the ocean. She realized that Atlantis held knowledge that could help protect the ocean's delicate balance. She knew it was essential to share this wisdom with the world above.

With a heavy heart, Mia and Captain Harrison bid farewell to Atlantis, promising to return someday. As they ascended toward the surface, Mia felt a deep sense of responsibility to protect the ocean and all its wonders.

Back on land, Mia and Captain Harrison shared the tales of their incredible journey and the wisdom they had gained from Atlantis. They inspired others to care for the ocean and its creatures, reminding them that the wonders of the deep sea were worth preserving for generations to come.

And so, Mia's journey to Atlantis became a symbol of discovery, responsibility, and the beauty of our precious oceans—a legacy that would be cherished for years to come.



Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is the name of the legendary city hidden beneath the Atlantic Ocean?

- A) Avalon
- B) El Dorado
- C) Atlantis
- D) Shangri-La

2. Who is the young explorer who dreams of exploring the ocean's depths?

- A) Captain Harrison
- B) Mia
- C) Aquatica
- D) Captain Nemo

3. What kind of vehicle do Mia and Captain Harrison use for their underwater journey?

- A) Spaceship
- B) Helicopter
- C) Submarine
- D) Sailboat

4. What captivates Mia as they descend deeper into the ocean?

- A) Dull colours
- B) Darkness
- C) Shimmering fish
- D) Stormy weather



5. Who is Captain Harrison?

- A) Mia's grandfather and a seasoned sailor
- B) Mia's friend from school
- C) A famous oceanographer
- D) A scientist studying marine life

6. What challenges do the explorers face during their journey?

- A) Finding food underwater
- B) Powerful currents and whirlpools
- C) Extreme heat
- D) Lack of oxygen

7. What do they find in the ancient underwater cave?

- A) A hidden treasure chest
- B) A gateway to Atlantis
- C) A shipwreck
- D) A giant squid

8. How is Atlantis described when Mia and Captain Harrison first see it?

- A) A barren wasteland
- B) A bustling city with modern buildings
- C) A magical city with crystal spires
- D) A pirate's hideout



9. What important knowledge does Mia discover in Atlantis?

- A) Ancient recipes
- B) Stories of treasure hunting
- C) Wisdom about the ocean
- D) A secret map

10. What message does Mia and Captain Harrison bring back from Atlantis?

- A) Keep the ocean's treasures a secret
- B) Preserve and protect the ocean's delicate balance
- C) Avoid all underwater adventures
- D) Explore Atlantis further



Short Answer Questions

1. What is Mia's dream in the story?

2. Who accompanies Mia on her journey to Atlantis?

3. What kind of vehicle do they use for their underwater journey?

4. Describe the ocean's transformation as the explorers descend deeper.



5. What challenges do the explorers face during their journey?

6. Who guides the explorers safely through the challenges they face?

7. What do they discover when they enter the underwater cave?

8. Describe the appearance of Atlantis as they first see it.



9. What do Mia and Captain Harrison learn from the Atlanteans?

10. What valuable knowledge does Mia find in Atlantis?



Answer Key

Multiple Choice Questions

1. C) Atlantis
2. B) Mia
3. C) Submarine
4. C) Shimmering fish
5. A) Mia's grandfather and a seasoned sailor
6. B) Powerful currents and whirlpools
7. B) A gateway to Atlantis
8. C) A magical city with crystal spires
9. C) Wisdom about the ocean
10. B) Preserve and protect the ocean's delicate balance

Short Answer Questions

1. Mia's dream in the story is to explore the depths of the ocean.
2. Mia is accompanied by her grandfather, Captain Harrison.
3. They use a submarine named the "Aquatica" for their underwater journey.
4. As the explorers descend deeper, the ocean transforms into a magical world of colours and creatures.
5. The explorers face challenges such as powerful currents and whirlpools during their journey.
6. Captain Harrison, with his knowledge of the sea, guides the explorers safely through the challenges they face.
7. They discover an ancient gateway to Atlantis when they enter the underwater cave.
8. Atlantis appears as a city with towering crystal spires that sparkle with a rainbow of colours, and it is filled with magnificent sea creatures.
9. Mia and Captain Harrison learn about the history and wisdom of Atlantis from the Atlanteans.
10. Mia finds valuable knowledge about the secrets of the ocean in Atlantis.



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