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Teacher Answer Sheet

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- 1. Why was the Great Wall of China originally built?**
The Great Wall was built to protect China from raiders
- 2. How did Emperor Qin Shi Huang improve the Great Wall of China?**
Emperor Qin Shi Huang connected and fortified the Great Wall of China
- 3. What groups of people were forced to work on the Great Wall of China?**
Peasants and criminals
- 4. About how high and wide is the Great Wall of China?**
23 feet high, 21 feet high
- 5. How did Chinese soldiers warn others of possible attacks along the Great Wall?**
Fire and smoke signals
- 6. What type of defenses did the Great Wall of China have?**
Spots to shoot arrow and drop rocks
- 7. Why did the Great Wall of China lose its purpose? What was the impact on the Great Wall?**
China was ruled by the people who lived outside of the wall. The wall was no longer needed and it fell into disrepair
- 8. How is the Great Wall of China mostly used today?**
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