

EXERCISE 1

Tick True or False.

	True	False
1. Before the invention of paper, people used to write on slabs of stone or pieces of wood.	√	
2. Egyptians were the first people to invent modern paper. (the fact is wrong)		√
3. The ancient Egyptians used green grass to write on. (the fact is wrong. They used papyrus)		√
4. Cai Lun was the one who gave away the secrets of making paper. (false statement)		√
5. Making paper does not disrupt the environment. (false statement- cutting of trees in paper production)		√
6. Paper has been around for over 2,000 years.	√	
7. The Chinese lost the Battle of Talas.	√	

EXERCISE 2

Choose the correct conclusion.

1. The ancient Egyptians found a way to make writing material from ____.
- a) wheat
 - b) water lilies
 - c) papyrus

2. The ancient Egyptians drew pictures which depicted_____.
 - a) their myths and legends.
 - b) important things that happened in Egypt.
 - c) the secrets of making the Pyramids.

3. What was one of the uses of paper for the ancient Chinese?
 - a) to wrap poisonous medicine.
 - b) to be used as money
 - c) to make origami figures

4. The word "paper" is derive from which word?
 - a) Tablet.
 - b) Potato.
 - c) Papyrus.

5. Which is not used when Cai Lun created sheets of paper?
 - a) mulberry.
 - b) old rags.
 - c) reeds.