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THE REAL DRACULA

Directions: Read “The Real Dracula.” Then, fill in the circle next to the best answer for each question.



1. This article is mostly about

- ☐ living in a castle.
- ☐ life in Transylvania.
- ☐ Bram Stoker’s life.
- ☐ the writing of the book Dracula.

2. Transylvania is in the country that we now know as

- ☐ Great Britain.
- ☐ Romania.
- ☐ Ireland.
- ☐ Mexico.

3. In the article, where did Bram Stoker go to research the real-life Dracula?

- ☐ Transylvania
- ☐ the newspaper
- ☐ the Internet
- ☐ the library

4. Bram Stoker was all of the following, except

- ☐ a newspaper editor.
- ☐ a fiction writer.
- ☐ a poet.
- ☐ a theater critic.

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5. Which of the following statements is an opinion?

- ☐ The book *Dracula* was a huge hit.
- ☐ Vampires are scarier than werewolves.
- ☐ Bram Stoker was Irish.
- ☐ Stoker named his character *Dracula* after a real person.

6. In the second to last paragraph, what does the word possessed mean?

- ☐ scared
- ☐ praised
- ☐ controlled
- ☐ owned

7. When Bram Stoker first heard about the real Dracula, he was

- ☐ angry.
- ☐ fascinated.
- ☐ terrified.
- ☐ bored.

8. Another good title for this reading would be:

- ☐ "The True Story of Dracula."
- ☐ "All About Vampires"
- ☐ "Scary Vampire Stories"
- ☐ "The Life of Bram Stoker"