



## Comprehension Exercise

### Multiple-Choice Questions

1. *"You're not French!" he snarled, taking aim again. "I can tell by your accent."*  
What does the word 'snarled' tell you about the way Jean-Paul was speaking?
  - a he was speaking in a soft voice
  - b he was speaking threateningly
  - c he was speaking loudly
  - d he was speaking with authority
  - e he was speaking nervously
  
2. How did Kat know which way to run?
  - a she looked at her compass
  - b she glanced at her map
  - c she could tell by the position of the moon
  - d she didn't know which way to go, but simply ran away from the bullets
  - e she remembered the route from earlier
  
3. Why did Kat find it difficult to get into the Dakota?
  - a Jean-Paul was firing bullets at her
  - b she was physically exhausted and didn't have the strength
  - c she was being pulled down by Jean-Paul
  - d one of the German soldiers was firing at her
  - e the entrance was too high up
  
4. Why did the Prime Minister want to see Kat?
  - a to express his gratitude
  - b to warn her not to speak about her mission
  - c to explain her next mission
  - d to hear her side of the story
  - e to express his concern about her risking her life



5. Why did Kat decide not to tell her parents the truth about where she had been?

- a she thought that they wouldn't believe a word of it
- b Oater had sworn her to secrecy
- c she didn't want to talk about what had happened
- d she was worried that they wouldn't let her do anything adventurous again
- e the Prime Minister had warned her to keep quiet

### Story Sequencing Question

Put these events in the order in which they happen in the story, numbering them from 1 to 5. The first one has been done for you.

Jean-Paul fired several shots in Kat's direction.

Jean-Paul made a failed attempt to pull Kat back to the ground.

Kat raced away from the area of the bridge and sprinted through the wood.

Oater congratulated Kat on her successful mission.

Kat was relieved to see the Dakota and clambered inside.

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