

## CHAPTERS 1–2

### Before you read

You can use your dictionary.

- 1 Answer the questions.
  - a) What's your favourite animal?
  - b) Can you name a famous leader from your country?
  - c) Can you name two places where we can find a guard?
  - d) Which museum exhibit would you most like to see in the world?

- 2 Complete the sentences with these words.

**torch freeze cheer tomb scream**

- a) People \_\_\_\_\_ loudly when they're frightened. But sometimes they \_\_\_\_\_ and stay very quiet.
- b) We use a \_\_\_\_\_ when it's dark.
- c) A \_\_\_\_\_ is a place for dead people.
- d) People \_\_\_\_\_ loudly when they like something.

### After you read

- 3 Look at 'People and places' on pages 4–5. Answer these questions.

Who ...

- a) ... works at the British Museum?
- b) ... is a person from a famous story?
- c) ... has a magic tablet?
- d) ... is a teenager?
- e) ... is an animal?
- f) ... is Larry's boss?

- 4 Correct the sentences.

- a) A lot of rich people are at the museum to meet Larry.
- b) The new Neanderthal looks like Dr McPhee.
- c) The exhibits are frightened by the guests.
- d) The policemen go to Larry's flat because he's having a party.
- e) Larry is going to London to find another magic tablet.

- 5 What do you think?

Why is Larry upset with Nick?

## CHAPTERS 3–4

### Before you read

You can use your dictionary.

- 6 Match the definitions with these words.

**armour tracking device scarf statues sword**

- a) You wear this when you're cold.
- b) You can have this on your phone so you know where it is.
- c) A knight used this for fighting.
- d) A knight rode a horse and wore this.
- e) You can see these in city parks. They are usually of famous people.

- 7 What do you think?

How will Larry and Nick get back into the British Museum at night?

### After you read

- 8 Complete the sentences with these names.

**Attila Camelot Dexter Egyptian room Nick Tilly**

- a) Ahkmenrah's parents are in the [answer line] .
- b) The tablet is in \_\_\_\_\_'s bag.
- c) \_\_\_\_\_ follows Octavius and Jedediah.
- d) \_\_\_\_\_ locks the door of the Museum.
- e) Lancelot's home is \_\_\_\_\_ .
- f) When the tablet shines green, \_\_\_\_\_ starts screaming.

- 9 Choose the correct endings for the sentences.

- a) Inside the box there are i) six exhibits. ii) eight exhibits.
- b) Larry tries to stop the Triceratops by i) shouting at it. ii) playing a game with it.
- c) Lancelot is looking for i) a magic cup. ii) the woman he loves.
- d) The snake wakes up because of i) the green light in its eyes. ii) the noise.

- 10 What do you think?

Why is Nick upset with Larry?