



Women History Month

J.K ROWLING

Reading Comprehension



COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

6. What themes are explored in the Harry Potter series?

a) Romance and mystery

b) The battle between good and evil

c) Magic and mystery

d) The battle between good and evil

e) The battle between good and evil

f) The battle between good and evil

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COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

NAME: _____

DATE: _____

DIRECTIONS: CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER.

1. In which year was J.K. Rowling born?

- a) 1955
- b) 1965
- c) 1975
- d) 1985

2. What is the pen name of J.K. Rowling?

- a) Joanne Gloucestershire
- b) Jo Rowling
- c) J.K. Gloucestershire
- d) J.K. Rowling

3. What was the first novel in the Harry Potter series?

- a) Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone
- b) Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets
- c) Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban
- d) Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire

4. In which year was the first Harry Potter book published?

- a) 1995
- b) 1997
- c) 1999
- d) 2001

5. What is the name of the first Harry Potter book?

- a) Wizarding Wonders
- b) Magic for All
- c) Lumos
- d) Philanthrobooks

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In our journey through Women's History Month, we venture into the enchanting world of J.K. Rowling, a literary luminary whose imagination has captivated millions of readers around the globe. Born in Yate, Gloucestershire, in 1965, Joanne Rowling, under the pen name J.K. Rowling, brought magic to the literary landscape with the creation of the Harry Potter series.

J.K. Rowling's journey to literary stardom was not without challenges. Facing personal and professional setbacks, she persevered, channeling her passion for storytelling into the creation of one of the most beloved and successful book series in history. The first novel, "Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone" (released as "Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone" in the U.S.), was published in 1997, introducing readers to the magical world of Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry.

The Harry Potter series, comprised of seven books, became a global phenomenon, captivating readers of all ages. Rowling's intricate storytelling, rich character development, and exploration of universal themes such as friendship, courage, and the battle between good and evil resonated with a diverse audience.

Beyond the literary realm, J.K. Rowling is known for her philanthropic efforts. She established the charity Lumos in 2005, dedicated to supporting disadvantaged children around the world, particularly those living in institutions. Rowling's commitment to social literacy to inspire e

J.K. Rowling's story of creativity, and resilience

As we celebrate Women's History Month, we celebrate the power of imagination and storytelling, the power to shape lives and leave an enduring legacy on the cultural landscape.

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J.K. Rowling's story offers a magical entry into the world of literature, creativity, and resilience.

As we celebrate Women's History Month, J.K. Rowling's influence extends far beyond the pages of her books, reminding that imagination and storytelling have the power to shape lives and leave an enduring legacy on the cultural landscape.

COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

- What themes are explored in the Harry Potter series?
 - Romance and mystery
 - Adventure and horror
 - Friendship, courage, and the battle between good and evil
 - Science fiction and dystopia
- Where was J.K. Rowling born?
 - London
 - Yate

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novel in the Harry Potter series?

the Half-Blood Prince
the Goblet of Fire
the Philosopher's Stone
the Order of the Phoenix

4. In which year was the first novel of the Harry Potter series published?

- 1915
- 1997
- 1999
- 2001

5. What is the name of the charity established by J.K. Rowling in 2005?

- Wizarding Wonders
- Magic for All
- Lumos
- PhilanthroBooks

READING COMPREHENSION

ANSWERS

1. a) Romance and mystery
2. d) J.K. Rowling
3. a) Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone
4. b) 1997
5. a) Lumos
6. a) Friendship, courage, and the battle between good and evil
7. b) Yate
8. a) Seven
9. c) Supporting disadvantaged children, particularly those living in institutions
10. b) The transformative power of literature

CLOSE READING GRAPHIC ORGNIZERS INCLUDED

GROUP ACTIVITY

TITLE OF TEXT _____

WHAT I THINK _____

ANNOTATING MARKS

- ✓ Circle powerful words or phrases.
- ✓ Underline words or phrases you do not understand.
- ✓ Place a question mark next to words or phrases you do not understand.
- ✓ Write an explanation of words or phrases you do not understand.

SUMMARIZE

Write a summary of the passage. The main idea should be stated in your first sentence. Then use the four details to write four supporting sentences. Close your summary by restating the main idea.

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MAIN IDEA

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TITLE OF TEXT _____

MAIN IDEA _____

SUPPORTING DETAILS #1 _____

SUPPORTING DETAILS #2 _____

SUPPORTING DETAILS #3 _____

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